

**SITE INSPECTION REPORT OF GOVT.DEGREE COLLEGE
SIHUNTA BY SH. D.R. KAUSHAL, IFS, CONSERVATOR OF
FORESTS, (T) CHAMBA.**

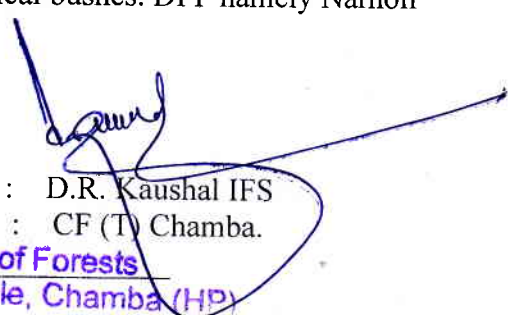
A proposal has been received in this office from HPPWD Division, Dalhousie through Divisional Forest Officer, Dalhousie for the diversion (under FCA-1980) of 1.5298 ha. of forest land under FCA 1980 for the setting up of Govt. Degree College Sihunta for non forestry purpose in Bhattiyat Forest Range of Dalhousie Forest Division. The Principal Govt. College Sihunta Distt. Chamba H.P. envisages the use of forest land for the construction of Degree College. The site inspection of the land involved in the proposal has been done by me, DFO Dalhousie, with field staff of Bhattiyat Forest Range and the user agency on dated **22.12.2016**. A total of 33 number of Chil & OBL trees are coming in the area to be diverted for non forestry purpose.

The detail of trees involved in the road area is tabulated below:-

SL.NO.	SPECIES	CLASSIFICATION						TOTAL	REMARKS
		V	IV	III	ID	IIB	IA		
1	Chil	0	1	2	0	0	0	3	G/Standing
	VOL.	0	0.28	1.42	0	0	0	1.7	
2	OBL	19	6	4	1	0	0	30	G/Standing
	Vol.	2.85	1.80	2.80	8.00	0	0	15.45	
	Total:- Trees	19	7	6	1	0	0	33	

Thus any alternative to reduce the number of trees to be felled is not feasible. The requirement of forest land as proposed by the user agency is unavoidable and is bare minimum required for the road, and involves felling of 33 trees. No rare/endangered/unique species of flora & fauna were found in the area. The forest forms part of high altitude conifer forests mainly consisting of Chil & OBL specie of uneconomical bushes. DPF namely Narholi DPF is coming in the area being diverted.

Place:- Chamba
Date:-

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