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JUSTIFICATION LETTER FOR FOREST LAND DIVERSION

Construction of road namely Bhara to Mandir Mohalla (Godha) Package No.: JK04-521 Stage I & II (combined) under PMGSY Division Doda. The proposed road leading to the targeted habitation of Bhara Mandir Mohalla Godha (296 souls directly) is located to the north west of Bhaderwah Town at a distance of 23 kms. There is no worthwhile educational or medical facility in the area because of absence of road.

The area even though rich in agriculture produce yet the farmers cannot get their surplus yield to the market in the absence of road. With the construction of the road, the availability of modern farming techniques is bound to increase the yield of crop. These crops will avail market in Bhaderwah which is nearest marketing centre. Thus the construction of the road is bound to usher the area to a new dawn of development, progress and prosperity.

It is proposed to construct the road up to fair weather specifications in Stage-I and all weather specifications by way of Stage-II.

The proposed road which falls in hilly terrain shall be constructed with a formation width of 6.0 meter and carriage way of 3.0 meter. The road passes through forest area as well as through private / state land. The formation shall be in cutting and filling with the ruling gradient being 6%, limiting gradient being 8% and exceptional gradient being 10% as mentioned in Rural Road Manual. Semi pucca retaining walls and breast wall shall be provided wherever necessary for stability and improved geometrics of the road.

Hence the diversion of the forest land is only choice to construct the above said road.

Yours Faithfully


Executive Engineer

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1. Chief Engineer PMGSY (JKRRDA) Jammu for favour of information please.
2. District Development Commissioner Doda for favour of information please.
3. Superintending Engineer PMGSY Circle Batote for favour of information please
4. Assistant Executive Engineer PMGSY Sub Division Bhaderwah for information and follow up action.