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No. / L & LT/2M-861/09/Pt.III

Dated: 17.03.2023.

To : The Additional Chief Secretary to the Govt. of West Bengal,  
Department of Forest.

Sub.: Proposal for diversion of 1.997 ha. of forest land for construction of 1000 mtr. length viaduct at Rangpo between Km 51.100 to 53.900 on Sevoke-Gangtok Road (NH-31A new NH-10) in favour of National Highways and Infrastructure Development Corporation Ltd. (NHIDCL) under Kalimpong Forest Division.  
(Proposal No. FP/WB/ROAD/32306/2018).

Ref. : The Department of Forests, Government of West Bengal Memorandum No. 1256-For/O/L/10T-09/2014 dated 05.07.2018.

Sir,

The Project at under Kalimpong Forest Division (Proposal No. FP/WB/ROAD/32306/2018) has been granted Stage-I/In-principle approval vide reference cited above. The conditions as detailed in the Stage-I/In-principle approval has been complied with and submitted online on the Parivesh portal.

It is, therefore, requested the same may be forwarded to Integrated Regional Office/Kolkata for grant of Stage-II approval please.

Yours faithfully,

Encl.: As stated above.

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Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests &  
Nodal Officer, FCA

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Copy forwarded for information and necessary action, to :-

1. The Chief Conservator of Forests, Hill Circle, W.B.
2. The Divisional Forest Officer, Kalimpong Forest Division.
3. The General Manager (P), National Highways and Infrastructure Development Corporation Ltd. (NHIDCL), 1<sup>st</sup> Floor, 5<sup>th</sup> Mile, M.P. Golai, Tadong, Gangtok, Sikkim-737102.

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