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No. NHIDCL/PMU-ZIRO/2022-23/Lamino-Sariyo-Longchu/FC/6206

Dated 38 04.2023

To, The Executive Director(P) NHIDCL, RO-Itanagar Arunachal Pradesh

Sub:- Proposal for diversion of 35.305 ha of forestland for construction of foot track Sariyo to Longchu from 0.00 km to 53.51 km in East Kameng District in the state of arunachal pradesh-Compliance Report- Reg.

Ref:- RO-Itanagar letter No. NHIDCL/RO-ITA/02/FT/L-S-L/FC/2021-22/4638 Dated. 30th March 2023.

Sir,

- 1. Please refer to your letter mentioned above.
- 2. In this regard, please find enclosed herewith "Undertaking for Compliance Report" in respect of Lamino-Sariyo-Longchu Road.
- 3. This is for your kind information and necessary action please.

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UNDERTAKING FOR COMPLIANCE REPORT IN RESPECT OF DIVERSION OF 35.305 HA OF FORESTLAND FOR CONSTRUCTION OF FOOT TRACK SARIYO TO LONGCHU FROM 0.00 KM TO 53.51 KM IN EAST KAMENG DISTRICT IN THE STATE OF ARUNACHAL PRADESII.

A. <u>Conditions which needs to be complied prior with handing over of forest land by the State Forest Department:-</u>

UNDERTAKING FOR CONDITION No. A (I)

The User Agency shall transfer, the Net Present Value (NPV) of the forest land being diverted under this proposal in the revised rates, as per the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India dated. 28.03.2008, 24.04.2008 and 09.05.2008 in writ petition (Civil) No. 202/1995 and as per the guidelines issued by the Ministry vide letters No. 5-3/2007-FC dated. 05.02.2009 and File No. 5-3/2011-FC(Vol-I) dated. 21.03.2022. The requisite funds shall be transferred through online portal into CAMPA account of the state concerned.

It is certified that, an amount of Rs. 5,07,21,634/- being the cost of NPV has been transferred to Ad-hoc CAMPA account as per e-challan dated. 28.03.2022.

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UNDERTAKING FOR CONDITION No. A (II)

The User Agency shall transfer the cost of raising and maintaining the compensatory afforestation at the current wage rate in consultation with State Forest Department in the account of CAMPA of the concerned through online portal. The scheme may include appropriate for anticipated cost increase for works scheduled for subsequent years.

Certified that, an amount of Rs. Rs. 92,59,500/-being the cost of CA has been transferred to Ad-hoc CAMPA account as per e-challan dated. 28.03.2022.

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UNDERTAKING FOR CONDITION No. A (III)

All the funds received from the User Agency (CA,NPV etc.) under the project shall be transferred/deposited to Compensatory Afforestation Fund of Arunachal Pradesh State managed by the Ad-hoc CAMPA through e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in/). Amount deposited through other mode will not be accepted as compliance of the Stage-I clearance.

Total amount of Rs. 5,99,81,134/- has been made towards the cost of NPV & CA transferred to Ad-hoc CAMPA account on dated. 28.03.2022.

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UNDERTAKING FOR CONDITION No. A (IV)

The compliance report shall be uploaded on e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in/).

I, on behalf of NHIDCL hereby undertake that the compliance report will be uploaded on e-portal.

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UNDERTAKING FOR CONDITION No. A (V)

The KML files of the area to be diverted, the CA Areas, the proposed SMC work, the proposed Catchment Area Treatment Area and the WLMP area shall be uploaded on the e-Green watch portal with all requisite details before issuing Working permission towards linear projects or submitting compliance report for seeking Stage-11 approval, as the case may.

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UNDERTAKING FOR CONDITION No. A (VI)

The boundary of the diverted forest land, shall be demarcated on grounds at the project cost, as per the directions of the concerned Divisional Forest Officer.

I on behalf of NHIDCL, hereby undertake that the boundary of the diverted forest land, shall be demarcated on grounds at the project cost as per the directions of the concerned Divisional Forest Officer.

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UNDERTAKING FOR CONDITION No. A (VII)

The User Agency shall explore the possibility of successful translocation of maximum number of trees identified to be felled and shall ensure that any tree felling shall be done only when it is unavoidable and that too under the strict supervision of the State Forest Department.

I on behalf of NHIDCL, hereby undertake that the User Agency shall explore the possibility of successful translocation of maximum number of trees identified to be felled and shall ensure that any tree felling shall be done only when it is unavoidable and that too under the strict supervision of the State Forest Department.

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UNDERTAKING FOR CONDITION No. A (VIII)

The charges for felling, logging and transportation of project affected trees should be collected from the User Agency at the rates approved by the State Govt and deposited with the DFO concerned for utilization immediately following the diversion of forest land.

I on behalf of NHIDCL, hereby undertake that the charges for felling, logging and transportation of project affected trees should be collected from the User Agency at the rates approved by the State Govt and deposited with the DFO concerned for utilization immediately following the diversion of forest land.



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UNDERTAKING FOR CONDITION No. A (IX)

The expenditure like boundary walls, stone pillars, demarcation charges, cost of damage of trees the funds on these accounts should, be deposited with the DFO concerned. I on behalf of NHIDCL, hereby undertake that the expenditure like boundary walls, stone pillars, demarcation charges, cost of damage of trees the funds on these accounts should, be deposited with the DFO concerned.

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UNDERTAKING FOR CONDITION No. A (X)

The User Agency shall restrict the felling of trees to minimum number in the diverted forest land and the trees shall be felled under the strict supervision of the State Forest Department and the cost of felling of trees shall be deposited by the User Agency with the State Forest Department.

I on behalf of NHIDCL, hereby undertake that the felling of trees to minimum number in the diverted forest land and the trees shall be felled under the strict supervision of the State Forest Department and the cost of felling of trees shall be deposited with the State Forest Department.

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UNDERTAKING FOR CONDITION No. A (XI)

The complete compliance of the FRA, 2006 shall be ensured by way of prescribed certificate from the concerned District Collector.

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UNDERTAKING FOR CONDITION No. A (XII)

Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Forest(Conservation) Act, 1980 and action would be taken as prescribed in para 1.21 of Chapter 1 of the Handbook of comprehensive guidelines of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 as issued by the Ministry's letter No. 5-2/2017-Fc dated. 28.03.2019.

I on behalf of NHIDCL, hereby undertake that, the violation of any of these conditions shall not be done which will amount to violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.



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B. Conditions which needs to be strictly complied on field after handing over of forest land to the user agency by the State Forest Department but the compliance in form of undertaking shall be submitted prior to Stage-II approval:-

CONDITION NO.I

Certified that, legal status of the forest land shall remain unchanged.

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CONDITION NO.II

Certified that, the compensatory afforestation shall be taken up on equivalent degraded forest land of 35.31 ha in Drupong Reserve Forest under Banderdewa Forest Division in Papumpare district of Arunachal Pradesh within three years from the date of Stage-II Clearance and maintained thereafter by the State Forest Department at the cost of the User Agency. As far as possible, a mixture of local indigenous species shall be planted and monoculture of any species may be avoided. The CA will be maintained for 10 years.

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CONDITION NO.III

Certified that, the proposed OBT labour sheds in the compensatory afforestation scheme should be of temporary structure and to be dismantled within 10 years from the 1st year of plantation. State Govt. shall adhered to Section 5(4)(e) of CAF rules and other relevant Rules as applicable while implementing the Compensatory afforestation scheme; and accordingly, technically approved and duly signed revised CA estimate scheme is to be submitted.



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CONDITION NO.IV

Certified that, at the time of payment of the Net Present Value (NPV) at the then prevailing rate, the User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to pay the additional amount of NPV, if so determined, as per the final decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India.

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CONDITION NO.V

Certified that, the User Agency shall obtain the Environment Clearance as per the provisions of Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, if required.

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CONDITION NO.VI

Certified that, the User Agency shall take all possible precaution & care all the time not to impact adversely the surrounding forests and forest land by their actions/activities.

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CONDITION NO.VII

Certified that, the User agency will undertake comprehensive soil and water conservation measure at the project cost.



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CONDITION NO.VIII

Certified that, the overburden shall not be dumped outside the width of the road. The muck generated in the earth cutting will be disposed off at the designated dumping sites and in no case the muck/debris will be allowed to roll down the hill slopes.

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CONDITION NO.IX

Certified that, wherever possible and technically feasible, the user agency shall undertake afforestation measures along the road within the area diverted under this approval, in consultation with the State Forest Department at the project cost.

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CONDITION NO.X

Certified that, the muck dumping area shall be stabilized and plantation of suitable species shall be carried out over stabilized dumps on the cost of the user agency under the supervision of State Forest Department.

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CONDITION NO.XI

Certified that, the designing of culverts/bridges, if any, over the natural streams/rivers/canals should be done in such manner that it does not hamper the natural course of the water, does not give rise to water logging and also does not hamper the movement of the wild animals.

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CONDITION NO.XII

Certified that, all the site specific engineering structures like retaining walls, breast wall and drainage shall be constructed to avoid any soil erosion and to provide slope stability of the concerned hills.

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CONDITION NO.XIII

Certified that, the User agency shall raise strip plantation on both sides and central verge of the road as per the IRC norms.

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CONDITION NO.XIV

Certified that, the speed regulating signage will be erected along the road at regular intervals in the Protected Areas/Forest Areas.

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CONDITION NO.XV

Certified that, the user agency shall provide suitable under/over pass in Protected Area/Forest Area as per recommendations of CWLW/NBWL/FAC/REC, Wherever applicable.

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CONDITION NO.XVI

Certified that, no labour camp shall be established on the forest land and the User Agency shall provide fuels preferably alternate fuels to the labourers and the staff working at the site so as to avoid any damage and pressure on the nearby forest areas.

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CONDITION NO.XVII

Certified that, the forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agencies, department or person without prior approval of Govt. of India.

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CONDITION NO.XVIII

Certified that, no damage to the flora and fauna of the adjoining area shall be caused.

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CONDITION NO.XIX

Certified that, the lay out of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Central Government.



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CONDITION NO.XX

Certified that, the concerned Divisional Forest Officer, will monitor and take necessary mitigative measures to ensure that there is no adverse impact on the forests in the surrounding area.

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CONDITION NO.XXI

Certified that, no additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for transportation of construction materials for execution of the project work.

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CONDITION NO.XXII

Certified that, the forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the project proposal.

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CONDITION NO.XXIII

Certified that, the period of diversion under this approval shall be co-terminus with the period of lease to be granted in favour of the user agency or the project life, whichever is less.



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CONDITION NO.XXIV

Certified that, the user agency will comply all the provisions of the all Acts, Rules. Regulations, Guidelines, Hon'ble Court Order (s) and NGT Order (s) pertaining to this project, if any, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project.

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CONDITION NO.XXV

Certified that, as per Ministry's letter No 11-30/96-FC(Pt) dt 14.9.2001, if the compliance of stipulated conditions is awaited from the State Govt for more than 5(Five) years, the inprinciple approval would be summarily revoked considering that the user agency is no longer interested in the project.

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CONDITION NO.XXVI

Certified that, any other conditions that the Integrated Regional Office, Guwahati, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change may stipulated from time to time in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forests & wildlife.

