

Government of India
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change
(Forest Conservation Division)

Indira Paryavaran Bhawan,
Jor Bag Road, Aliganj,
New Delhi– 110003,
Dated:29-10-2024

To

The Principal Secretary (Forests),
Department of Forest and Environment,
Government of Himachal Pradesh,
Shimla.

Subject: Proposal for seeking prior approval of the Central Government under Section 2 (1) (ii) of the Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 in favour of M/s. HPPCL for non-forestry use of 909 ha. (Original proposed 901.00 ha.) of forest land for Construction of Renukaji Dam Project in Sirmour District in the State of Himachal Pradesh (Online Proposal No. FP/HP/IRRIG/631/2009)- regarding.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the Government of Himachal Pradesh letter No. 48-1775/2018 (FCA dated 12.07.2024 forwarding the additional information in response to this Ministry's letter dated 15.03.2024. After examination of the additional information submitted by the State Government in the Ministry following is observed:

- i. KML file of alternative road identified by the State Government was submitted, KML files were analyzed by the DSS cell of this Ministry and it was observed that the details submitted could not read by DSS. Consolidated single KML file of alternative road needs to be submitted by the State Government.
- ii. Permission of NBWL for changing the conditions imposed by the NBWL on the matter of construction of Fish ladders in Renuka Dam and Dadahu Barrage in compliance to condition No. xxvi (f) of Stage- I approval is not complied. The State Government has said that issue regarding waiving off the condition regarding construction of Fish Ladder at Renukaji Dam has been forwarded to the Addl. Deputy Inspector General of Forests (WL) MoEF&CC, New Delhi by PCCF (WL) HP on 27-06-2024. The State Government is requested to provide present status on the matter.
- iii. The KML files has been examined by the DSS cell of this Ministry, it was observed that three CA sites pair in Nahan Forest Division and one CA site pair in Rampur Forest Division is found to be overlapped. In this regard the State Govt. is requested to kindly submit the revised KML files of the overlapping areas.
- iv. The Legal status of proposed CA sites can not be verified due to unavailability of Recorded Forest Area (RF/PF) boundary for the State of Himachal Pradesh on DSS application. State Government is requested to

submit KML file of compartment boundary of area proposed for Compensatory Afforestation.

- v. National Authority, CAMPA vide OM dated 25.10.2024 has requested that information may kindly be furnished in prescribed 12-point proforma, so that desired report could be furnished at earliest. The requisite information in prescribed proforma may be submitted to NA, CAMPA.
- vi. The State Government shall provide reasons for delay in submission of Compliance report of Stage-I approval, which was valid till 19.02.2024.

In view of the above, the State Government is requested to furnish the above information to this Ministry for further consideration of the proposal for Stage-II approval.

Encl: As above.

**Signed by Sundar
Sambamoorthi
Date: 29-10-2024 15:01:57**

Yours Faithfully

Sd/-

(S. Sundar)

Assistant Inspector General of

Forests

Copy to:

1. The PCCF (HoFF), Government of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla.
2. The Nodal Officer (FCA), O/o of the PCCF, Government of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla.
3. The Regional Officer, Integrated Regional Officer, Shimla of MoEF&CC.
4. User Agency.
5. Forest Conservation Monitoring Cell, FC Division, MoEF & CC, New Delhi.

Proposal No.: FP/HP/IRRIG/631/2009

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Compensatory Afforestation (CA) land

1. Compensatory afforestation has been proposed over degraded forest land in a **165** patches and their total area (software-calculated) is found **1840.8640 ha**.
2. Sixteen CA sites are having area less than 5 ha (highlighted with yellow color in the table given below).
3. Out of total area proposed for compensatory afforestation, 67 ha is classified as very dense forest, 403 ha as moderately dense forest (MDF), 459 ha as open forest, 16 ha as scrub and 895 ha as non-forest (land without tree cover) in terms of forest classes (as per the ISFR 2021) based on the interpretation of satellite data period 2019-2020. The patch-wise density details of the proposed CA is given below:

S.No .	Forest Division	CA Site Name	Software calculated area (ha)	VDF	MDF	OF	Scrub	Non Forest
1	Ani	Allatu 5 hac	5.0463	0	3	0	0	2
2		Mandribeel133	5.0825	0	0	0	0	5
3		UPF Deem 5 hac	2.0453	0	0	0	0	2
4		UPF Fanounti 15 hac	15.0552	0	4	0	0	11
5		upf kot 5 hac	5.0670	0	0	2	0	3
6		UPF shush 50 hac	49.9116	0	0	0	0	50
7		UPF Tarala 5hac	5.0333	0	0	1	0	4
Sub-total (A)			87.2412	0	7	3	0	77
8	Chamba	Kunde CA, kiri beat saho block, lower Chamba range	8.0013	3	3	0	0	2
9		Meh dpf Barren land	15.0654	0	1	5	0	9
Sub-total (B)			23.0667	3	4	5	0	11
10	Dalhousie	bara dpf no 1	11.1026	0	0	0	0	11
12		Bhont DPF	3.9995	1	1	0	0	2
14		Bug DPF 10.0 Ha	10.1855	0	6	0	0	4
15		CA PRIYUNGAL 18.00 HACT.	18.4702	12	7	0	0	0
16		Dharwai DPF 16 ha.	16.1608	0	0	0	0	16
18		Gaghar II	6.5279	2	1	0	0	3
20		Gumhrar	15.2147	0	4	0	0	11
22		Kakiyana CA area	6.6550	0	0	0	0	7
24		kanjorti dpf	10.1974	0	0	2	0	8
26		Land Bank Baloh 7.00 hact. 23-24	7.2710	7	0	0	0	0
28		land bank Banni DPF	24.9589	0	11	0	0	14
30		Land Bank Paddi DPF and Sail DPF	20.3161	0	1	0	0	19
32		land Bank Sundla DPF	10.0868	0	0	8	0	2
34		Land Bank Tikkar DPF	8.7589	0	7	0	0	2
36		Mandrihar Land Bank 12.2 Hact	12.1902	1	2	0	0	10
37		Suhar DPF 3.00 Ha	3.0944	0	2	0	0	1
Sub-total (C)			185.1899	23	42	10	0	110

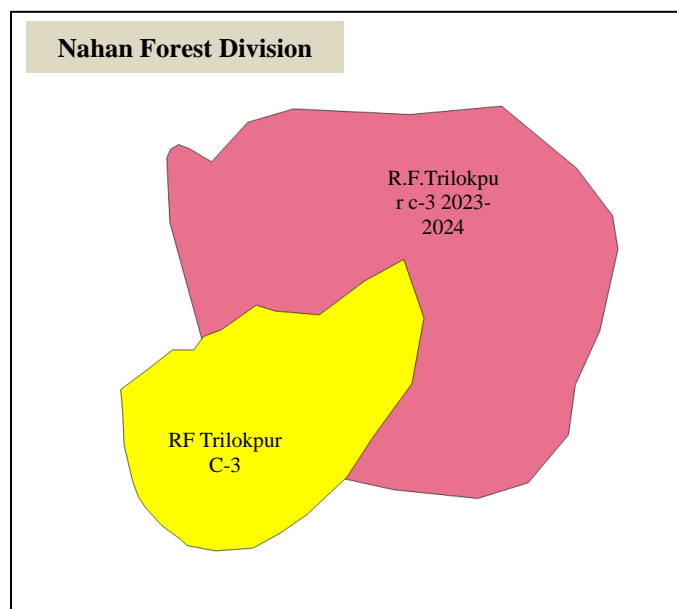
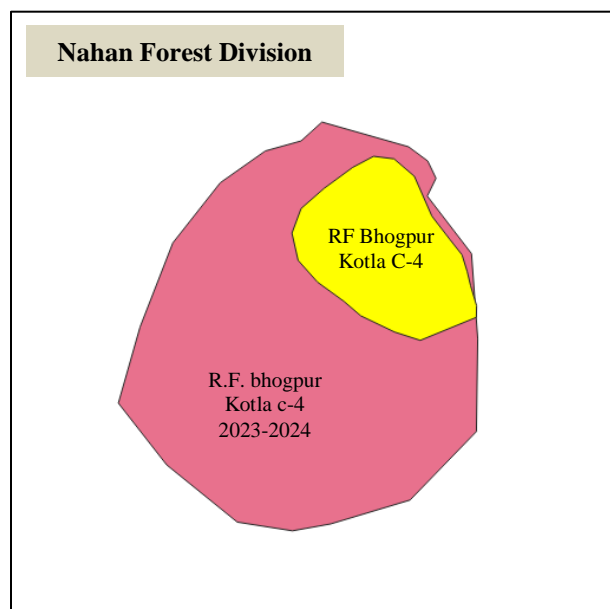
38	Dehra	10 hectare	10.0837	0	8	2	0	0
39		Beat Kotla,range Dada sida, Block Dehra (5 ha)	5.0018	0	1	4	0	0
40		CA 10 Hectare	10.0735	0	6	3	0	1
41		CA 5 Hectare	5.0037	0	1	1	0	3
Sub-total (D)			30.1627	0	16	10	0	4
42	Jogindern agar	CA Dibkan C-2,C-3	39.9267	0	30	10	0	0
Sub-total (E)			39.9267	0	30	10	0	0
43	Kotgarh	DPF Bargal C-12 = 10 hac CA	10.2922	0	0	3	0	7
44		UPF Paresh =10 hac	10.3590	0	0	0	0	10
Sub-total (F)			20.6512	0	0	3	0	17
45	Kunihar	Surajpur Beat, UPF 478 Bated 10 Hac.CA	10.0860	0	3	2	0	5
46		UPF 508 kharota	5.0852	0	0	2	0	3
47		UPF 511 Mandhala	10.2881	0	0	8	0	2
48		upf kawarla 5 hctr	5.2572	0	3	0	0	3
Sub-total (G)			30.7165	0	6	12	0	13
49	Nachan	Bagi Banwar 10 Ha. CA (2)	10.0148	0	2	0	0	8
50		Bara ND 317 CA Pa 4 Hac	4.0017	0	0	1	0	3
51		Bara ND 317 CA Pa 8 Hac	8.0130	0	0	4	0	4
52		Bara OD 316 CA Pa 2 Hac	2.0055	0	0	2	0	0
53		CA Site at BanaDhar (30 hectare)	30.0228	5	3	0	0	22
54		CA site at DPF Bajoun,Beat Nihri (10 Hectare)	10.0656	1	0	0	0	9
55		CA site at DPF Chet,Chiuni Beat (20 Hectare)	19.9420	3	7	1	0	9
56		CA Site at Joghani Nal (10 hectare)	10.0651	0	0	6	0	4
57		CA site at Kamehdhar (26 Hectare)	26.0487	1	1	0	0	24
58		CA site at Karthach block,Beat Bandal (DPF Fanjyaar)	15.0177	0	1	5	0	9
59		CA Site At Shegla Silh 2nd 15 hectare	14.9405	0	0	1	0	14
60		CA site at Sigali (DPF Devidhar) 20 Hectare	19.9841	0	0	4	0	16
61		Proposed CA Site at khunachi 1st (20 hectare)	19.9953	0	2	2	0	16
62		Sanoun renukaji CA area 10	10.0124	3	7	0	0	0
Sub-total (H)			200.1292	13	23	26	0	138
63	Nahan	CA-PANJaHAL C-6 10ha	10.0428	0	10	0	0	0
64		R F Kala Amb C-4 = 20 hact Mainthapal	21.0584	0	4	11	0	6
65		R.F. bhogpur kotla c-4 2023-2024	15.2083	0	7	0	0	8
66		R.F.Bhogpur c-1 2023-2024	35.1274	0	0	5	0	30
67		R.F.Trilokpur c-3 2023-2024	51.0291	0	22	17	0	12
68		RF Bhogpur Kotla C-1=05 hect of Kotla beat	5.0700	0	0	4	0	1
69		RF Bhogpur Kotla C-1=40 hect. of Kotla beat	40.2786	0	0	10	0	31
70		RF Bhogpur Kotla C-4=02 hect of Neron Beat	2.0110	0	0	0	0	2
71		RF Bhogpur Kotla C-4=03 hect of Neron Beat	3.0241	0	0	0	0	3

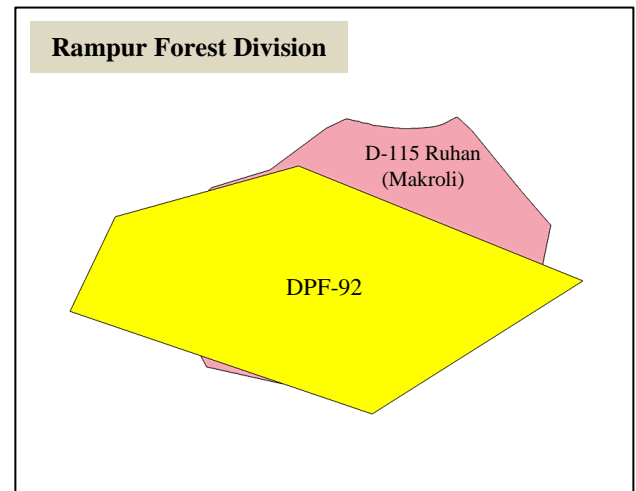
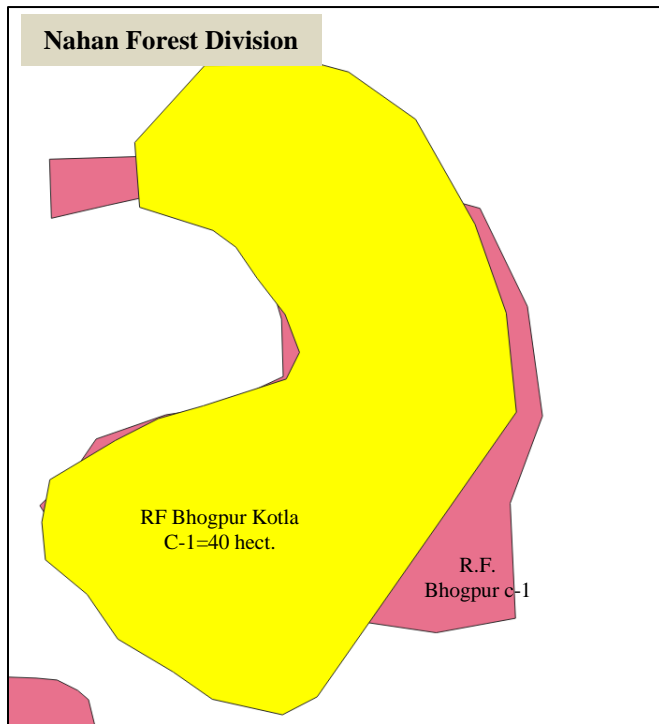
72		RF BURMAN C13 15ha	14.9719	0	12	2	0	1
73		RF E-Banethi C-10, 10 Ha.	10.0476	0	2	5	0	3
74		RF Gumti Sambahwla C-3=04 hect = Churan beat	4.0747	0	0	0	0	4
75		RF Gumti Sambahwla C-6= 04 hect Gumti beat	4.1342	0	0	1	0	3
76		RF Gumti Sambhalwa C-1 = 05 hect Kundla beat	5.0149	0	0	4	0	1
77		RF Gumti Sambhalwa C-1=03 hect Kundla beat	3.0375	0	0	0	0	3
78		RF Gumti Sambhalwa C-2 = 03 hect Churan beat	2.9937	0	0	0	0	3
79		RF Gumti Sambhalwa C-4= 05 hect Kundla beat	5.0991	0	0	0	0	5
80		RF Gumti Sambhalwa C-6= 06 hect Gumti beat	6.0121	0	0	4	0	2
81		RF Jaitak C-2, 10 Ha CA area	10.0483	0	10	0	0	0
82		RF Katli C-7 new plt 30 hect	30.0231	0	4	26	0	0
83		RF Maidhar C-4=50 hect. Kandaiwala beat	50.2782	0	0	26	0	25
84		RF Nauni C-3 10 ha CA Plantation	10.0439	0	6	4	0	0
85		RF Nauni C-9 CA Renuka Ji	5.0010	0	3	2	0	0
86		RF NAUNI C6 10ha	10.0181	0	0	10	0	0
87		RF Panjahal C-6, 5 Ha.	5.0435	0	5	0	0	0
88		RF Talon C-12 8 Ha. CA area	8.0360	0	2	6	0	0
89		RF Triboni C-3 Koteri beat = 5.00 hect.	5.0186	0	0	5	0	0
90		RF Trilokpur C-3 Trilokpur beat = 20 hect	20.0763	0	4	13	0	3
Sub-total (I)			391.8224	0	91	155	0	146
91	Nalagarh	CA BIRR PLASSI 12HA	12.0237	0	0	0	0	12
92		churangal shamlat 5	4.9960	0	5	0	0	0
93		GHRYPCH2023 5	4.9977	0	0	0	0	5
94		HATHEORA 4	4.0025	0	3	1	0	0
95		Khol Dharampur C2 15 Hac	14.9630	0	0	14	0	1
96		Macchaun 5	4.9971	0	3	1	0	1
97		Nalka shamlat 11 hectare	10.9983	0	3	2	5	1
98		RAJWAIN DPF 5HAC	5.0329	0	0	5	0	0
Sub-total (J)			62.0112	0	14	23	5	20
99	Paonta	RF GHARATWALI C3 5 HAC	5.5553	0	0	2	0	3
100		RF SUNKRON C 2 5 HAC	5.1343	0	0	3	0	2
101		RF SUNKRON C12 5 HAC	5.1919	0	0	3	0	3
102		RF SUNKRON C9 4 HAC	4.2714	0	0	4	0	0
Sub-total (K)			20.1529	0	0	12	0	8
103	Rajgarh	MF Mohan 10 ha.	10.0702	0	10	0	0	0
104		MF Pab 5 ha.	5.0389	0	2	3	0	0
105		MF Wasni 5 ha.	5.0379	0	0	3	0	2
106		Uf Dhilo badaha C2	15.3786	0	8	7	0	0
107		Uf Killa Kalanch C1 8 Ha.	8.2927	0	6	2	0	0
108		Uf Bara Chakli C6 15 Ha.	15.1314	0	1	14	0	0
109		PF Bharan plt area 8 Ha	10.0080	0	0	3	0	7

110		RF DOL C3A (CA)	15.2461	0	3	8	0	5
111		RF ORIA C3 (CA)	5.1277	0	2	1	0	3
112		Uf Dhillabadahan C6 30 Ha.	30.3126	0	8	22	0	0
113		Uf Dihhlo Badahan C1(15 Ha.)	15.5727	0	12	3	0	0
114		UF Mano Ghasan C4 15 Ha	15.1004	0	11	4	0	0
Sub-total (L)			150.3172	0	63	70	0	17
115	Rampur	D-115 Ruhan (Lambanal) (10 Hectare)	10.0003	0	0	0	0	10
116		D-115 Ruhan (Makroli) (10 Hectare)	10.1975	6	2	0	0	2
117		D-2 C-IV Manknoon 5ha	5.0180	0	0	1	0	4
118		D-5 Gahan C-4 12 ha	12.0523	6	6	0	0	0
119		D-6 Peojna C-4 3ha	3.0462	3	0	0	0	0
120		D-Manknoon C-11 5ha	4.9969	2	3	0	0	0
121		DPF-92 10 ha	10.0327	7	1	0	0	3
122		Neri 10 ha	10.0322	0	0	2	0	8
123		Sanathli D-79 5 ha	5.0154	1	0	0	0	4
124		Sanathli U-53 5ha	5.0024	0	0	0	0	5
125	UF- Kamlahu 20 Ha	10.0198	3	3	2	0	2	
Sub-total (M)			85.4137	28	15	5	0	38
126	Renukaji	3Hac.CA Suitability area PF C.B. C-4	3.0016	0	0	0	0	3
127		7 hac CA ,PF CB c-6	7.0513	0	0	0	0	7
128		CA area in RF Khatna C2 for Renukaji dam 5Ha (1)	4.9950	0	1	1	0	3
129		CA area in RF Loza C-10 5 Ha. for Renuka ji dam (1)	4.9951	0	0	0	0	5
130		CA Area of 5 Ha. in RF Bali Koti C-6	4.9950	0	0	0	0	5
131		CA area of 5Ha in RF Bindoli C1	4.9952	0	0	0	0	5
132		PF Jamna Pabbar C-6 Area 20 hectare C.A.	19.9798	0	0	0	0	20
133		PF Jamna Pabbar C-7 Area 10 Hec. C.A.	9.9900	0	0	0	2	8
134		PF Pamta C2 10ha	9.9899	0	7	0	0	3
135		PF Sharli Manpur C-2 area 15 hec. C.A.	14.9852	0	0	0	0	15
136		RF Chandni C3 20 hect.	19.9806	0	0	6	6	8
137		RF Chandni C4 CA	19.9801	0	0	8	0	12
138		RF Dhab Pipli 15ha	14.9850	0	0	8	0	7
139		RF Dhab Pipli C1	14.9861	0	2	0	1	12
140		RF Gabar C2 CA Proposed 15	14.9871	0	5	5	0	4
141		RF Janjli C-2 CA Proposed 20 hect..	19.9797	0	1	5	0	14
142		RF Janjli C-3 CA Proposed 15 hect.	14.9848	0	0	2	0	13
143		RF Janjli C6 CA Proposed 20 hect.	19.9800	0	11	1	0	8
144		RF Kather C2 CA Proposed	9.9901	0	0	0	0	10
145		RF Manal C2 10ha	9.9908	0	3	1	0	6
146		RF Manal C3 20ha	19.9861	0	0	2	0	18
147		RF Nigali C5,10Ha	9.9917	0	0	7	0	3
148		RF Sakholi C1,15Ha (1)	14.9852	0	0	4	0	11
149		RF Sakholi C2, 20Ha New	19.9955	0	0	2	2	16
150		RF Salag C4 15ha	14.9884	0	0	2	0	13
151		RF Sataun C1	14.9888	0	0	8	0	7
152		RF Sataun C3 15ha	6.9929	0	0	6	0	1

153		RF Sataun C3 15ha	7.9918	0	0	1	0	7
154		RF TATIYANA C-1 15 HECTARE C.A.	14.9913	0	8	0	0	7
Sub-total (N)			369.7341	0	38	69	11	251
155	Rohru	Harshal Tibba	9.1540	0	1	0	0	8
Sub-total (O)			9.1540	0	1	0	0	8
156	Solan	D-131 Mathan 5 ha.	5.0184	0	5	0	0	0
157		GCL NAUG 40 Ha. CA Proposed	39.9988	0	4	22	0	14
158		R-54 Kurar Dev C-1	10.0044	0	7	0	0	3
Sub-total (P)			55.0216	0	16	22	0	17
159	Theog	U-327 Nehra	4.4960	0	0	0	0	5
160		U-491 Bareli 10 Hac	10.0219	0	0	0	0	10
Sub-total (Q)			14.5179	0	0	0	0	15
161	Una	sarkaru beat	30.3700	0	21	9	0	1
Sub-total (R)			30.3700	0	21	9	0	1
162	WL Shimla	Jamu beat new bear boundary Dhanoi 18ha	17.9819	0	9	7	0	2
163		Jamu beat new bear boundary Dhanoi 7.3ha	7.2929	0	0	7	0	0
164		Jamu beat new beat boundary khalkyar 2ha	1.9982	0	0	1	0	1
165		Plantation_dhar_beat 8ha	7.9919	0	7	0	0	1
Sub-total (S)			35.2649	0	16	15	0	4
Total (A to S)			1840.8640	67	403	459	16	895

4. Three CA sites pair of Nahan Forest Division and one CA site pair of Rampur Forest Division is found overlapped. The details of overlapped CA sites is given below:





5. Legal status of proposed CA sites can not be verified due to unavailability of Recorded Forest Area (RF/PF) boundary for the State of Himachal Pradesh on DSS application.

Submitted please.

Shivani Sood
STA, DSS Cell (FC)
29.08.2024

Request for furnishing information in prescribed 12-point performa - reg

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To "FC Division MEFCC" <fcdiv-mefcc@gov.in>

Sir,

Please find attached letter for your kind reference and necessary action at your end.

Regards.

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दिनांक \Dated: 25th October, 2024

Office Memorandum

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(Kamal Jeet Singh)
Deputy Chief Executive Officer
National Authority

To

The Assistant Inspector General of Forests
Forest Conservation
MoEF&CC, Jor Bagh, New Delhi

PROFORMA FOR VERIFICATION OF DEPOSITS IN COMPENSATORY AFFORESTATION FUND

1.	Name of Regional Office						
2.	State/District/Forest Division to which the proposal relates						
3.	Name of User Agency, nature of proposal						
4.	Nature and category of proposal						
5.	Proposal number						
6.	Extent of forest area involved						
7.	Whether original or extension						
8.	If extension of lease, please clarify if proposal involves additional forest area and if so, specify						
9.	Date of 1 st Stage clearance						
10.	Extent of CAMPA charges, head wise viz.:						
	(a) Compensatory Afforestation						
	(b) Additional Compensatory Afforestation						
	(c) Penal Compensatory Afforestation						
	(d) Catchment Area Treatment						
	(e) Wildlife Management Plan						
	(f) Additional charges for diversion of area falling under notified/protected areas						
	(g) Net Present Value						
	(h) Any other charges/levies (Please specify)						
	Total						
11.	Whether payment made through challan or otherwise. In case of online payment, details of challan						
12.	Details of deposits						
S No.	Type of deposit {NPV/CA/ IWMP/ Others (specify)}	Whether by RTGS/DD/ NEFT (Specify)	UTR/ DD No.	Amount deposited (Rs.)	Date of deposit	Name of Bank from which amount transferred to account of CAF	Bank Account of CAF managed by CAMPA in which fund deposited

Date:
Place:

Signature of I/C, Regional Office
/Nodal Officer of the State