

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

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Dated: February, 2024

To,

The Principal Secretary (Forests),
Government of Madhya Pradesh,
Bhopal.

Subject: Diversion of 421.00 ha forest land under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for relocation of Village Bagcha from Kuno National Park, District - Sheopur, Madhya Pradesh State (Online No. FP/MP/REHAB/152389/2022) – regarding.

Madam/Sir,

I am directed to refer to the APCCF (LM)-cum-Nodal Officer (FCA), Government of Madhya Pradesh's letter no. F-5/1151/2022/10-11/859 dated 07.02.2024 on the above mentioned subject, forwarding the information on the compliance of conditions stipulated in the Stage-I approval dated 09.11.2022 and to say that examination of same revealed following shortcomings:

- i. In compliance of condition no. A (ii) of the Stage-1 approval, the copy of FRA certificate issued by District Collector for the area proposed for diversion has been submitted. However the State Govt. has not submitted the documentary evidence/certificate indicating the extent of Nistar/community rights in the area proposed to be vacated as required as per condition no. A (ii) which needs submission.
- ii. In compliance of condition no. A (iv) of the Stage-1 approval, the documentary evidence which shows that the State Govt. has initiated legal action for the eviction of said encroachments has not been submitted which needs submission.

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

Yours sincerely,

Signed by
Suneet Bhardwaj
Date: 14-02-2024 10:05:50

Sd/-
(Suneet Bhardwaj)
Assistant Inspector General of Forests

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1. The PCCF (HoFF), Department of Forest, Government of Madhya Pradesh, Bhopal;
2. The Dy. DGF (Central), Regional Office, MoEF&CC, Bhopal;
3. The Nodal Officer (FCA), Department of Forest, Government of Madhya Pradesh, Bhopal;
4. User Agency;
5. Monitoring Cell, FC Division, MoEF & CC, New Delhi for uploading on PARIVESH portal.