

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

Indira Paryavaran Bhawan,
Jor Bag Road, Aliganj,
New Delhi – 110003
Date: As per E-Sign

To,

The Dy. DGF (Central),
Regional Office,
MoEF&CC, Bhopal.

Subject: Proposal for seeking prior approval of the Central Government under Section 2 (1) (ii) of the Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 for diversion of 272.00 ha forest land for the construction of Kopra Medium Irrigation Project in favour of Water Resource Department under Sagar District of Madhya Pradesh State (Online No. FP/MP/IRRIG/143864/2021) - regarding.

Madam/Sir,

I am directed to refer to the APCCF-cum-Nodal Officer, Government of Madhya Pradesh letter No. F-3/100/2021/10-11/12/222 dated 16.01.2023 on the above mentioned subject seeking prior approval of the Central Government in accordance with Section-2 (1) (ii) of the Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 and to request that the Regional Office, Bhopal of this Ministry may kindly inspect the forest area proposed for diversion and land identified for Compensatory Afforestation (CA) and submit a detailed site inspection report (SIR) to this Ministry for further necessary action, at the earliest.

Yours sincerely,

Digitally signed by
SUNEET BHARDWAJ
Date: 10-03-2025
18:09:07

(Suneet Bhardwaj)
Assistant Inspector General of Forests

Copy to:

1. The Principal Secretary (Forests), Government of Madhya Pradesh, Bhopal;
2. The PCCF (HoFF), Department of Forest, Government of Madhya Pradesh, Bhopal;
3. The Nodal Officer, 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.