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Dated: As per e-Signature

To

The Deputy Director General of Forests (C)

Regional Office, Ministry of Environment Forest and Climate Change,
Chandigarh.

Subject: Proposal for seeking prior approval of the Central Government under Section 2 (1) of the Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 in favour of M/s. Jain Bamboo and Wood Works (Saw Mill), for non-forestry use of 0.0013 ha. of forest land for approach access road Situated at Village Bhunga on Hoshiarpur Road to Dasuya Road, Km 22-23 LHS, Tehsil Bhunga and under Forest Division and District Hoshiarpur, Punjab (FP/PB/Approach/146580/2021)- regarding.

Sir

I am directed to refer to the Government of Punjab's letter No. FOREST-FCA0FC3H/3/2022-FCA dated 15.02.2023 on the above mentioned subject, seeking prior approval of Central Government under Section 2 (1) of the Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980, and to say that the instant proposal involves violation of provisions of Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980. As per Rule 10 (4) of Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 the Site inspection for the instant proposal needs to be carried out by the concerned Regional Office.

In this regard, the DDGF (C) of Regional Office, Chandigarh, MoEFCC is requested to carry out the site inspection of area proposed for diversion and submit the detailed report along with recommendation to the Ministry for further consideration.

Yours faithfully,

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(S. Sundar)

Assistant Inspector General of Forests

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