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

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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. Raj Palace (Marriage Palace), for non-forestry use of 0.01034 ha. of forest land for approach road at Village Shergarh Cheema on Malerkotla to Raikot Road, Tehsil Ahmedgarh, under forest division and District Sangrur, Punjab (Online Proposal No. FP/PB/Approach/149381/2021)-regarding.

Sir

I am directed to refer to the Government of Punjab's letter No. FOREST-FCA0FC2S/7/2022-FCA dated 05.09.2022 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,

Sd-

(S. Sundar)

Assistant Inspector General of Forests

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