



**GOVERNMENT OF SIKKIM**  
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Ref. No.1779/FCA/FEWMD.525

Date 1/10/ 2021.

**COMPLIANCE REPORT**

To,

✓ The Inspector General of Forest cum Nodal Officer (FCA),  
 Integrated Regional Office,  
 Ministry of Env. Forests & Climate Change,  
 Government of India,  
 IB – 198, Sector-III, Salt Lake City  
 Kolkata - 700106.

SUB: Proposal for diversion of 0.0146 Ha of Forest Land for construction of cafeteria with facilities of toilet at Cho Lhamu Lake under Lachen Dzumsa in North Sikkim by Rural Management & Dev. Department, Govt. of Sikkim - Compliance report reg.

Ref. Letter No. 1797/FCA/F&ED/112-115 dated 27/01/2021.

Sir,

Pursuant to the conditions of the Stage I (In Principle) approval accorded for the aforesaid project proposal, the User Agency has fulfilled the compliance of conditions by transferring fund of Compensatory levies and furnished the requisite documents, which are as follows :-

Sl. No.	Conditions	Compliance
(1)	Legal Status of the forest land shall remain unchanged.	
(2)	Forest land will be handed over only after required non-forest for the project is handed over to the User Agency.	
(3)	Compensatory Afforestation shall be taken up by the Forest Department over 0.0292 ha degraded forest land identified at Yathang RF Lachen (T) Range under North (T) Division of North District at the cost of the user agency. As far as possible, a mixture of local indigenous species shall be planted and monoculture of any species may be avoided.	Complied with.
(4)	The Cost of Compensatory Afforestation at the prevailing wage rates as per compensatory afforestation scheme shall be deposited in the Compensatory Afforestation Fund in Sikkim State through E-portal. The CA will be maintained for 10 years. The scheme may include appropriate provision for anticipated cost increase for works schedule for subsequent years.	Complied and deposited Rs. 4,431.00 vide Cheque No. 053334 Dt: 14.09.2021
(5)	The user agency shall transfer the payment for Net Present Value (NPV) for the forest land diverted under this proposal from the User Agency as per the Judgment of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India dated 30.10.2002, 01.08.2003, 28.03.2008, 24.04.2008 & 09.05.2008 in IA No.566 in WP (C) No.202/1995 and as per the guideline issued by the Ministry vide letter No. 5-1/1998-FC (Pt. II) dated 18.09.2003, as well as letter No. 5-3/2006-FC dated 03.10.2006 and 5-3/2007-FC dated 05.02.2009. The requisite funds shall be transferred through e-portal.	Complied and deposited Rs. 10,205.00 vide Cheque No. 053334 Dt: 14.09.2021
(6)	Additional amount of the Net Present Value of the diverted forest land, if any, becoming due after finalization of the same by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India on receipt of the report from the Expert Committee, shall be charged by the State Govt. from the User Agency. The User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to this effect	The user agency has already furnished undertaking.
(7)	All the above funds under the project towards compensatory levies (CA and NPV, etc) shall be transferred/deposited to Compensatory Afforestation Fund in Sikkim State through e-portal mode.	Complied with.

(8)	The boundary of the diverted forest land shall be suitably demarcated on ground at the project cost, as per the directions of the concerned Divisional Forest Officer.	Complied with.
(9)	The User Agency shall deposit the cost for felling, logging and transportation of project affected trees at the rates approved by the State Govt. for utilization immediately following the diversion of forest land, if any.	Complied with.
(10)	The expenditure like boundary walls, stone pillars, demarcation charges, cost of damage of trees, the funds on these accounts should, be deposited with the DFO concerned.	Complied with.
(11)	The User Agency shall restrict the felling of trees to minimum number in the diverted forest land and the trees shall be felled under the strict supervision of the State Forest Department and the cost of felling of trees shall be deposited by the User Agency with the State Forest Department.	Complied with.
(12)	The complete compliance of the FRA, 2006 shall be ensured by way of prescribed certificate from the concerned District Collector.	Complied with.
(13)	The User Agency shall obtain the Environmental Clearance under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, if applicable	Complied with.
(14)	The layout of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Central Government.	Complied with.
(15)	No labour camp shall be established on the forest land.	Complied with.
(16)	Sufficient Firewood, preferably the alternate fuel, shall be provided by the User Agency to the labourers after purchasing the same from the State Forest Department or the Forest Development Corporation or any other legal source of alternate fuel.	Complied with.
(17)	The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the project proposal.	Complied with.
(18)	The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agencies, department or person without prior approval of Govt. of India.	Complied with.
(19)	Violation of any these conditions will amount to violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and the action would be taken as per the MoEF & CC Guidelines F No. 11-42/2017-FC dated 29/01/2018.	Complied with.
(20)	Any other condition that the North Eastern Regional Office, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change may stipulate from time to time in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forests & wildlife.	Complied with.
(21)	The compliance report shall be uploaded on e-portal ( <a href="https://parivesh.nic.in/">https://parivesh.nic.in/</a> )	

Therefore, in view of fulfillment of above conditions by the User Agency, the Compliance Report is hereby submitted for kind consideration for according Final Approval under Section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act. 1980, please.

Yours faithfully,



*(Signature)*  
 (D. Manjunatha, IFS),  
 CF-cum-Nodal Officer (FCA)  
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 Forests & Env. Deptt.  
 Govt. of Sikkim, Gangtok

Information to be furnished about transmission of funds to CAMPA

1	Name of the User Agency and the Project	Rural Management & Dev. Department, Govt. of Sikkim - construction of cafeteria with facilities of toilet at Cho Lhamu Lake under Lachen Dzumsa in North Sikkim
2	Location of forest area diverted (State/Dist/Taluk/Village) Pl. also give log/lat details. If available.	North Districts of Sikkim
3	Extent of forest area applied for, for diversion	0.0146 Ha
4	Extent of forest area approved for diversion	0.0146 Ha
5	State Govt. reference No. & date under which the proposal was forwarded (pl. attach a copy of the forwarding letter, copy of enclosures not required)	No. 1797/FCA/F&ED/112-115 dated 27/01/2021
6	No. and date of Stage-I clearance (pl. attach copy)	No. SK B 078/2019-SHI/994-95 dated 1 <sup>th</sup> July 2020
7	No. and date of Stage-II clearance (pl. attach copy)	
8	Details of compensatory afforestation funds viz:	
	(i) Details of Compensatory Afforestation Fund.	Rs. 4,431.00
	(ii) Additional Compensatory Afforestation Fund.	0
	(iii) Penal Compensatory Afforestation Fund.	0
	(iv) Catchment Area Treatment Plan Fund.	0
	(v) Fund for Protected Area.	0
	(vi) Net Present Value.	Rs. 10,205.00
	(vii) Any other charges levied (pl. specify)	0
	(viii) TOTAL OF (i) to (viii)	Rs. 14,636.00
9	Date of collection of fund as in Sl. No. above, with:	14.09.2021
	(i) Authority by whom collected:	Sikkim CAMPA
	(ii) Details of Bank Draft/Cheque (DD/Cheque No. & date or RTGS/NEFT No.) Bank in which drawn, and in whose favour the instrument was drawn.	Corporation Bank, Lodhi Branch, Block No. 11, CGO Complex, Phase - I, Lodhi Road, New Delhi - 110 003.
	(iii) Date of remittance to Govt. account, indicating Account No., Bank and Branch details.	14.09.2021
10	Details of remittance of funds as in Col. 8 above to CAMPA, indicating:	CA - Rs 4,431.00 NPV - Rs 10,205.00 Total - Rs. 14,636.00
	(i) Authority by whom remitted;	CF-cum-Nodal Officer (FCA)
	(ii) Bank, Branch to which remitted;	Corporation Bank, Lodhi Branch, Block No. 11, CGO Complex, Phase - I, Lodhi Road, New Delhi - 110 003.
	(iii) Mode of remittance (Draft/Pay Order/RTGS) with full particulars, including amount and date of remittance.	NEFT/RTGS CHALLAN for Ad hoc CAMPA on 14.09.2021 CA - Rs 4,431.00 NPV - Rs 10,205.00 Total - Rs. 14,636.00
11	Out of the remittance as indicated in Col. 10 above pl. give head-wise (CA/ACA/PCA/CAT etc.) funds towards principal funds collected, and interest thereon remitted to the Centre.	NEFT/RTGS CHALLAN for Ad hoc CAMPA on 14.09.2021 CA - Rs 4,431.00 NPV - Rs 10,205.00 Total - Rs. 14,636.00
12	Any other details.	Copy of Challan is enclosed for ready reference.

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