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सेवा में.

अति० मुख्य सचिव, पर्यावरण, वन एवं जलवायु परिवर्तन विभाग, उत्तर प्रदेश शासन, बाप भवन, लखनऊ।

ऑनलाईन प्रस्ताव संख्या- FP/UP/Others/29655/2017

विषयः जनपद बाराबंकी में अखिल भारतीय तकनीकी शिक्षा परिषद नई दिल्ली द्वारा स्वीकृत एवं उत्तर प्रदेश प्राविधिक विश्वविद्यालय लखनऊ द्वारा मान्यता प्राप्त शेरवुड कालेज ऑफ इंजीनियरिंग रिसर्च एवं टेक्नोलॉजी के मार्ग निर्माण हेत् वन (संरक्षण) अधिनियम 1980 के Ex-post Facto के अन्तर्गत लखनऊ-फैजाबाद मार्ग पर किमी0 18-19 के मध्य दांयी पटरी पर 0.063404 हे0 संरक्षित वनभूमि के बिना वृक्ष पातन के गैरवानिकी प्रयोग की अनुमति के सम्बन्ध में।

संदर्भः सचिव (वन), उत्तर प्रदेष शासन का पत्रांक 2294/81-2-2023-800(02)/2021, दिनांक 16.08.2023

महोदय,

कृपया उपरोक्त विषयक सचिव (वन), उत्तर प्रदेष शासन के पत्रांक पी-5/81-2-2020-800(02)/2021, दिनांक 18.02.2021 का आशय ग्रहण करने का कष्ट करें, जिसके द्वारा विषयांकित प्रस्ताव पर वन (संरक्षण) अधिनियम, 1980 की धारा (2) के अन्तर्गत भारत सरकार की स्वीकृति मांगी थी।

प्रकरण को दिनांक 08.11.2023 को आहूत की गई क्षेत्रीय सषक्त समिति (REC) की बैठक में (REC Agenda item 11.1-UP) षामिल किया गया था। क्षेत्रीय सषक्त समिति (REC) के निर्णायानुसार प्रकरण को स्वीकृति हेतु मंत्रालय प्रेषित किया गया था, जिसपर मंत्रालय, नई दिल्ली ने प्रकरण को स्वीकृति प्रदान की है। मुझे आपको यह सूचित करने का निर्देष हुआ है कि केन्द्र सरकार जनपद बाराबंकी में अखिल भारतीय तकनीकी शिक्षा परिषद नई दिल्ली द्वारा स्वीकृत एवं उत्तर प्रदेश प्राविधिक विश्वविद्यालय लखनऊ द्वारा मान्यता प्राप्त शेरवुड कालेज ऑफ इंजीनियरिंग रिसर्च एवं टेक्नोलॉजी के मार्ग निर्माण हेतु वन (संरक्षण) अधिनियम 1980 के Ex-post Facto के अन्तर्गत लखनऊ-फैजाबाद मार्ग पर किमी० 18-19 के मध्य दांयी पटरी पर 0.063404 हे0 संरक्षित वनभूमि के बिना वृक्ष पातन के गैरवानिकी प्रयोग की सैद्धांतिक स्वीकृति निम्नलिखित शर्तों पर प्रदान करती है:--

- 1. Legal status of the forest land shall remain unchanged.
- 2. Compensatory afforestation shall be taken up by the Forest Department in an area of 0.126808 ha. Degraded Forest Land in Jaidpur Forest Block, Tehsil Nawabganj, District Barabanki at the cost of the User Agency. As far as practicable a mixture of local indigenous species will be planted and monoculture of a species has to be avoided.
- 3. The cost of compensatory afforestation at the prevailing wage rates as per compensatory afforestation scheme and the cost of survey, demarcation and erection of permanent pillars if required on the CA land shall be deposited in advance with the Forest Department by the project authority. The CA plantation will be maintained for 10 years. The scheme may include appropriate provision for anticipated cost increase for works scheduled for subsequent years.
- 4. The State Government shall charge the Net Present Value (NPV) for the 0.063404 ha. forest area to be diverted under this proposal from the User Agency as per the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India dated 30/10/2002, 01/08/2003, 28/03/2008, 24/04/2008 and 09/05/2008 in IA No. 566 in WP (C) No. 202/1995 and as per the guidelines issued by the Ministry vide letters No. 5-1/1998-FC (Pt.II) dated 18/09/2003, as well as letter No. 5-2/2006-FC dated 03/10/2006 and 5-3/2007-FC dated 05/02/2009.

Revised amount of NPV as applicable as per orders dated 06-01-2022 and 19-01-2022 shall be deposited by User Agency in this regard.

- 5. Additional amount of the NPV 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 Government from the User Agency. The User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to this effect.
- 6. DFO to be authorized to file a case in competent court for violation of FCA as per MoEF&CC guidelines dated 15.05.2023.
- 7. Action should be initiated against forest officials for not being able to prevent use of forest land for non forestry purpose without prior approval of Central Govt., and status report be submitted by Govt. of UP within 15 days.
- 8. 5 time penal NPV since date of violation will be applicable.
- 9. Disciplinary against the erring staff will be completed before issuance of State-ii in the matter.
- 10. Separator island has to be maintained as Green Belt, in consultation with DFO. Green belt plan on separator island shall be approved by DFO, ensuring appropriate site specific species. Green belt plan shall also include species to be planted on the periphery of retail outlets and service road, if applicable. Green plan in respect of Separator island/entry & exit /service road as applicable and duly approved by DFO be submitted along with compliance report.
- 11. The complete compliance of the FRA, 2006 shall be ensured by way of prescribed certificate from the concerned District Collector.
- 12. User Agency shall obtain Environmental Clearance as per the provisions of the Environmental (Protection) Act, 1986, if applicable.
- 13. The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without prior approval of Central Government.
- 14. No labour camp shall be established on the forest land.
- 15. Sufficient firewood, preferably the alternate fuel, shall be provided by the User Agency to the labourer after purchasing the same from the State Forest Department or the Forest Development Corporation or any other legal source of alternate fuel.
- 16. 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.
- 17. No additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for transportation of construction materials for execution of the project work.
- 18. The period of diversion under this approval shall be co-terminus with the period of lease to be granted in favour of the user agency or the project life, whichever is less.
- 19. The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the project proposal.
- 20. 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.
- 21. The KML file of area proposed for diversion and area proposed for plantation shall be uploaded on the E-Green watch portal with all requisite details before commencement of works.
- 22. The violation of any of the conditions stipulated under this approval will be liable to the cognizance and appropriate action under MoEFCC rules and Guidelines as applicable, specifically MoEFCC Guidelines dated 15/05/2023, authorizing officers of the rank of Divisional Forest Officer (DFO)/Deputy Conservator of Forests (DCF) and above of the State Government or Union territory Administration concerned, having jurisdiction over the forest land in respect of which any offence under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 is committed or violation of the provisions of the said Act has been made, to file complaints against such

- person/authority/organization, prima-facie found guilty of offence under the Act or the violation of the rules made thereunder, in the court having jurisdiction in the matter.
- 23. Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and action would be taken as per the MoEF&CC Guideline F. No. 11-42/2017-FC dt 29/01/2018.
- 24. Any other condition that the Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change may stipulate from time to time in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forests & wildlife.
- 25. All the funds received from the user agency under the project shall be transferred/deposited to CAMPA fund only through e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in/).
- 26. The compliance report shall be uploaded on e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in/).

After receipt of compliance report on fulfillment of all of the above conditions from the State Government, proposal will be considered for final approval under Section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, by this office.

The order for transfer of forest land to user agency shall not be issued by the State Government till final approval order for diversion of forest land is issued by Government of India.

भवदीय.

(डॉ० प्रणय मिश्रा) सहायक वन महानिरीक्षक किन्द्रीय

प्रतिलिपि (ईमेल द्वारा):

- 1. प्रधान मुख्य वन संरक्षक(हॉफ), वन विभाग, 17, राणा प्रताप मार्ग, लखनऊ, उ०प्र०।
- मुख्य वन संरक्षक(वन संरक्षण) एवं नोडल अधिकारी, 17, राणा प्रताप मार्ग, लखनऊ, उ०प्र०।
- 3. प्रभागीय निदेषक, सा0वा0 प्रभाग, बाराबंकी।
- 4. ,निदेषक, शेरवुड कॉलेज ऑफ इंजीनियरिंग रिसर्च एण्ड टेक्नोलॉजी, धरसनिया, जनपद—बाराबंकी।

पर्यावरण, वन एंव जलवायु परिवर्तन मंत्रालय को वेबसाइट पर अपलोडिंग हेतु/आदेश पत्रावली।

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