

**No. 7-5/3-FD/585/44
Administration of
Dadra & Nagar Haveli,
Department of Environment,
Forests and Wildlife,
Secretariat, Silvassa.**

Date: 03.05.2018.

To,

The Executive Engineer,
PWD-III, Irrigation Division,
Dadra & Nagar Haveli,
Silvassa.

Subject : Diversion of 0.237 Ha. of Reserved Forest land for construction of approach road from Dudhani-Ruipada main road to Tokerpada in the UT of Dadra & Nagar Haveli.

- Reference :
- i) Ministry of Environment & Forests letter No. 11-9/98-FC dated 16.10.2000.
 - ii) Ministry of Environment & Forests letter No. 11-9/98-FC dated 31.10.2001.
 - iii) Ministry of Environment & Forests letter No. 11-9/98-FC dated 23.12.2002.
 - iv) Ministry of Environment & Forests letter No. 11-9/98-FC dated 19.09.2003.
 - v) Ministry of Environment & Forests letter No. 11-9/98-FC dated 21.11.2005.
 - vi) Ministry of Environment & Forests letter No. 11-9/98-FC dated 08.04.2009.
 - vii) Ministry of Environment & Forests letter No. 11-09/98-FC dated 07.11.2014.
 - viii) Ministry of Environment & Forests letter No. 11-09/98-FC dated 07.09.2015.

Sir,

As per the powers conferred under referenced above by the Ministry of Environment and Forests, New Delhi the request of the Executive Engineer, PWD-III (Irrigation Division) DNH, Silvassa for diversion of 0.237 Ha. of Reserved Forest land for construction of approach road from Dudhani-Ruipada main road to Tokerpada in the U.T. of Dadra & Nagar Haveli is considered and **In-principle approval** is accorded subject to the following conditions:-

- i) The legal status of the forest land shall remain unchanged i.e. shall remain Reserve / Protected / Village / other types of forests / forest as the case may be.
- ii) No felling of tree shall be involved in the implementation of the proposal.
- iii) Compensatory Afforestation shall be taken up by the Forest Department at the cost of the user agency and the same shall be maintained for 10 years. Only indigenous forest tree species shall be used for such plantations. Trees, if planted on the diverted area, will not be felled without the permission of the Forest department DNH.


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- iv The User agency shall pay the Net Present Value (NPV) of the diverted forest land at the rates stipulated by the Ministry of Environment and Forests from time to time.
- v 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 U.T. Administration of Dadra & Nagar Haveli from the User Agency. The User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to this effect.
- vi The User agency shall seek permission from the Forest Department, DNH for carrying out any maintenance;
- vii The User agency shall be responsible for any loss to the flora / fauna in the surroundings and therefore, shall take all possible measures to conserve the same.
- viii The User Agency shall obtain the Environmental Clearance before issue of formal order, if applicable.
- ix All statutory provisions under various Acts, Rule there under and guidelines applicable to this project shall be strictly adhered to.
- x All the fund received from the User Agency under the project shall be transferred to the Ad-hoc Compensatory Afforestation Fund Management & Planning Agency (CAMPA) in Saving Bank A/c. No. SB01025204 (CAF D&NH) in Corporation Bank, Lodhi Complex New Delhi- 110003.
- xi The User Agency has to pay ₹ 2,22,543/- (Rupees Two lakh, Twenty-two thousand, five hundred and forty-three only) towards Net Present Value of land and ₹ 2,92,614/- (Rupees Two lakh, Ninety-two thousand, six hundred and fourteen only) towards Compensatory Afforestation including maintenance for 10 years.
- xii The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the proposal.

You are therefore, requested to deposit ₹ 5,15,157/- (Rupees: Five lakh, fifteen thousand, one hundred and fifty-seven only) through **Online mode** in favour of Compensatory Afforestation Fund (CAF) Dadra & Nagar Haveli and copy of the proof/evidence may be submitted to this office. The User Agency shall adhere to all the conditions indicated above.

The formal order for diversion of forest land to User Agency will be issued after above conditions are complied. In no case the work shall be started without a formal order from this office.

Yours faithfully


**Chief Conservator of Forests/
Nodal Officer
Dadra & Nagar Haveli
Silvassa**

Copy fd.wc.s to the Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests(C), Ministry of Environment and Forests, Western Regional Office, Kendriya Paryavaran Bhavan, Link Road No. 3, E-5 Area Colony, Bhopal - 462 016 (M.P.).

Copy to the Deputy Conservator of Forests (T), Dadra & Nagar Haveli, Silvassa for information and necessary action.