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क्रमांक 6-एमपीबी033/2022-बीएचओ/
प्रति,

दिनांक: 07/05/2025

प्रधान सचिव (वन)
मध्यप्रदेश शासन,
वल्लभ भवन, भोपाल ।

विषय: सतना एवं सीधी जिले में आवागमन एवं परिवहन हेतु हिनौती-मझगंवा मार्ग निर्माण हेतु (0.410 हे. सतना वनमण्डल एवं 0.360 हे. सीधी वनमण्डल) कुल 0.770 हेक्टेयर आरक्षित वनभूमि वरिष्ठ महाप्रबंधक, कार्यालय अल्ट्राटेक सीमेंट लिमिटेड, सीधी को उपयोग पर देने बाबत (FP/MP/ROAD/41616/20219).

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the PCCF (LM) and Nodal Officer, Govt. of Madhya Pradesh letter nos. F-5/1128/2022/10-11/3528 dated 14/10/2022 and 3928 dated 29/08/2023, wherein prior approval of Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change for diversion of 0.770 ha Reserved Forest land (0.410 ha Satna Forest Division & 0.360 ha Sidhi Forest Division) for construction of Hinauti-Majhigawan road in favour of Senior General Manager, Ultratech Cement Limited in Satna & Sidhi Districts of Madhya Pradesh, was sought in accordance with Section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980. After due consideration of the proposal of the State Government, the 'in-principle' approval of the Central Government for diversion of the said forest land was accorded vide this office letter dated 09/10/2023 subject to fulfillment of certain conditions. The APCCF (LM), Govt. of Madhya Pradesh vide their letter no. F-1128/2022/10-11/1038 dated 29/03/2025 have furnished compliance report in respect of the relevant conditions stipulated in the in-principle approval for grant of final approval.

In this connection, on the basis of the compliance report under reference and confirmation of receipt of compensatory levies from National Authority of CAMPA dated 28/11/2023 & 27/03/2025, the **final approval** of the Central Government under Section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 is hereby accorded for diversion of 0.770 ha Reserved Forest land (0.410 ha in Satna Forest Division & 0.360 ha in Sidhi Forest Division) for construction of Hinauti-Majhigawan road in favour of Senior General Manager, Ultratech Cement Limited in Satna & Sidhi Districts of Madhya Pradesh, subject to the following conditions and stipulations:-

- (1) Legal status of the forest land diverted shall remain unchanged.
- (2) Compensatory afforestation shall be taken up by the Forest Department over **1.520 ha degraded-forest land at Compartment No. P-933 (Coupe No. IX), Forest Range- Bahri, District- Sidhi** at the cost of the user agency. As far as

possible, a mixture of local native species shall be planted and monoculture of any species, especially non-native species shall be avoided.

- (3) The State Government shall ensure that compliance of Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 has been completed in accordance with the relevant Rules and Guidelines issued by the MoEF&CC, GoI in this regard.
- (4) User Agency shall restrict the felling of trees up to the **43 enumerated numbers or any minimum number** in the diverted forest land and they shall be felled under the strict supervision of the State Forest Department or the cost of felling of trees shall be deposited by the User Agency with the State Forest Department and the State Forest Department shall undertake the fellings.
- (5) *Backlog of CA shall be cleared in this plantation season and a report submitted to this office.*
- (6) *User agency shall raise plantation on both sides and central verge of the road as per the IRC norms.*
- (7) *Speed regulating signages will be erected all along the road at regular intervals in the Protected Areas/ Forest Areas ▯*
- (8) The User Agency shall obtain Environmental Clearance as per the provisions of the Environmental (Protection) Act, 1986, if applicable.
- (9) Boundary of the diverted forest land shall be demarcated on the ground at the project cost, as per the directions of the concerned DFO.
- (10) Layout plan of the proposed diversion of the forest land shall not be changed without prior approval of the Central Government.
- (11) No additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for execution of the project work.
- (12) No labour camp shall be established inside the forest land.
- (13) The User Agency shall provide alternate fuels preferably LPG to the labourers and staff working at the site so as to prevent any damage and pressure on the nearby forests.
- (14) The diverted forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the project proposal.
- (15) The period of diversion under this approval shall be co-terminus with the project life.
- (16) The diverted forest land shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agencies, department or person without prior approval of the Central Government.
- (17) The User Agency shall provide suitable under/ over passes in Protected/ Forest Areas as per recommendation of CWLW/ NBWL, if applicable.
- (18) The User Agency and the State Government shall ensure compliance to provisions of all the Acts, Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, Hon'ble Court Order(s) and National Green Tribunal Order(s) pertaining to this project, if any, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project.

- (19) Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of the 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.
- (20) **All the conditions of Stage-I approval dated 09/10/2023 shall be strictly complied.**
- (21) Any other condition that the Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change may stipulate from time to time in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forests and wildlife.

As has been mentioned at Para-2 of the Stage-II approval, this approval for diversion of forest land is subject to the fulfillment of stipulated conditions mentioned in this approval letter. Therefore, in the event of non-compliance of any of the conditions laid out in this approval letter, the Regional Office of Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change may withdraw the said approval for diversion of the forest land and stop all the non-forestry activities being carried out in the forest land besides initiating legal action as per provisions of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.

This has been issued with the approval of the Competent Authority.

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सहा. वनमहानिरीक्षक (केन्द्रीय)

प्रतिलिपि:

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