संघ शासित प्रदेश दादरा एवं नगर हवेली, दमन एवं दीव Administration of Dadra & Nagar Haveli, Daman, Diu (U.T.) मुख्य वन संरक्षक का कार्यालय Office of the Chief Conservator of Forests दमन/Daman.

F. No. 7-5/3-FD/629/05

Date: **6**April, 2023

- (i) This office In-principle approval Letter No. 7-5/3-FD/634/29 dated 27th June, 2019 issued by the U.T. Administration of Dadra & Nagar Haveli, Silvassa.
- (ii) This office Letter No. 7-5/3-FD/634/108 dated 24th February, 2022 issued by the U.T. Administration of Dadra & Nagar Haveli, Silvassa.

ORDER

In pursuance of the In-Principle approval given above for Widening of Existing 4 lane to 6 lane road stretch on Silvassa - Naroli main road under beautification and strengthening of road including upgradation of Strom water Drain etc, the User Agency (Executive Engineer, PWD Civil Division No. II (Road), D&NH, Silvassa) has complied with all the conditions stipulated in the In-principle approval. The User Agency (Executive Engineer, PWD Civil Division No. II (Road), D&NH, Silvassa) has deposited ₹ 21,93,061/- (Rupees: Twenty One Lakh Ninety Three Thousand Sixty One only) as per the demand note issued vide letter No. 7-5/3-FD/634/108 dated 24th February, 2023 towards Compensatory Afforestation and Net Present Value of the land. The undersigned on behalf of the U.T. Administration of Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu is hereby pleased to issue the Stage - II clearance (Formal Order) to the User Agency (Executive Engineer, PWD Civil Division No. II (Road), D&NH, Silvassa) to use 0.772 hect. of Protected Forests land for Widening of Existing 4 lane to 6 lane road stretch on Silvassa - Naroli main road under beautification and strengthening of road including upgradation of Strom water Drain etc. in the Union Territory of Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu as indicated in the application and the map enclosed alongwith application, 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 The Project should not involve felling of more than 50 (Fifty) trees as per enumeration list, if required.
- 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 State Forest department.

- iv 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.
- v The User agency shall seek permission from local Forest Department for carrying out any maintenance;
- vi All statutory provisions under various Acts, Rule there under and guidelines applicable to this project shall be strictly adhered to.
- vii The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the proposal.
- viii 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.
- ix Proposed labour camps outside the forest area to be dismantled and removed. The labourers shall be sent back immediately after the completion of work.

(M. Rajkumar, IFS) Chief Conservator of Forests / Nodal officer Dadra Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu Daman

To,

The Executive Engineer, PWD Civil Division No. II (Road), Dadra & Nagar Haveli, Silvassa.

Copy to:-

- 1. The Deputy Inspector General of Forests (IRO), Ministry of Environment and Forests, Western Regional Office, Aranya Bhawan, Near CH-3 Circle, Sector 10A, Gandhinagar, Gujarat for kind information please.
- 2. The Conservator of Forests, Dadra & Nagar Haveli and Daman and Diu for information please.
- 3. The Deputy Conservator of Forests, Territorial, Dadra & Nagar Haveli for information.
- 4. The Deputy Conservator of Forests, Wildlife, Dadra & Nagar Haveli for information.
- 5. The Range Forest Officer, Northern Range for information and necessary action.