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✓ To,

The Principal Secretary (Forests),
Government of Chhattisgarh,
Forest Department, Mantralaya,
Mahanadi Bhawan, New Raipur (CG).

Sub: Diversion of 12.899 ha of forest land in favour of CAF, Narayanpur, Chhattisgarh for Construction of 16th B.N. (I.R.) C.A.F. Head Quarter Establishment under Forest Conservation Act, 1980 in Narayanpur District in the State of Chhattisgarh - Regarding.

Sir,

The undersigned is directed to refer to State Government of Chhattisgarh's letter no. F-5-13/2019/10-2 dated 11.09.2019 on the above subject seeking prior approval of the Central Government under Section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and to say that preliminary scrutiny of the proposal in the Regional Office (WCZ), MoEF&CC revealed following:

- Project layout map conspicuously depicting component wise breakup of the area required for diversion has not been submitted. The same should have been submitted clearly depicting all project components.
- Original Part- I mentioning the name of the signing authority and Date of submission is not submitted along with the proposal.
- Details on employment potential likely to be generated in terms of Skilled, Semi-skilled and Unskilled persons/ mandays (permanent and temporary) by implementation of the project is not submitted by the User Agency. The same shall be provided by the User Agency.
- As per para 4.4.4 of the handbook issued by the MoEF & CC, all such proposals involving Forest land more than 5 ha. are to be placed before the Committee constituted by the State Government under that para. It is therefore requested to furnish the copy of the order of the State Government appointing such Committee.

In view of the above, I am directed to request the State Government to submit information on the shortcomings, as indicated above, to this Ministry for further consideration of the proposal for approval under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.

Yours faithfully,

(Karthik, M.L.)

Technical Officer

Copy to:

- The PCCF, Government of Chhattisgarh, Raipur.
- The Nodal Officer (FCA), O/o PCCF, Government of Chhattisgarh, Raipur.
- Commandant, 16th BN (I/R) Chhattisgarh Armed Force, Narayanpur, Chhattisgarh.
- Guard file.

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(Karthik, M.L.)

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