कार्यालय प्रधान मुख्य वन संरक्षक (कक्ष-भू प्रबंध), वन भवन, मध्यप्रदेश, भोपाल

सी-ब्लॉक, द्वितीय तल, लिंक रोड नं.-2, तुलसी नगर, भोपाल-462003

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प्रति,

परियोजना प्रशासक. मोरंड गंजाल एवं होशंगाबाद बैराज, पी.आई.यू. सिवनी मालावा, जिला नर्मदापुरम, मध्यप्रदेश।

विषय:-जिला होशंगाबाद, बैतूल, हरदा एवं खण्डवा के अन्तर्गत मोरण्ड-गंजाल सिंचाई परियोजना के निर्माण हेतु 2250.05 हे0 वनभूमि नर्मदा घाटी विकास प्राधिकरण को उपयोग पर देने बाबत् । (FP/MP/IRRIG/36231/2018)

संदर्भ:-भारत सरकार, पर्यावरण वन एवं जलवायु परिवर्तन मंत्रालय, इंदिरा पर्यावरण भवन, अलीगंज, जोरबाग रोड़, नई दिल्ली का पत्र क्र. 8-16/2023-FC दिनांक 27.11.2023

विषयांतर्गत संदर्भित पत्र (छायाप्रति संलग्न है) का अवलोकन करें। भारत सरकार द्वारा संदर्भित पत्र से प्रकरण में अतिरिक्त निम्नलिखित बिन्दुओं की जानकारी चाही गई है :-

- In order to have actual assessment of theno. of trees involved in the project, the species wise and girth class wise complete enumeration of the trees falling in proposed diversion area shall be
- ii. Keeping in view the fact that the area proposed for diversion and submergence is quite large and is located in a landscape which is part of an active wildlife corridor i.e., Satpura-Melghat Tiger corridor, the execution of the project may lead to habitat fragmentation and cause obstruction in the corridor. Therefore, a study of the possible impacts of the project on the Biodiversity and Wildlife by Wildlife Institute of India which shall be submitted along with the specific recommendation from the CWLW and State Govt.
- iii. The State shall submit the recommendations/comments of National Tiger Conservation Authority (NTCA) on the instant proposal.
- iv. Keeping in view the fact that the area is within Satpura-Melghat Tiger Corridor, the State shall take necessary action as per rules to seek the requisite recommendations of NBWL/SBWL.
- The complete CA scheme, along with relevant documents, revenue record, maps and KML files for the total non-forest land proposed for Compensatory Afforestation shall be submitted. The State shall ensure that the proposed area is free from all encumbrances.

अतः भारत सरकार के संदर्भित पत्र से चाहे अनुसार जानकारी तैयार कर 02 प्रतियों मे इस

कार्यालय को प्रस्तुत करें। संलग्नः-उपरोक्तानुसार।

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अपर प्रधान मुख्य वन संरक्षक (भू-प्रबंध)

मध्यप्रदेश, भोपाल भोपाल, दिनांक 3 >-11-23

पृ. क्रमांक / एफ-3 / 16 / 2018 / 10-11 / \$ 162 प्रतिलिपि:-

1. मुख्य वन संरक्षक, (क्षेत्रीय) वृत्त होशंगाबाद / वृत्त खण्डवा / वृत्त बैतूल, मध्यप्रदेश।

2. वनमंडलाधिकारी, सामान्य वन मण्डल, हरदा/होशंगाबाद/खण्डवा/उत्तर बैतूल/ पश्चिम बैतूल / जबलपुर, मध्यप्रदेश।

की ओर संदर्भित पत्र की छायाप्रति आवश्यक कार्यवाही हेतु संलग्न अग्रेषित। संलग्नः-उपरोक्तानुसार।

> अपर प्रधान मुख्य वन सेंरक्षक (भू-प्रबंध) मध्यप्रदेश. भोपाल

Government of India Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (Forest Conservation Division)

Indira Paryavaran Bhawan, Jor Bag Road, Aliganj, New Delhi - 110003

Dated: November, 2023

To,

The Principal Secretary (Forests), Government of Madhya Pradesh, Bhopal.

Subject: Diversion of 2250.05 ha (instead of 2272.05 ha) forest land for construction of Morand - Ganjal Irrigation Project located in Hoshangabad, Betul, Harda and Khandwa Districts of Madhya Pradesh State in favour of M/s Narmada Valley Development Authority (Online No. FP/MP/IRRIG/36231/2018) - regarding.

Madam/Sir,

I am directed to refer to the Government of Madhya Pradesh's letter No. F-3/16/2018/10- 11/1667 dated 26.04.2023 forwarding a proposal to obtain prior approval of the Central Government, in terms of the Section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and to say that the said proposal was placed before the Advisory Committee (AC) in its meeting held on 14.11.2023. The minutes of the meeting of the AC may kindly be seen at www.parivesh.nic.in. After detailed deliberation on the matter, the Committee deferred the proposal for non forest use of 2250.05 ha forest land for construction of Morand - Ganjal Irrigation Project for want of following information:

- i. In order to have actual assessment of the no. of trees involved in the project, the species wise and girth class wise complete enumeration of the trees falling in proposed diversion area shall be submitted.
- ii. Keeping in view the fact that the area proposed for diversion and submergence is quite large and is located in a landscape which is part of an active wildlife corridor i.e., Satpura-Melghat Tiger corridor, the execution of the project may lead to habitat fragmentation and cause obstruction in the corridor. Therefore, a study of the possible impacts of the project on the Biodiversity and Wildlife by Wildlife Institute of India which shall be submitted along with the specific recommendation from the CWLW and State Govt.
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v. The complete CA scheme, along with relevant documents, revenue record, maps and KML files for the total non-forest land proposed for Compensatory Afforestation shall be submitted. The State shall ensure that the proposed area is free from all encumbrances.

In view of the above, the Government of Madhya Pradesh is requested to furnish the information as above for further consideration of the proposal.

Yours sincerely,

Signed by Suneet Bhardwaj Date: 27-11-2023 20:20:05 Reason: Approved

Sd/-

(Suneet Bhardwaj)

Assistant Inspector General of Forests

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1. The PCCF (HoFF), Department of Forest, Government of Madhya Pradesh, Bhopal;

2. The Dy. DGF (Central), Regional Office, MoEF&CC, Bhopal;

3. The Nodal Officer (FCA), Department of Forest Government of Madhya Pradesh, Bhopal;

4. User Agency;

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