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दिनांक:

/1/2022

सेवा में,

नोडल अधिकारी-सह-अतिरिक्त प्रधान मुख्य अरण्यपाल (एफ.सी.ए.) हिमाचल प्रदेश सरकार, वन विभाग, टालैण्ड, शिमला। (Email: <u>nodalfcahp@yahoo.com)</u>

विषय: Diversion of 2.358 ha of forest land in favour of HPPWD, for the construction of motorable link road from Daballa Danga to Chambar (Kms 0/00 to 3/700), within the jurisdiction of Dalhousie Forest Division, Distt. Chamba, Himachal Pradesh. (Online Proposal No. FP/HP/Road/50559/2020

नोडल अधिकारी-सह-अतिरिक्त प्रधान मुख्य अरण्यपाल (एफ.सी.ए.), हि.प्र. के पत्रांक एफ.टी.

सन्दर्भः

48-5146/2020 (एफ.सी.ए.) दिनांक 06.12.2021

महोदय,

उपरोक्त विषय पर संदर्भित पत्र का आशय ग्रहण करते हुए आपको यह सूचित करना है कि प्रस्ताव पर ध्यानपूर्वक विचार करने के उपरांत निम्नलिखित कमियां पाई गईं हैं। अतः राज्य सरकार निम्न बिन्दुओं पर आवश्यक सूचनाएँ प्रेषित करने का कष्ट करें, ताकि प्रस्ताव पर आगामी कार्यवाही सुनिश्चित की जा सके :-

- A large number of trees (109 trees) are being affected in the proposal and all the dumping sites (2 nos.) have also been proposed on forest land. Therefore, State Govt. may review the same and propose dumping sites on non-forest land, so that the number of affected trees can be reduced.
- Part-I, Para B 2.4, only one dumping site mentioned, whereas the land use map of the proposal shows two dumping sites. Therefore, State Govt. may review the same and rectify it accordingly. Further, also mention the area of each dumping sites in Part-I, separately.
- 3. State Govt. may provide the enumeration list of trees standing over dumping sites separately, if dumping sites are in forestland.
- 4. The capacity of muck dumping sites and the quantity of muck /debris to be dumped are mismatching and unjustified. Therefore, State Govt. may review and revise the capacity of dumping sites accordingly, if required.
- 5. Since the terrain is hilly and large number of trees are being affected in the proposed project, therefore State Government may provide detail regarding mitigation measures to

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be adopted to mitigate the accelerated soil erosion during and/or after the execution of the project.

- 6. The Certificate of Beneficiary villages shows that the two villages Dibber Khola and Chambar are likely to be benefitted by the proposal having population of 177 souls as per the census 2011. However in Part –II, in Specific Recommendation of the DFO is mentioned that the village Chambar will cater to needs of population near about 1056 souls as per census 2021. This statement and estimated population in 2021 vis-a-vis 2011 population needs to be reviewed, and may be corrected, if required and same may be uploaded.
- 7. The KML of the project shows that the Alternative A-III is the final alignment but in Joint Inspection Report, it is clearly mentioned that the Alternative A-II is the final alignment due to shortest & involvement of forest land as well as the felling of tree is lesser. the statements are are contradictory and therefore, State Govt. may review and rectify the same according.
- 8. In most of the documents submitted in hard copy as well as PARIVESH portal, name of the project is missing. Therefore, State Govt. may review and rectify the same.
- 9. The land proposed for diversion falls under Protection Working Circle. Therefore, State Govt. may provide the comments in view of Hon'ble Supreme Court in IA no 3840 dated 11.03.2019.
- 10. Part-II, Para 4-(i), the density of vegetation is mentioned as 0.5. However, the NPV calculation has been calculated under the density of Open/Scrub category. Therefore, State Govt. may review and rectify the same accordingly and may also be uploaded KML.
- 11. State Govt. may submit the revised NPV calculation as per the revised NPV rates issued by the MoEF&CC on 6/1/2022.
- 12. A copy of records of all consultations and meetings of FRC(s)/ Gram Sabha(s) of concerned villages may also be provided.
- 13. As per the proposal, the 0.03 ha area is proposed for construction of road on private land, but the NoC and sale/gift deed of the concerned land holders is not attached with the proposal. Therefore, State Govt. may provide the same.
- 14. In Part -II, para 8-(i), one of the species mentioned is 'Wild robe'. This needs may be clarified/corrected on web portal.
- 15. State Govt. may provide the Administrative Approval Letter issued by the competent authority in this regard.

यदि चाही गई सूचना पत्र जारी होने की तिथि के 60 दिनों के भीतर (अधिकतम 90 दिन) इस कार्यालयमे प्राप्त नहीं हुई तो प्रस्ताव को निरस्त किया जा सकता है ।

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हо /-(सत्य प्रकाश नेगी) क्षेत्रीय अधिकारी Signed by Satya Prakash Negi Date: 14-01-2022 11:02:12 Reason: Approved

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