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✓ To,

The Principal Secretary (Forests),
Revenue and Forest Department,
Hutatma Rajguru Chowk
Madam Cama Marg
Mantralaya, Mumbai - 400032.

Sub: Diversion of 18.18 ha of Reserved Forest land in favour of Public Work division, Nanded for AU-108-Two lanning of District Boundary to Chuncha-Manatha-Barad-Mudkhed Road with paved Shoulder in Nanded District under HAM SH-261 of Km 000/000 to Km 48/700 and AU-109 Two lanning of Mudkhed-Gadga-Khandgaon-Mukhed-Savargaon (BK)-Jamb to district Border road with paved shoulder in Nanded district in the State of Maharashtra-regarding.

Sir,

The undersigned is directed to refer to Government of Maharashtra letter no. FLD-2022/CR-216/F-10 dated 15.11.2022 on the above subject seeking prior approval of the Central Government under Section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and to inform that the instant proposal was placed before Regional Empowered Committee in its meeting held on 14.12.2022, wherein, After detailed discussion and examination of the proposal the Committee decided that proposal shall be again placed before the REC after receipt of following information:

- Detail report on violation of FCA, 1980 including nature and extent of violation, name of official persons responsible for violation and action taken thereof under IFA, 1927 and FCA, 1980 need to be submitted.
- A site specific CA scheme other than the existing models needs to be prepared and submitted. The scheme should propose plantation of mixed native species apart from the other activities.
- All the hume pipes need to be replaced with the box culvert of minimum size of 2 x 3 mtrs in both forest and non forest land.

In view of the above, I am directed to request the State Government to submit information as above to this Ministry for further consideration of the matter. Detailed minutes of meeting can be seen on Parivesh portal (<https://parivesh.nic.in>).

This issues with the approval of DDGF(C)/ Regional Officer (Central), Integrated Regional Office, MoEF & CC, Nagpur.

Yours faithfully,

(N.K. Dimri)
Technical Officer (Gr. I)

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- The PCCF, Government of Maharashtra, Nagpur.
- The Addl. PCCF & Nodal Officer (FCA), Government of Maharashtra, Nagpur.
- User agency.
- Guard file.

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