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No.DFO/Kmj/2318-23/L

Dated: 02-01-2020

Sub:

EDS with respect to Proposal No. FP/JK/road/49090/2020 regarding up-gradation of road from Shiva to Kharma under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980

Sir,

In context of the above-captioned subject, you are requested to kindly provide the following essential documents/information enabling the undersigned to process the above-quoted case under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980:

1. Provision of prescribed Maps:

The Map showing the required Forest land and boundary of adjoining forest on a 1:50000 scale map as mandated under Form-A, Part-I, Para 1 (ii) of Appendix to Rule-6 may kindly be provided on A1 size paper as the maps already uploaded/provided in the indent form on A4 sized sheets neither conform to the prescribed scale nor have the prescribed mandatory details. As such, the maps provided with the indent are neither legible nor comprehensible. It is further requested that the KML files of the proposed road may also be uploaded.

Details regarding availability of non-forest land for Compensatory Afforestation (CA):

Para 10 (iii) of Appendix to Rule-6 [Form-A; Part-II] mandates the undersigned to prepare a detailed compensatory afforestation scheme in respect of the non-forest land to be provided by the user agency through the UT Govt. in lieu of the forest land proposed to be diverted in the project proposal. However, with the indent form, you have not appended the certificate as to the extent of availability of the non-forest land from the competent authority, rendering the undersigned unable to prepare the mandatory compensatory afforestation scheme. Therefore, you are requested to provide the requisite information forthwith as the preparation of compensatory afforestation scheme is a time-consuming exercise.

3. Mandatory Certificate in respect of Scheduled Tribes and others Traditional Forest Dewellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 from the concerned District Collector may also be provided

Muck dumping Plan:- No proposal for muck dumping found enclosed, which should include the details like "Total muck to be generated (swell factor of 40% to be added), Material to be reused in the project, Net material available to be released for disposal of dumping site, Location of dumping sites (Geo-coordinates), Number and total area of the dumping sites, Status of land proposed for dumping site (Forest, Revenue, Private), if forest land then it is to be included in the total forest area to be diverted, Geo-reference Map and KMZ file of dumping site, Design of dumping sites viz-a-viz the total muck to be generated from project, Estimate for dumping site with locational map and Amount to be transferred to forest department for treatment of dumping sites.

All the documents to be provided in 5 sets duly signed by the Competent Authority.

Keeping in view of the above, it is as such requested that the essential documents/details in this regard may please be provided to the undersigned to proceed further in the matter.

Yours sincerely,

Copy submitted to the:

Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (C), Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Regional Office (NZ), Chandigarh for information.

Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests Nodal Officer, (FCA), O/o Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, J&K Govt., Jammu for favour of information and necessary action please.

Chief Conservator of Forests, Kashmir for favour of information. 3.

Conservator of Forests, Kashmir North Circle, Sopore for favour of information.

Copy to Range Officer Kandi for information.

DFO:Kamraj Forest Division.