No.D.V-508/G/ 1690

HP Forest Department

Dated Chamba, the 03/07/2020

From: Chief Conservator of Forests, Chamba.

To:- Nodal officer-cum-CCF (FCA) O/o Pr. CCF HP Shimla.

Subject: - **Diversion of 11.9813 ha. of forest land in favour of HPSEBL Hydel investigation Division Chamba for construction of Sai-Kothi-II HEP (16.5MW) within the jurisdiction of Churah Forest Division.**

Memo:

Kindly refer to your office Memo No. Ft. 48-167/2008 (FCA) dated 06.02.2020 on the subject cited above.

2.   In this connection, the reply to points pointed out by the REC have been attended by the User Agency and DFO Churah and the point wise reply to this office which is given as under:-

1.   Regarding the River basis study, DFO has submitted a letter issued from Directorate of Energy of Himachal Pradesh showing clarification regarding river basin study is attached herewith.

2.   CA in view of guidelines para 2.3 &2.4 of the hand book of FCA(1980) has been revised. And copy of revised CA scheme along with Digital Maps is attached herewith.

3.   User Agency will hand over the 2.6159 ha. of forest land to the forest department after the completion of project work and reclamation of muck disposal sites, free from all encroachments. An undertaking in this regard is attached herewith.

4.   User Agency/ DFO has supplied the evacuation plan mentioning capacity of transmission line and mode of transmission line. In this regard a letter, undertaking and Evacuation Map are attached herewith.

5.   ESIA study conducted by the agency to meet the international standards is attached herewith.

6.   Proposal for Diversion of Forest land for Sai- Kothi-I HEP has been submitted during the year 2018, proposal no. FP/HP/HYD/37347/2018 is under process with the forest department at various level.

Therefore, it is submitted for your information and further necessary action under the FCA-1980. All the supporting documents mentioned above are attached herewith in duplicate.

Encl:-   As above.

Chief Conservator of Forests,
Chamba Forest Circle, Chamba