

No.Ft.48-3752/2018 (FCA)

H.P. Forest Department.

From: Nodal Officer-cum-CCF (FCA)  
O/o Pr.CCF, H.P, Shimla-1.

To: The Dy. Director General of Forests (Central),  
Govt. of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change,  
Regional Office, (North-Central -Zone) 25, Subhash Road,  
Dehradun-248001(Uttarakhand)

Dated Shimla-1, the

16 JUL 2021

Subject: **Diversion of 17.311 hectare of forest land in favour of Mahinder Singh and Company Mining Project for the Sand Stone and Bajri Project, within the jurisdiction of paonta Forest Division, Distt. Sirmour, Himachal Pradesh.**

Sir,

Kindly refer to your office letter No. 8B/HP/05/39/2020/FC/217 dated 18.03.2020 on the subject cited above.

2. The pointwise reply to the observations as raised vide your above referred letter is submitted as below:-

1. The comments of CWLW, Uttarakhand are enclosed herewith.
2. CA scheme as desired is enclosed herewith.
3. Quantified C/B analysis on the prescribed format is enclosed herewith. Environment Clearance has already been taken from the State Level Environmental Impact Assessment Authority. Copy of which has already been placed in the proposal folder at Page No. 59-62.
4. The report of DFO concerned is enclosed herewith.

Yours faithfully,

Encls: As above:

Nodal Officer-cum-Addl.Pr.CCF (FCA)  
O/o Pr. CCF, H.P. Shimla-1.

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Copy is forwarded to the following for information and necessary action:

1. CF Nahan. W.r.t his office Memo. No. 909 dated 01.06.2021.
2. DFO Paonta.
3. M/s Mohinder Singh & Company, Mauza and Mohal Devinagar, Tehsil Paonta Sahib, Distt. Sirmour, H.P.

In REC meeting held on 25<sup>th</sup> March, 2021, the REC has desired to submit the reply alongwith the findings of EIA study regarding impact of such mining in upstream and downstream. The study shall come out with clear recommendation as how such mining is useful in maintaining the natural flow of the reiver and health of adjoining forest area. This has not been fuound attached with the reply which may be submitted to this office at the earliest please. Clear and correct reply to REC observations may be submitted to this office after reading carefully issues pertaining to this proposal as discussed in the REC meeting held on 25<sup>th</sup> March, 2021.

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Nodal Officer-cum-Addl.Pr.CCF (FCA)  
O/o Pr.CCF, H.P, Shimla-1

*28/02/2021*