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No. **418**
H.P. Forest Department.

Dated Rampur, the **06-05-2024**

From:- DFO Rampur.

✓ To:- CCF (T) Rampur

Sub:- Diversion of 2.1532 Ha. of forest land (1.4612 Ha. for mining lease and safety zone, 0.3400 Ha. for approach road and 0.3520 Ha. for stacking of raw material) for already established stone crusher at Pashada, P.O. Khaneri, Tehsil Rampur Distt. Shimla HP in favour of M/s Bushahr Laghu Udyog VPO Jhakri, Tehsil Rampur Bushahr within the jurisdiction of Rampur Forest Division, Distt. Shimla H.P. (Online Proposal No. FP/HP/MIN/34194/2018).

Memo:

Kindly refer to your office letter No. 1884 dated 26/07/2023 on the subject cited above.

2. In this context, it is submitted that the point wise reply to the observation raised vide your office letter under reference is furnished as under:-

Sr. no	Observation	Reply
1	The point No. 3: is not acceptable, as stone crusher and mining lease are different projects	The user agency has submitted that the undertaking to provide complete FRA certificate with all the annexure and NOCs of FRC committee has been uploaded against additional information detail at Sr. No. 36 in online Part-I. the complete FRA certificate will be provided before Stage-II approval.
2	The point No. 7: The average width of the approach road has been taken 14 mt which is not acceptable. Therefore, State Govt. may review and revise the average width of the approach road in accordance with the PC Guideline and may provide/upload the revised Sol and Geo-referenced map accordingly, duly authenticated by DFO along with KML file on PARVIESH Portal. Further, the CA scheme, NPV calculation, CA land area revenue record etc. may also be reviewed and revised accordingly, It applicable	1. The width of the road is corrected and reduced to 5Mtrs. and will be constructed with the safe gradient preferably to 1:14 gradient Revised KML file and Layout Plan has been uploaded on the Portal in online Part-I. 2. Revised CA scheme, NPV calculation, CA land area revenue record are uploaded as additional information against Sr. No. _____.
3	The point No. 8: According to the approved Mining Plan, it is mentioned that the mining site in 200mts. away from the established stone crusher unit. However, in other documents viz. Plan for Transportation, Justification for locating the project in forest land certificate and Joint inspection Report show that the proposed project is at a location of 100 and 107mt. respectively away from established stone crusher unit. Therefore, State Govt. may review and clarify the same.	1. On page no 22 of mining plan the distance of 200 Mtrs was typing error and the same has been correct to 25 Mtrs as Distance of Mining area from existing Stone Crusher. Page of mining plan uploaded at Sr. No. 25 against additional information detail. 2. Revised Plan for transportation is uploaded against column No. M-7 (ii). 3. Revised Justification for locating the project in forest land certificate is uploaded against column No D(i) in Part-I. 4. Joint inspection Report, the distance of proposed

		mining area is 107 mtrs away from the National Highway as per the report of the Assistant Engineer HPPWD is uploaded against additional information detail at Sr. No. 22 at page No. 15 (HPPWD).
4	In reply to point no. 9: KML file of the proposed project uploaded in Part-I, Para-c is found blank. Therefore, upload the KML file of the designated column of Part-1 on PARIVESH Portal.	KML has been uploaded Part 1 online against column No. C-2(a) (1.).
5	In reply to point no. 10: Part-I Para E(ii) & (iii) does not seem correct. Needs to be rectified.	The user agency has submitted that the necessary rectification has been made in Part- 1 E(ii) & (iii) online portal.
6	In reply to point no. 11: In aerial distance certificate, it is mentioned that the proposed project is located about 15 km from Daranghati WLS, whereas in the State Govt. forwarding letter dated 18.6.2019, it is mentioned that the Rupi Bhaba WLS is the nearest and the aerial distance point of Bushahr Laghu Udyog is 7.5 km. However, DSS report shows that the DA is located at 8.34 km by aerial distance from the nearest, Rupi Bhaba WLS. Since final ESZ notification of Rupi-Bhaba WLS is not yet notified, and hence proposed DA area is within default ESZ (i.e. 10 kms aerial distance of boundary of PA). Therefore, State Govt. may provide the comments of CWLW in this regard. Additional, State Govt. may submit Wildlife Management Plan along with detail cost of its implementation as per MoEF& CC letter dated 7.6.2022, if applicable.	The aerial distance certificate is attached as additional information detail at Sr. No. 26, comments of CWLW pertains to Nodal office and undertaking to pay cost of WLMP has been uploaded on the online portal against additional information detail at Sr. No. 29 by the user agency.
7	In reply to point no. 12: As per the approved mining plan the proposed project is a hill slope mining and the mining activity in the hilly area may cause the possibility of high-risk of accident due to land slide soil erosion, Tying stones etc. Further, a seasonal Nallah is also showing on KML. Therefore, clarification may be provided about the mitigate measures to be adopted for stabilization/conservation of Nallah, top soil and mine wastes etc.	<p>1. The mining lease area consists of quartzite rock which is hard (Hardness seven in the Moh'ss Scale of hardness) and is quite stable. Moreover, systematic and scientific mining proposed in the approved mining plan provides for 4x4 Mtrs. benches (4-meter height and 6 meter width), thus eventually the hill will have an angle of 40 degrees post mining. Also, as an abundant precaution measure protection wall will be constructed wherever necessary. Undertaking for the same is uploaded against additional information detail at Sr. No. 27.</p> <p>2. The mine waste will be generated during the five year of the mine work and will be used to establish green belt in the lease area in order to reclaim the land as forest land. Detail plan is in part III (Progressive mine closer plan/Reclamation plan) on page 36-38 of the Mining plan attached as Annexure-XII at Sr. No. 31 in additional information detail of online portal.</p>
8	In reply to point no. 15: State Govt. may submit a certificate regarding, non- availability of the same material/ore in the nearby non-forest area.	Undertaking for non-availability of the same material/ore in the nearby non-forest area has been uploaded in online Part-I against additional information detail at Sr. No. 36.