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To: Nodal Officer-Cum-PCCF(FCA),
 O/o Pr.CCF(HoFF) HP Shimla.

Subject: Diversion of 2.4657 ha. of forest land in favour of HPPWD for the construction of link road from Neri- Kotli Sanohat to village Draina RD 0/00 to 5/560 within the jurisdiction of Rajgarh Forest Division Distt. Sirmour, H.P. (Online Proposal No. FP/HP/Road/156332/2022)

Memo:

Kindly refer to your GoI, Sub-Office, Shimla (Regional Office, Chandigarh), MoEF & CC, CGO Complex, Shivalik Khand, Longwood Shimla letter No. FC/HPB/06/22/2024-83042/2024 dated 25.09.2024 on the subject cited above.

2. In this regard vide above referred letter the point wise reply of observations is given as under:-

Sr. No.	Observation	Reply
1.	State Govt. shall provide the legible copy of the administrative and financial approval of the proposed project, duly authenticated by competent authority.	The copy of administrative and financial approval of the proposed project has uploaded in additional information detail against Sr. No.21 of Part-I by the user agency.
2.	Upon Perusal of KML & Join Inspection Report, it has been found that the proposed road is already built/constructed at most of the places both in Forest and Non-forest. Therefore, DFO concerned shall clarify whether the proposed road has been constructed, if yes details of violation is required to be updated in S. No.-13, part-I as well as in the SIR? If no, justification for the same with relevant document is required to be uploaded.	The revised joint inspection report has been uploaded by the user Agency in additional information details against Sr. No. 25 by the user agency. In this case No violation has been done, however the approval for construction of link road 0.93 ha. from Kotli Sanohat to Padiya Nala GP Kotli was accorded under sub section 3(2) under FRA, 2006 vide DFO Rajgarh office letter No. 1252 dated 02.06.2018 and instant proposal is not a part of already approved proposal under FRA, 2006.
3.	As per the DSS, the proposed area of the KML/Shape file Area evaluated is approx. 1.13 (ha.) instead of 2.4657 (ha.) State Govt. shall mark all the components as mentioned in the KML (mark the proposed road (Forest/Non-forest/violated/Non-violated/Dumping site), in the component wise breakup	The revised KML file of the proposed road has been uploaded against Sr. No. C. (b) by the user agency.

	Sr. No. 3., Part-I. All the components should be in the polygon form in the KML file (with legend in distinct colours) and area of each component should be similar to the area mentioned in B-2.4. Accordingly revise the DGPS/SOI toposheet with correct area, duly authenticated by DFO concerned.	
4.	Dumping sites (03 Nos.) has been proposed in the forest land, therefore State Govt. may explore to shift the dumping sites to Non-forest land. Also, State Govt. may provide the list of Tree standing in the proposed dumping sites with photographs, if any and submit an undertaking with effect that No green standing Tree shall be felled in the dumping sites duly authenticated by DFO concerned.	No trees are standing on the proposed (03 Nos) dumping sites, the photographs of the dumping site and undertaking with the effect that no green standing will be felled in the dumping sites duly authenticated by the DFO has been uploaded in additional information details against Sr. no. 21 of Part-II and 26 of Part-I by the DFO and user agency.
5.	As per the KML and Muck Management Plan 3 dumping sites has been proposed however as per the S. No. 2.4 only on consolidated dumping site has been mentioned. Therefore, State Govt. shall mark all the dumping sites with respective diversion area in the B-2.4.	Needful has been done and same has been updated by the user agency against Sr. No. B-2.4.
6.	State Govt. Shall upload the legible copy of the joint inspection Report (JSIR).	The copy of Joint Inspection Report has been uploaded in additional information details against Sr. No. 25 of Part-I by user agency.
7.	As per the Joint Inspection Report and Part-I (FORM-A), filled by UA, the details of proposed road is mentioned as 1.9857 ha + 0.48 ha (dumping sites). However as per the S. No. B-2.4, Part-I, the details is mentioned as Road 2.1579 + 0.3078 (Dumping sites). Therefore, State Govt. Shall clarify the same and update the S. No- B-2.4, Part-I accordingly and JSIR & FORM-A accordingly	The correction has been done by the user agency.
8.	Also upon perusal of the KML, the proposed alignment is passing thorough slopy/hilly terrain through dense forest involves felling of 287 number of trees, which may causes possibility of accelerated soil	The details of the mitigation measures to be adopted to arrest the accelerated soil erosion/land slide during/after execution of project has been uploaded in additional information details against Sr. No. 26. Undertaking to pay the amount for Soil and

	erosion/landslide in the landscape. Therefore, State Govt. may provide details of the mitigation measures to be adopted to arrest the accelerated soil erosion/land slide during/after execution of project. Additionally, the State Govt. may submit Soil and Moisture Conservation Plan as per para-1.22 (ii) of the Van (sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhinyam, 1980.	Moisture conservation plan has been uploaded in additional information details against Sr. No. 23 of Part-I by the user agency.
9.	State Govt. Shall provide the detailed reclamation plan with the activities involves i.e. protection measure/plantation activity/engineering work etc. with financial outlay, duly authentication by DFO concerned.	The detailed reclamation plan with the activities involves i.e. protection measure/plantation activity/engineering work etc. with financial outlay, duly authenticated by DFO has been uploaded in additional information details against Sr. No. 23 of Part-I by the user agency.
10.	State Govt. Shall upload the NOC From HPTCL, HPSEBL, IPH, Telecom department, as the case may be , on the PARIVESH portal.	NOC from concerned department has been uploaded in additional information details against Sr. No. 20 of Part-I by user agency.
11.	State Govt. may provide the detailed and scaled layout plan in legible format and in proper Scale Chainage wise length and width of the proposed road and mark (Forest land/Non-Forest land/ Violated Part/Dumping sites etc.) duly authenticated by DFO Concerned.	Needful has been uploaded by the user agency and copy of the same has been uploaded in additional information details against Sr. 24 of Part-I by user agency.
12.	As per the DSS analysis, out of total proposed CA area 5.10 ha, 01 ha is under moderately dense Forest (MDF) category. Therefore, State Govt. shall revise the CA area with vegetation density less < 40%, with detailed CA scheme (activities involved), SOI toposheet with toposheet number, DGPS map and land suitability certificate and also, fill the details in the Sr. No. 13 (i) of Part-II of the Parviesh Portal in view of consolidated Guidelines and Clarifications on Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhinyam, 1980 and van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Rules, 2023.	The revised KML file and digital map has been uploaded against Sr. No. 13 of Part-II by DFO.
13.	Upon perusal of KML and DSS report, it has been observed that the existing metallised road & agriculture land is	The revised KML file and digital map has been uploaded against Sr. No. 13 of Part-II by DFO.

	passing through the proposed CA land (PF Kairy), Therefore, DFO is required to exclude the proposed alignment from the proposed CA site, so that compact block of the CA can be assured with proper protection measures/fencing.	
14.	State Govt. may provide/submit the detailed Geologist report for the proposed DA duly authenticated by DFO concerned.	The detailed Geologist report for the proposed DA has been uploaded in additional information details against Sr. No. 18 of Part-I by user agency.
15.	State Govt. shall submit the exact aerial distance certificate of the proposed diversion area from the Nearest Pas and its notified/proposed ESZ, duly authenticated by DFO concerned.	The certificate regarding exact aerial distance certificate of the proposed diversion area has been uploaded in additional information details against Sr. 12 of Part-II by DFO.
16.	State Govt. Shall provide the certificate of non-availability of NFL as per format SCHEDULE-III from Chief Secretary for proposing DFL under special provision para 2.2 (iv) of Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhinyam, 1980 and Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhinyam, 1980 and van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Rules, 2023, MoEF & CC.	Certificate of non-availability of NFL has been uploaded in additional information details against Sr. 23 of Part-II by DFO.
17.	State Govt. Shall provide the legible and correct Tree abstract and enumeration details Khasra No. wise duly authenticated by DFO concerned designated column of the Part-II. The details mentioned in S. NO. 4.1 (saplings & Trees) Should be similar to the tree abstract and enumeration details.	The needful has been done and the tree abstract and enumeration details khasra wise has been uploaded in additional information details against Sr. No. 8 of Part-II by user agency.
18.	State Govt. shall upload the revise Site Inspection Report of DFO concerned and update the column 2, 3 & 4.	The revised site inspection report has been uploaded and updated in column 2, 3 and 4.
19.	State Govt. shall upload the detailed muck disposal plan enclosing photograph of sites, carrying capacity of each muck dumping mentioning area calculation in length width format and engineering structure that will be adopted for proper muck disposal duly	The detailed muck disposal plan enclosing photographs of sites has been uploaded on the portal in additional information details against Sr. 23 of Part-I by user agency.

	authenticated by DFO concerned.	
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This is for favour of kind information and further necessary action at your end,
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O/o Conservator of Forests,
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