

No.Ft. 48-5632/2022 (FCA),  
**Forest Department, Himachal Pradesh**

From: Pr. Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF),  
Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-1.-

To: The Regional Officer,  
Integrated Regional Office GoI, MoEF&CC,  
CGO Complex, Shivalik Khand, Longwood,  
Shimla, Himachal Pradesh.

Dated Shimla-1, the 11 JAN 2023

Subject: Diversion of 11.7936 ha Forest land for the construction of four laning of proposed Shimla Bypass from Kathlighat to Shakral Section (Package-I) of NH-22 (Chainage fro KM 128.835 to Km.146.300) in already approved FCA case of the entire section from Kaithlighat to Dhalli. In favour of NHAI, District Shimla HP(Online proposal No. FP/HP/ROAD/151117/2022)

Sir,

Kindly refer to your office letter No.FC/HKPC/06/154/2022 dated 15.10.2022 on the subject cited above.

2. The point wise reply to the observations as raised vide your above referred communication is submitted as below:-

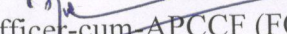
1. The revised authority letter has uploaded through online portal.
2. The administrative approval has been uploaded online portal.
3. Points No.-
  - (i) The user agency reported that there is no displacement of people in this project.
  - (ii) The user agency has uploaded the reply through online portal.
  - (iii) The file No. FP/HP/ROAD/9295/2015 has already been approved by GOI on 15.09.2017, the KML file of already acquired case and proposed RoW of the extant proposal in different colours is uploaded by the user agency.
  - (iv) The required documents have been uploaded in online portal.
  - (v) The user agency has uploaded the reply through online portal.
  - (vi) As per the DFO Wildlife Shimla the Aerial Distance of the proposed site is approx.3.33 Km from Chail Wildlife Sanctuary and the aerial from Eco Sensitive Zone of Chail Wildlife Sanctuary is approx. 2.31 Km. The comments of Chief Wildlife Warden is awaited. As and when is received the same will be furnished to your office accordingly.
4. The user agency has submitted the undertaking in this regard is uploaded through online portal.
5. The user agency has uploaded the reply on online portal.
6. The user agency reported that the proposal is for additional forest land in already approved case of the entire section from Kaithlighat to Dhalli for 40.3 ha. the alignment was already finalized then. The project was also approved during the year 2017 but NOC from the concerned authority for the proximity of proposed alignment to Kalka Shimla Railway Line was

not required earlier, so requirement of such document at this stage may also not be a pre-requisite for stage-I.

7. The user agency has replied that the 9 muck dumping sites measuring area 10.7471 ha. have been designated for muck disposal which have been shown in the muck disposal plan.
8. As per the report of user agency the muck disposal plan shows the capacity of the approved muck disposal sites.
9. The joint inspection report has been uploaded online.
10. The site inspection has been conducted by undersigned on 07.12.22 (copy attached).
11. The revised layout plan has been uploaded through online portal.
12. The complete enumeration list of trees has been uploaded online.
13. In this regard it is submitted that Shimla Forest Division have no such blank area for plantation are available.
14. The revised NPV bill has been uploaded through online.
15. The reply of the user agency is uploaded online.
16. In this regard it is submitted that the total trees are coming in the project alignment and there is no possibility to reduce the No. of trees from the said road alignment.
17. The site inspection has been conducted by undersigned on 07.12.22 (copy attached)
18. Point no.-
  - (i) The revised KML file has been uploaded through online portal.
  - (ii) A fresh CA Scheme has been uploaded through online portal.
  - (iii) Certificate in this regard has been uploaded online.
19. Revised Recommendation mentioning the proposal number has been uploaded accordingly.

Encls: As above

Yours faithfully,

  
Nodal Officer-cum-APCCF (FCA)  
O/o Pr. CCF (HoFF), H.P.