

No.Ft.48-3731/2018(FCA),
H.P. Forest Department.

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

To: Integrated Regional Office, Ministry of Environment,
Forest and Climate Change, CGO Complex,
Shivalik Khand, Longwood, Shimla, H.P.

Dated Shimla-1, the

8 OCT 2021

Subject: **Diversion of 9.739 ha. of forest land in favour of HPSEB Ltd. for the construction of Devi Kothi Hydel Electric Project (16.00 MW) within the jurisdiction of Churah Forest Division, Distt. Chamba, H.P. (Online Proposal No. FP/HP/HYD/32280/2018).**

Sir,

Please refer to your office letter No. 8B/HP/01/116/2019/CF/108 dated 22-6-2021 on the subject cited above.

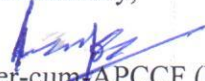
2. The point wise reply to the observations as raised vide your above referred communication is submitted as below:-

1. In reply to point No. 1 (a), (b) and (c), as per information received from CEO-cum-CCF HP State Authority, CAMPA it is intimated that presently neither any fund under approved comprehensive CAT Plan for Ravi River Basin is received nor implemented. However list of various approved CAT Plans presently implemented on Ravi River Basin along with total area treated and funds utilized so far is enclosed herewith. In reply to point No. 1 (d) revised copy of notification issued by GoHP to revise the outlay of Catchment Area Treatment Plan from existing 2.5 % to 1.5 % of the total project cost for all the Hydro Electric Projects having capacity above 10 MW in Himachal Pradesh is attached please.
2. It has been submitted that the power generated from Devi Kothi HEP 16.00 MW shall be evacuated through 33 KV D/C with ACSR wolf conductor and each 33 KV circuit line well have the approximation capacity 18 MW power. The 33 KV line is proposed with 3 numbers of towers to cover the approximate length of 1.5 KM. The entire proposed tower is to be erected on the private land and on the premises of Devi-Kothi HEP. The power generated will be transmitted from Devi Kothi Switch Yard to the proposed 33/132KV Banjal Sub-station of HPPTCL linking 33/132 KV substation HPSEBL, Kurthla. Detail of projects for erection of Transmission Line jointly is enclosed herewith.

3. The cost benefit analysis keeping in view the FCA guidelines has been prepared and copy duly certified by DFO Churah is enclosed herewith.

Yours faithfully,

Encls. As above.


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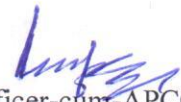
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Copy is forwarded to the following for information and necessary action:-

1. CCF Chamba w.r.t his office Memo No. 2728 dated 10.08.2021 and 3443 dated 02.02.2021.
2. DFO Churah.
3. Sr. Executive Engineer, (Project), Construction Division No.1, HPSEB Ltd. Distt. Mandi, Himachal Pradesh.


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