

No. D-V-519/G/_____
H.P. Forest Department

Dated Chamba, the _____/

From:- Chief Conservator of Forests
Chamba Forest Circle, Chamba

To:- Nodal Officer-cum-APCCF (FCA)
O/o Pr. CCF, HP, Shimla

Subject:- Diversion of 8.0678 hectare of forest land for construction of Siul-IV 4MW SHEP at Siul Nallah near Village Digodi, Tehsil Salooni, District Chamba- within the jurisdiction of Churah Forest Division.

Memo.

Kindly refer to GoI, MoEF &CC, Integrated Regional Office Shimla letter No. 8B/HP/01/147/2019/FC/101 dated 12.01.2023 on the subject cited above.

2. In this connection, it is submitted that the observation as raised by the GoI, MoEF has been attended by the User Agency as well as DFO Churah, the point wise reply to the observations is furnished as under: -

Sr. No	EDS/Observation	Reply
1.	In reference to the observation No-1, the submission presented is not in consonance as per the Para 3 (1.5) OM issued by the MoEFCC dated 13.05.2022 which says that "the State Government should take appropriate action to resort the universally accepted the land measurement units" and accordingly the proposed RoW shall be calculated as per the universally accepted system	It is submitted that the matter has been taken-up through your office with Principal Secretary (Forests) to the GOHP vide your office letter no Ft.48-3785/2018(FCA) Dated-13-02-2023 (copy enclosed). Further, the matter has been taken-up by the Principal Secretary (Forest) to the GOHP with FC-Cum Principal Secretary (Revenue) to the GOHP vides their letter no. FFE-B-F (2)-2(2022) Dated-07-03-2023 (copy enclosed). In this regard from the office of Principal Sectary (Revenue) the Joint Sectary (Revenue) clarify that the units of land measurement presently existing as Karam in District Chamba can be converted into slandered /universally accepted system of land measurement units in meter only after the operation/process of fresh settlement in the area is completed and it will take long time to complete the settlement process in Salooni (copy enclosed). In this regard, user agency has provided an undertaking stating that at the time of acquisition of land we shall take only 15 meter width of transmission and rest of the part will not be acquired by the Project Authority and could be considered as surrendered to the concerned Forest Department. It is also pertinent to mention

		here that the Project authority has also agreed to deposit all compensatory levies for the area being asked for diversion i.e. 8.0678 ha.
2.	A Document from the competent authority needs to be provided in respect approved capacity of the river/rivulet.	The relevant document in this regard from the implementing agency of small hydro projects in Himachal Pradesh i.e. HIMURJA has been uploaded on the portal by the User Agency.
3.	In reference to the observation No-6, Chief Wildlife Warden has submitted that "that most of the components fall inside the ESZ of Gamgul siyabebi WLS". Additionally, the DSS report also points out that about 5.9975 ha of the proposed DA lies within the ESZ of Gamgul Siyabehi as per the updated boundary provided by HPFD. Since ESZ of Gamgul siyabebi WLS is finally notified. As per the OM issued by MoEF&CC (FC Div) vide letter no FC-11/119/2020-FC dated 17.05.2022, it is mentioned that "Project/activities proposed to be located within notified ESZ/ESA shall be regulated and governed by the concerned ESZ Notification. Accordingly, activities prohibited under the ESZ Notification shall not be undertaken. Whereas, regulated and other activities proposed within notified ESZ around National Park or Sanctuary shall require consideration by NBWL/ SCNBWL". Therefore the recommendation of the Standing Committee of the National Board of Wildlife for the use of forest land for non-forestry purpose is prerequisite.	Comments obtained from the Chief Wildlife Warden are furnished in the attachment stating that the capacity of the project is 4MW and it does not fall under Schedule of EIA Notification 2006 hence, no prior approval from NBWL/SCNBWL is required for the same.
4.	As per the DSS report, About 13 ha out of 17 ha area, proposed for CA falls in MDF category, the area left for restocking is 4 ha. Further, the plantation model adopted is @1100/per ha, which makes an aggregate of 18,700 plants which seems difficult in the proposed CA site. Therefore, as per the as per p ara 2.4 (vii) of the Handbook Of FCA, 1980 and FC Rules, 2003 (Guidelines and Clarifications), MoEF&CC, 2019. State Govt. may look for additional/alternate CA sites and submit documentation regarding the suitability of land for CA in lieu of forest land proposed for diversion in terms of its vicinity to the area being proposed for DA and/or contiguity with the existing forest area and also ensure the manageability as per the latest Guidelines of MoEF & CC vide letter No. 11-423/2011-FC dated 13.07.2022.	The matter pertains to the D.F.O., Churah for further necessary action.

5.	State Govt may review the KML of the instant proposal and rectify the same, additionally need to mark components mentioned under B. 2.4 Component wise breakup with different colours and upload the same on the portal	<p>Revised KML file under B.2.4 component-wise break-up marked in different colours has been uploaded again.</p> <p>In this regard it is submitted that the Hon'ble Supreme Court has removed the ban vide order/Petition No.202/1995 on 08-02-2023, & allowed diversion of forest land in protection working circle.</p> <p>We hope that you find our item-wise replies to your observations in order and the same meet your kind approval.</p>
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It is submitted for favor of information and further necessary action under FCA-1980.

Encl. As above

**Chief Conservator of Forests, (T)
Chamba Forest Circle, Chamba.**

Endst: No. D-V-519/G/ 1818 dated... 12/6/2023

✓ Copy is forwarded to DFO Churah with reference to his office memo No. 1157 dated 31-05-2023 for information please.

**Chief Conservator of Forests, (T)
Chamba Forest Circle, Chamba**

No. Ft. 48-3785/2018 (FCA),
Forest Department, Himachal Pradesh

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

To : The Principal Secretary (Forests) to the
Govt. of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla.

Dated Shimla-1, the

Subject: Diversion of 8.0678 ha. of forest land in favour of M/s Friends Him Energies, C/o Near Happy Sr. Sec. School, Jail Road, Gurdaspur, for the construction of Suil-IV SHEP, within the jurisdiction of Churah Forest Division, Distt. Chamba, Himachal Pradesh. (Online No. FP/HP/HYD/35437/2018)

Sir,

As per GoI EDS dated 12.01.2023 (copy enclosed) at Point No.1, "In reference to the observation No.1, the submission presented is not in consonance as per the Para 3 (1.5) OM issued by MoEF&CC dated 13.05.2022 which says that " *the State Government should take appropriate action to resort the universally accepted the land measurement units*". and accordingly the proposed RoW shall be calculated as per the universally accepted system".

2. The Govt. of India has directed in REC meeting convened on 20.06.2022 that issue of unit of land measurement is "Karam" in Chamba district. The RoW for transmission line is not possible to measures because the measurement scale i.e., "Karam" of revenue department is 1.42 mtrs on Latha or Tatima. It is therefore, requested that the matter regarding to resort the universally accepted system of land measurement units be taken up with the Revenue Department at Govt. level, so that issue of land measurement in Chamba district can be resolved at the earliest.

This is submitted for favour of information please.

Yours faithfully,

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

Endst. No.Ft.48- 3785/2018 (FCA)

Dated, Shimla the 13 FEB 2023

Copy is forwarded to for information and further necessary action:

1. The project Manager of M/s Friends Him Energies, C/o Near Happy Sr.
Sec.School Jail road Gurdaspur-143521.

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

08.02.2023

No. FFE-B-F(2)-2/2022
Government of Himachal Pradesh
Department of Forests.

From

Principal Secretary (Forests) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-2.

To

The FC-cum-Principal Secretary (Revenue) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla-171 002.

Dated: Shimla- 2, the 07 March, 2023.

Subject:-

Diversion of 8.0678 ha of forest land in favour of M/s Friends Him Energies, C/o Near Happy Sr. Sec. School, Jail Road, Gurdaspur, for the construction of Suil-IV SHEP, within the jurisdiction of Churah Forest Division, Distt. Chamba, Himachal Pradesh (Online Proposal No. FP/HP/HYD/35437/2018).

Sir,

I am directed to enclose herewith a copy of letter No. 8B/HP/01/147/2019/FC, dated 12-01-2023 received from the Regional Officer, IRO, MoEF&CC, Govt. of India, Shimla on the subject cited above and to say that the Ministry has raised following observation in the aforesaid proposal:-

"In reference to the observation No. 1, the submission presented is not in consonance as per the Para 3 (1.5) OM issued by the MoEFCC dated 13.05.2022 which says that 'the State Government should take appropriate action to resort the universally accepted the land measurement units' and accordingly the proposed RoW shall be calculated as per the universally accepted system.

2. Further, the Govt. of India has directed in REC meeting convened on 20.06.2022 that issue of unit of land measurement is "Karam" in Chamba District. The RoW for transmission line is not possible to measures because the measurement scale i.e. "Karam" of Revenue Department is 1.42 mtrs on Latha or Tatima. ↗

3. It is, therefore, requested to take necessary action to resort the issue of universally accepted system of land measurement units so that the aforesaid issue of land measurement in Chamba District could be resolved at the earliest.

Yours faithfully,

(C.P. Verma, IAS),
Special Secretary (Forests) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh
Phone No. 0177-2620887

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No. Rev- D (G) 7-6/2023
Government of Himachal Pradesh,
Department of Revenue

From

The Principal Secretary (Revenue) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh

To

The Principal Secretary (Forest) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh.

Dated : Shimla-2, the

16-05-2023

Subject :

Diversion of 8.0678 hac of forest land in favour of M/s Friends
Him Energies, C/o near Happy Sr. Sec. School, Jail Road,
Gurdaspur for the construction of Suil-IV SHEP, within the
jurisdiction of Churah Forest Division, District Chamba, Himachal
Pradesh.

Sir,

P-11/c
I am directed to refer to your letter No. FFE-B-F(2)-2/2022 dated
7th March, 2023 on the subject cited above and to clarify that the units of land
measurement presently existing as Karam in Chamba district can be converted
into standard/universally accepted system of land measurement units in meters
only after the operation/process of fresh settlement in the area is
conducted/completed. At present settlement operation is underway in some parts
of district Chamba and the measurement in meters units will be applicable after
new latha is prepared on completion of settlement process in district Chamba.
Therefore, the existing unit of Karam is to be used to finalize the RoW for
transmission line of M/s Friends Him Energies for construction of Suil-IV SHEP
in district Chamba at present.

In view of the above, since it will take a long time to start/complete
the settlement process in Tehsil Salooni, hence, further action in the matter may
be taken accordingly.

Yours faithfully,

(Balwan Chand)

Joint Secretary (Revenue) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh

Endst: As above,

Dated: Shimla-2,

16-05-2023

Copy is forwarded to:-

1. Deputy Commissioner, District Chamba, Himachal Pradesh for
information and necessary action.
2. M/s Friends Him Energies, C/o near Happy Sr. Sec. School, Jail Road,
Gurdaspur for information.

Joint Secretary (Revenue) to the
Government of Himachal Pradesh

UNDERTAKING

I / We M/S FRIENDS HIM ENERGIES have applied for diversion of 8.0678 hectares forest land for the construction of Siul-IV 4MW SHEP at Village Digodi, Tehsil Salooni District Chamba H.P. I am Mr. Nitin Ramshan project manager of the Siul-IV 4MW SHEP hereby, undertake in respect of MoEF observation letter No. 8B/HP/01/147/2019/FC dated 12.01.2023 Ponit No.1 So, we have provided undertaking that at the time of acquisition of land we shall take only 15meters width of transmission and rest of the part will not be acquired by the project authority and could be considered as surrendered to the concerned forest department. This is also pertinent to mention here that project authority is also agreed to deposit all compensatory levies for the area being asked for diversion i.e. 8.0678 hectare.

Place:.....Chamba

Dated:.....28/05/23


Project Manager
User Agency
M/S Friends Him Energies Pvt. Ltd



(H.P. Govt. Energy Development Agency)

HIMURJA, Urja Bhawan, Block No 8-A SDA Complex , Kasumpti , Shimla-171009

PHONE-0177- 2621783, 2628074, FAX 0177-2622635

No. HIMURJA/ (F-7)O&M-Project
From

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Dated:

21.4.2022

Chief Executive Officer,
HIMURJA, Kasumpti, Shimla-9

To

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

**Subject: Diversion of 8.0678 ha. Of forest land in favour of M/s Friends him Energies,
C/o Near Happy Sr. Sec. School, Jail Road, Gurdaspur, for the construction
of Suil-IV SHEP, within the jurisdiction of Churah Forest division, Distt.
Chamba, Himachal Pradesh.**

Sir,

In reference to your letter No. Ft. 48-3785/2018(FCA) dated 29-03-2023, kindly
find enclosed herewith the list of projects allotted to the IPPs upto 5 MW capacity on Suil stream
of Ravi river basin in district Chamba.

This is for your information please.

Yours sincerely,

[Signature] 20/04/2022

Encls: As Above

Project Director-cum-Dy-CEO

HIMURJA, Urja Bhawan

Kasumpti Shimla- 171009

Sr. No.	Firm Name	Project Name	District	Capacity (MW)	Status	Basin	Stream	Date of Allotment	± Elev. of Weir(m)	± Elev. of PH(m)
1	Siul Baroti Hydro Projects Ltd.	Siul Baroti	Chamba	4.50	Under Clearance	Ravi	Suil	20-05-2002	1262.5	1200
2	Gujarat Coastal Construction Limited	Suil-I	Chamba	5.00	Under Construction	Ravi	Suil	04-05-2001	1715	1604
3	KVA Hydro. Pvt. Ltd.	Suil-II	Chamba	5.00	Under Clearance	Ravi	Suil	01-02-1997 04-05-2001	1600	1480
4	Panera Biotech (P) Ltd.	Siul Rathirani	Chamba	5.00	DPR with DoE for TEC	Ravi	suil	10-08-2015	2460	2210
5	M/s Trinity Hydro Power (P) Ltd.,	Siul Langeri	Chamba	5.00	DPR with DoE for TEC	Ravi	suil	10-08-2015	2160	1980
6	Friends Him Energies (Partnership)	Siul-IV	Chamba	4.00	TEC Accorded	Ravi	suil	10-08-2015	1813.3	1745
7	Puneet Sharma (Sole Prop.)	Siul-III	Chamba	3.00	DPR with DoE for TEC	Ravi	suil	10-08-2015	1294	1265
8	Purjit Singh S/o Sh Tara Singh	Siul Baroti-III	Chamba	4.00	DPR with DoE for TEC	Ravi	suil	19-12-2016	1193	1132

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[Signature]

No. WL (Misc.)-18/Diversion/ 7142
Himachal Pradesh Forest Department

Dated Shimla-1, the 23-2-2023

From: Pr. CCF Wildlife and
CWLW, HP Shimla.

To: Nodal Officer-cum-APCCF (FCA)
O/o Pr. CCF (HoFF) Shimla.

Subject: Diversion of 8.0678 hac. of forest land in favour of M/s Friends Him
Energies, C/o Near Happy Sr. Secondary School, Jail Road, Gurdaspur-
143521 for construction of Siui-iv-SHEP, within the jurisdiction of
Churah Forest Division, District Chamba, Himachal Pradesh.

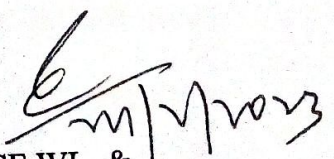
Memo.

Kindly refer to your office memo No.Ft.48-3785/2018 (FCA) dated
13.02.2023 on the subject cited above.

In this regard, it is submitted that as per the revised guidelines received
from GoI, MoEF &CC vide F.No.6-30/2019-WL dated 21.07.2022 under point No. 1.6,
it has been mentioned that the activities/projects falling under the schedule of EIA
Notification, 2006 require the prior approval of NBWL/SCNBWL.

Since the said project is of 4 MW capacity and does not fall under the
schedule of EIA Notification, 2006 hence no prior approval from NBWL/SCNBWL is
required in this case.

This is for your further necessary action please.


PCCF.WL. &
CWLW, HP

F. No. 6-30/2019-WL

Government of India

Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change
(Wildlife Division)

3rd Floor, Jal Wing,
Indira Paryavaran Bhawan,
Jor Bagh Road, New Delhi 110003.

21st July, 2022

To

1. The Principal Secretary (Forests)
All States/UTs
2. The Chief Wild Life warden
All States/UTs
3. The PCCF, All States/UTs

Sub: Revised guidelines for seeking recommendations of Standing Committee of National Board for Wild Life for activities in protected areas - reg.

Sir/Madam,

In pursuance to this Ministry's earlier letter of even number dated 06.05.2022, I have been directed to enclose herewith **revised guidelines** for seeking recommendations of Standing Committee of National Board for Wild Life for ready reference.

2. This issues with the approval of the competent authority.

Yours faithfully,

Encl: as above

(Dr. Rajendra Kumar)
Scientist 'C'

Email: kumar.rajendra@gov.in

Copy to:

1. PPS to DFG&SS, MoEF&CC
2. PPS to ADG(WL), MoEF&CC
3. PPS to IGF(WL)/IGF(PE)/IGF(NTCA), MoEF&CC
4. PS to DIG(WL)/DIG(FC), MoEF&CC
5. Guard File

Endst. No. WL (Misc.)-47/Road-NBWL/

Dated

Copy alongwith its enclosures is forwarded to all CCFs (WL) in H.P. for information and necessary action.

Encls: As above.

APCCF (WL)

O/o PCCF WL HP

GUIDELINES FOR SEEKING RECOMMENDATIONS OF STANDING COMMITTEE OF NATIONAL BOARD FOR WILD LIFE

Areas of ecological, faunal, floral, geomorphological, natural or zoological significance and reserve forests are notified as Sanctuaries and National Parks for the purpose of protecting, propagating or developing wildlife or its environment. Such areas are extremely important for conservation of biodiversity and ensuring the survival of its floral and faunal components. Activities involving use or diversion of any part of a notified protected area should therefore be permitted only after taking into account the likely impact of the activity on the protected area.

The Ministry has issued clarifications/guidelines from time to time for submission of proposals for consideration of the National Board for Wild Life (NBWL)/Standing Committee of the National Board for Wild Life (SCNBWL). These guidelines are being issued in supersession of the earlier guidelines.

1.	ACTIVITIES INSIDE PROTECTED AREAS
	Consideration and recommendation of NBWL/SCNBWL is required in the following cases:
1.1	WILDLIFE SANCTUARIES:
	In view of the provisions of section 29 of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972 (WLPA), consultation with the State Board for Wild Life (SBWL) is required before permitting any activity mentioned in this section within a sanctuary. In view of the directions dated 9 th May 2002 of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in Writ Petition (Civil) No. 337/1995 and order dated 5.10.2015 in W.P. (C) No. 202/1995, all such proposals also require recommendation of the SCNBWL.
1.2	NATIONAL PARKS:
	Section 35 (6) of WLPA mandates consultation with the NBWL for undertaking any activity mentioned therein within a National Park.
1.3	OTHER PROVISIONS:
	Section 33 (a) of the WLPA provides for prior approval of the National Board for construction of commercial tourist lodges, hotels, zoos and safari parks inside a sanctuary. This proviso is also applicable to National Parks as per Section 35 (8) of the WLPA.
1.4	ACTIVITIES WITHIN TIGER RESERVES AND LINKING AREAS:

- i. The User Agency shall submit the proposal online on the PARIVESH portal of the Ministry. A User Manual for online submission and monitoring of Environmental, Forest and Wild Life Clearance is available at <https://parivesh.nic.in>. No proposal submitted for consideration of the SCNBWL in physical form shall be entertained by the Ministry.
- ii. The user agency can also track the movement of the proposal through different stages of processing through the online clearance system.
- iii. The roles of various agencies involved in the process and actions required to be taken are provided in the manual. In case of difficulty, the details of concerned to be contacted have also been provided.

3. TIME LINES TO BE FOLLOWED BY VARIOUS AGENCIES INVOLVED IN PROCESSING THE PROPOSALS:

Following time lines will be adhered by all the officials responsible for the activities indicated

1	DFO/Wild Life Warden	i. Initial scrutiny in 5 days of receipt of the proposal
		ii. 15 days after receipt of complete proposal for site inspection, consultation with Conservator of Forests/Chief Conservator of Forests/Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and forwarding to the Chief Wild Life Warden
2	Chief Wild Life Warden	15 days from receipt of proposal for scrutiny and recommendation to the State Government for placing before the State Board for Wild Life.
3	Consultation with State Board for Wild Life and recommendation of State Government	The activity involves decision of the State Government, consultation with State Board for Wild Life and thereafter, recommendation of State Government to Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change enclosing the copy of the minutes of the State Board for Wild Life. Therefore, this stage may take up to 45 days (one and half months) , as the State Board for Wild Life is chaired by Hon'ble Chief Minister.
4	Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change	i. Initial scrutiny in 10 days of receipt of the proposal
5	Consultation with Standing Committee of National Board for Wild Life	ii. In the upcoming Meetings of Standing Committee of National Board for Wild Life which are ordinarily convened once in 3 months .

	The Protected Areas constituting a Tiger Reserve attract all the provisions applicable for National Parks or Sanctuaries. In addition, as per section 38-O (1) (g) of the Act, approval of NBWL and advice of the National Tiger Conservation Authority (NTCA) are required for activities within tiger reserves and in areas linking one Protected Area or tiger reserve with another Protected Area or tiger reserve for ecologically unsustainable uses, except in public interest.
1.5	ALTERATION OF BOUNDARIES:
	In view of sections 26A (3) and 35 (5) of WLPA, no alteration of the boundaries of a Sanctuary/National Park by the State Government can be made except on a recommendation of the NBWL/SCNBWL. Further, in view of section 38 W of the WLPA, no alteration in the boundaries of a Tiger Reserve can be made except on a recommendation of the NTCA and the approval of the NBWL.
1.6	ACTIVITIES INSIDE ECO-SENSITIVE ZONES:
	Notifications of Eco-Sensitive Zones (ESZ) specify the activities which are prohibited, regulated and promoted in the ESZ. Proposals for prohibited activities should not be forwarded for consideration of the SCNBWL. For taking up any activity within an ESZ, if notified, or within 10 km zone of the boundary of National Parks/Wildlife Sanctuaries (if ESZ has not been notified), prior approval of the NBWL/SCNBWL shall be required if the activity/project is listed in the schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 as amended from time to time.
1.7	ACTIVITIES REFERRED BY OTHER AGENCIES:
	There may be cases where chairperson of NBWL/SCNBWL or Hon'ble Supreme Court of India or any other statutory agency may desire examination of a proposal by the NBWL/SCNBWL. Such cases may be submitted by the State Government/UT Administration for consideration of NBWL/SCNBWL along with the recommendations of the SBWL.
2.	PROCEDURE TO BE FOLLOWED FOR CONSIDERATION OF PROPOSALS BY THE STANDING COMMITTEE OF NATIONAL BOARD FOR WILDLIFE:

4.	PROPOSALS FOR SURVEY WORK TO BE CARRIED OUT INSIDE NATIONAL PARKS AND WILDLIFE SANCTUARIES:
	State Governments/Union Territory Administrations may consider prescribing rules under section 28 of the WLPA regarding safeguards to be followed while entering Protected Areas for survey/ investigation. In view of section 35(8) of the Act, the provisions of section 28 apply in relation to a National Park as they apply in relation to a sanctuary.
	It may be noted that when invasive activities (such as destruction, exploitation, removal etc from PA) are involved, the permit for survey and investigation can be issued only after consideration by the SCNBWL. In case survey work and/or Environment Impact Assessment (EIA) studies are to be taken up in areas involving a Protected Area, and are covered under section 29 or 35(6) of WLPA, then also the entire procedure, as prescribed in paragraph 2 above needs to be followed.
5.	MANDATORY SUBMISSION OF ANIMAL PASSAGE PLANS:
	A guidance document, namely, 'Eco-friendly Measures to Mitigate Impacts of Linear Infrastructure on Wild Life' has been prepared by the Ministry. The document prescribes measures, both structural and non-structural, to be adopted while designing linear infrastructure projects through wildlife habitats. Whenever a linear infrastructure project is planned through a wildlife habitat, an animal passage plan shall be prepared by the user agency in consultation with the Chief Wild Life Warden for submission along with the project proposal.
6.	COST OF MITIGATION MEASURES:
	Measures to mitigate impacts of projects in protected areas and eco-sensitive zones should be part of project proposals. Instead of imposing a fixed cost, mitigation measures and costs associated with such measures should be prescribed while recommending project proposals.
7.	MANAGEMENT PLANS FOR AREAS UNDER TRANSMISSION LINES:
	Proposals for transmission lines shall be accompanied with a management plan for the area below the transmission line. The management plan should prescribe the species to be planted and maintained below the transmission line, periodicity of maintenance etc.
8.	BIO-DIVERSITY IMPACT ASSESSMENT REPORT:
	Proposals for use of an area exceeding 50 ha within a sanctuary/national park shall be accompanied with a bio-diversity impact assessment study report prepared by an agency accredited by the Government of India.
9.	MINING PROPOSALS:
	In view of the direction of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in its order dated 04.08.2006 in I.A. 1000 in W.P. 202/95, no proposal for mining in a

	sanctuary/National Park or within one km from the boundary of a sanctuary/ National Park should be forwarded to the Ministry for consideration of the SCNBWL.
10.	USE OF INNOVATIVE TECHNOLOGY IN MITIGATION OF IMPACTS:
	State/UT Governments shall endeavor to encourage user agencies to use innovative technologies and modern scientific tools while prescribing mitigation measures and monitoring the impact of developmental activities on wildlife habitats.

FULL TITLE OF PROJECT :-DIVERSION OF 8.0678Ha. OF FOREST LAND FOR CONSTRUCTION OF SIUL-IV SHEP 4MW TEHSIL SALOONI DISTT. CHAMBA HP.

CHECK LIST SERIAL NUMBR: 17

LOCATION MAP OF COMPENSATORY AFFORESTATION

Location map of Non forest /UPF (Unmarked Protected forest) identified for Compensatory Afforestation in lieu of proposal for diversion of 8.0678Ha. of forest land for Construction of Siul-IV 4MW SHEP in Chamba District.

Village Digodi Tehsil Salooni District Chamba Forest Division Churah Forest Range: - Chakoli – Khasra No...740/34... Khatoni No..71/67..85/81.....

Name of Forest: _____ Matun (UPF) Unmarked Protected Forest

Area for Compensatory afforestation _____ 17Hac.

Map attached:-

Area to be taken for Compensatory Afforestation

M. Mahesh
Range Forest Officer
Chakoli Range

[Signature]
Divisional Forest Officer,
Churah Forest Division,
Salooni District, Chamba.

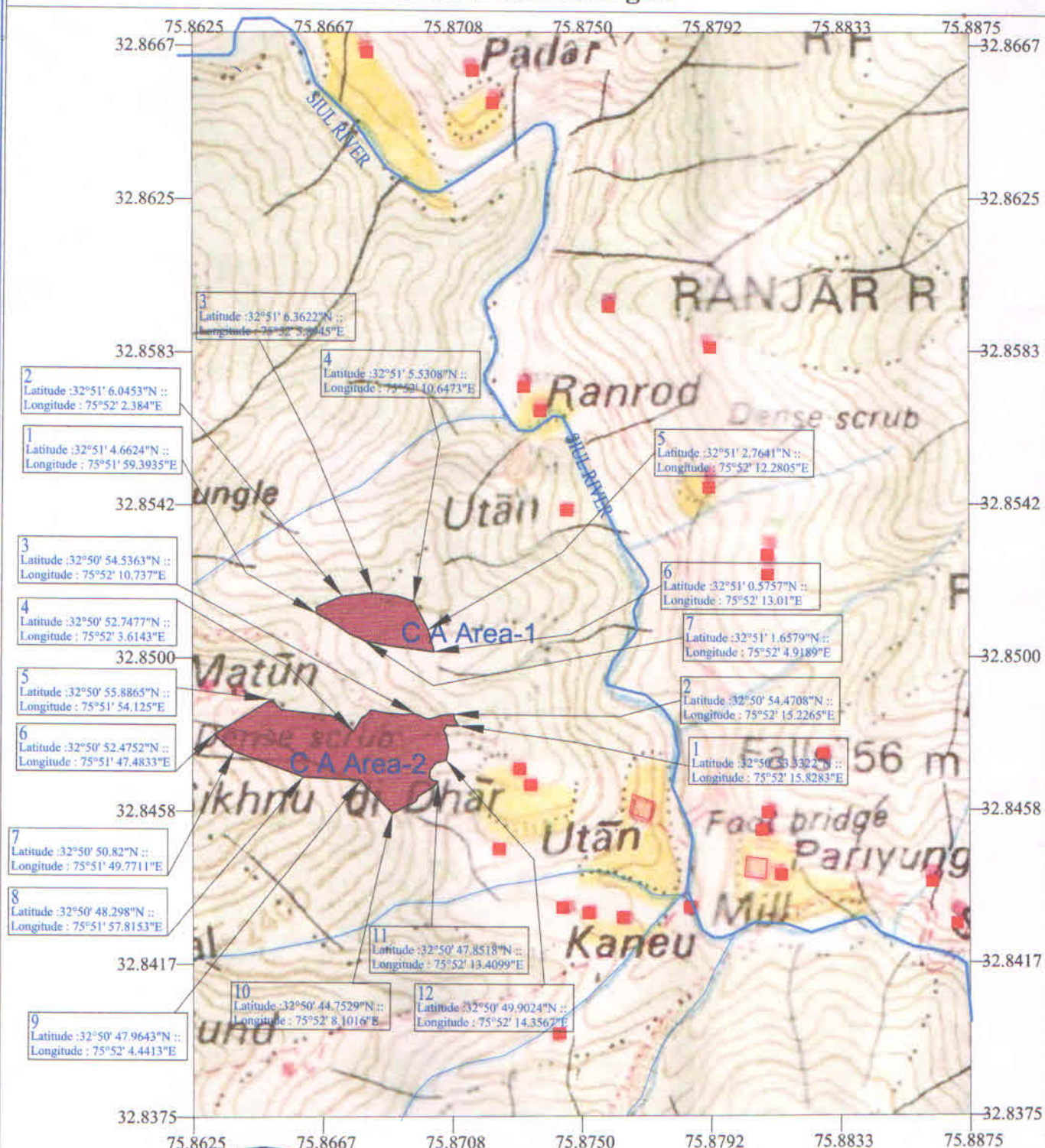
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Project Manager
M/s. Friends HIM Energies

**DIGITAL/SOI TOPOSHEET MAP ALONG WITH CO-ORDINATES
FOR COMPENSATORY AFFORESTATION OF SIUL-IV SMALL
HYDRO ELECTRIC PROJECT (4.00MW).**

**Name of Forest Area:-UPF MATUN -Near Village Matun. TEH.SALOONI, DISTT.
CHAMBA (HP)**



M/s Friends Him Energies



**Range Forest Officer,
Chakoli Range**

**Divisional Forest Officer
Chamba Forest Division
SALOONI**

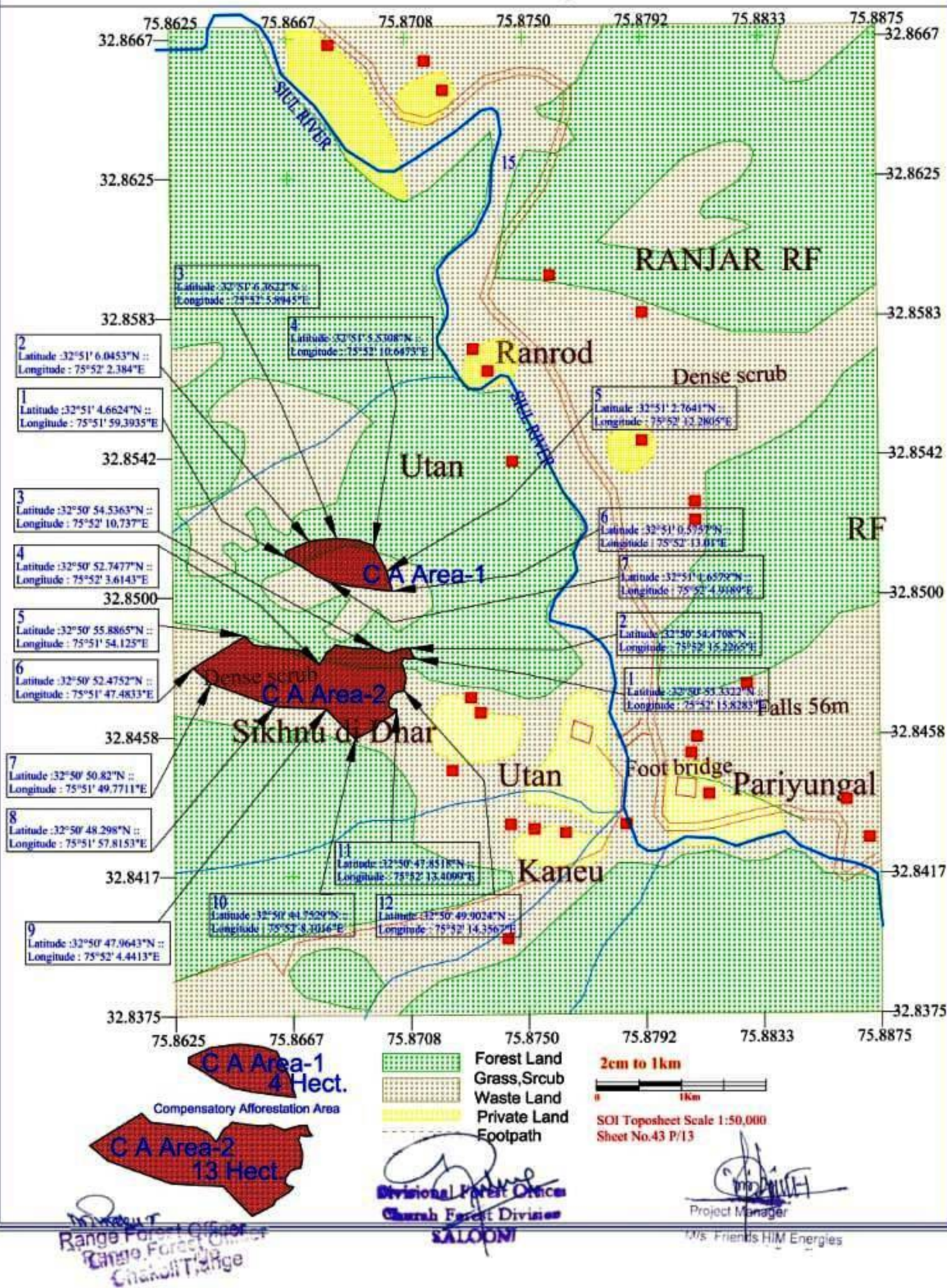
**Project Manager
M/s Friends HIM Energies**

LAND USE MAP ALONG WITH CO-ORDINATES FOR COMPENSATORY AFFORESTATION OF SIUL-IV SMALL HYDRO ELECTRIC PROJECT (4.00MW).

Name of Forest Area:-UPF MATUN -Near Village Matun. TEH.SALOONI, DISTT. CHAMBA (HP)



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जिला : चम्बा
तहसील : सलूनी
कानूनगोवृत : भादेल
पटवार वृत : भादेल
हदबस्त न. : 134

मोहाल : प्रयुग्गल

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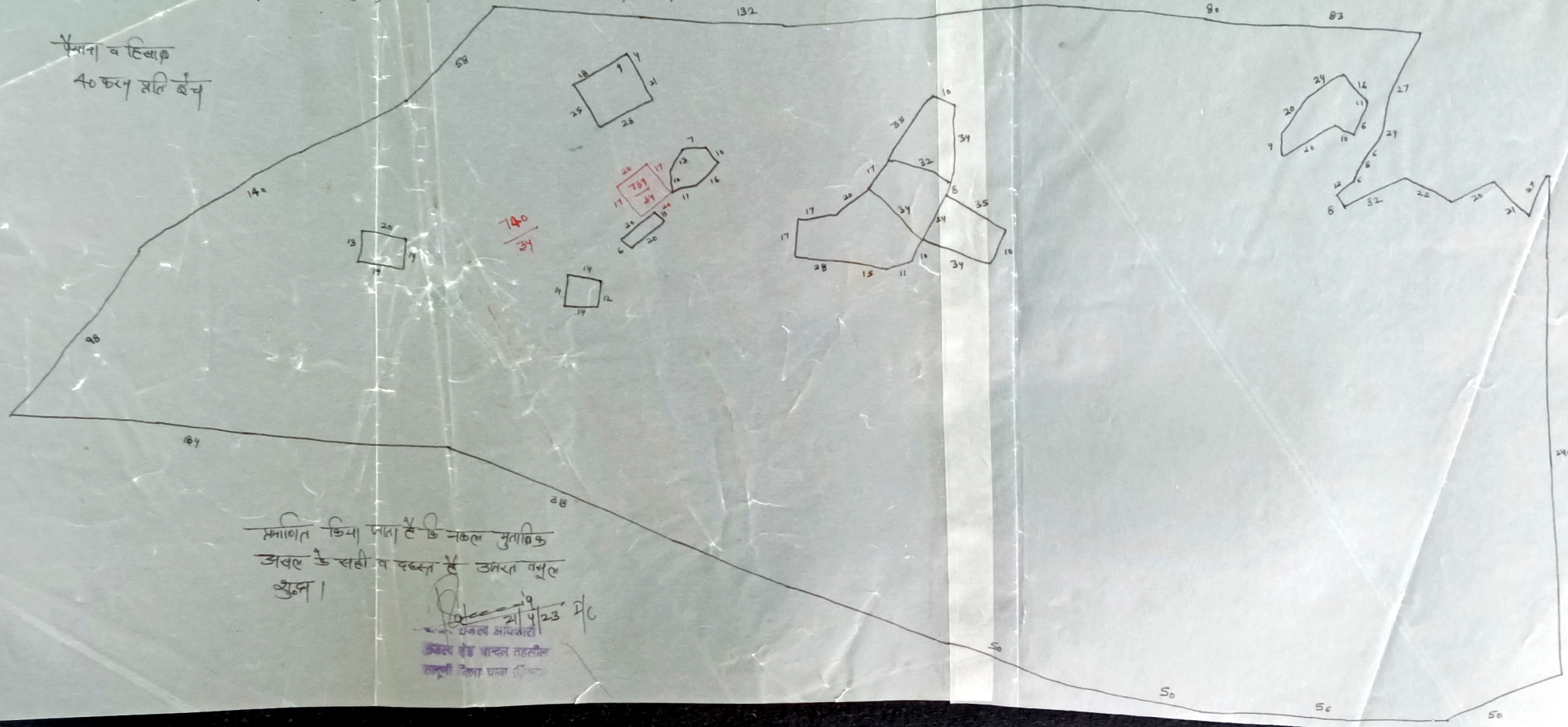
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**FULL TITLE OF PROJECT :-DIVERSION OF 8.0678Ha. OF FOREST LAND FOR
CONSTRUCTION OF SIUL-IV SHEP 4MW TEHSIL SALOONI DISTT. CHAMBA HP.**

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“SCHEME FOR COMPENSATORY AFFORESTATION”

Detailed scheme for compensatory afforestation to be carried out in lieu of diversion of 8.0678 hectares of forest land to be diverted for the construction of Siul-IV SHEP (4MW) Tehsil Salooni in District Chamba (H.P).

1) Details of degraded forest Land / Non- forest land :-

a) District	Chamba
b) Village	Matun
c) Tehsil	Salooni
d) Name of forest Division	Churah
e) Range	Chakoli
f) Block/ Compartment/survey No.	Panoga block
g) Area to be afforested	17 Ha

2) Description of Area:-

a) Whether the site selected for compensatory afforestation is a land bank or not:

Yes. The selected site is a land bank.

b) If the CA site is other than the land bank reason be given:

Not applicable as the site selected is land bank.

c) In the case of non- forest area identified for CA , then what is the distance of CA site from adjoining forest boundary :

Not applicable as the site selected is a forest area.

d) Soil Type : Clayey loam

e) Topography : i) Hilly /Undulating /Plain

ii) Slope : Steep / **Medium** / gentle

f) Whether the area is bearing any root stock of vegetation:

Scattered trees of deodar and kail exist on the site.

Plantation Model :-

- (a) Compensatory afforestation over an area of 17ha of degraded forest land is proposed to be raised. The area selected for this purpose is in UPF Matun which is a degraded forest area and has been notified as a land bank. Presently the area supports scattered Deodar, kail and OBL tree. Whole of the plantation of 17 hectares will be raised in two compact blocks, block one 13 hectares and block two 4 hectares inside the land bank created for such a purpose. The area identified for plantation has also been shown on the attached map. Plants

@1100 plants per hectare will be planted. Thus 18700 plants under this diversion proposal will be planted in the land bank. The species to be planted will be mainly Deodar, kail etc. which are suitable for the area will also be planted. The plantation will be raised in the following year after the approval of FCA proposal and further maintenance and beating up of failures will be done for the subsequent seven years. The scheme will be implementing by Forest department through DFO the scheme has been formulated by taking into consideration the present wage rate of Churah. The cost structure of the scheme is attached. Total financial outlay for compensatory plantation scheme is Rs..... Certificate of DFO Churah regarding suitability of area identified for compensatory plantation is attached. The area selected for compensatory plantation will be approachable from Chamba – Sanghni - langera PWD Road and 1.5 kilometer on foot from paryungal village. Monitoring will be done as per existing monitoring mechanism in the forest department at present and also as per G.O.I. instructions.

- (b) Copy of the approved Compensatory afforestation breakup is enclosed.

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COST OF COMPENSATORY AFFORESTATION SCHEME IN RESPECT OF DIVERSION OF 8.0678 Ha OF FOREST LAND FOR THE C/O SHEP 4 MW SIUL-IV inCHURAH AT SALOONI forest division, District Chamba (H.P.)

Norms of plantation and maintenance of old plantation for Non-Tribal and Tribal Areas for the year 2018-19 applicable vide Pr.CCF (HoFF) H.P. Shimla memo.No.Ft.State CAMPA/2010/Norms/Vol.II dated 30.05.2018.

Total area diverted in hac	8.0678 Hectare				
Area proposed for compensatory afforestation.	16.1356 hectare Or Say 17 hectare				
Name of proposed plantation area	Name of Place: - Forest - UPF MATUN near village matun tehsil Salooni District Chamba.				
Plants to be planted per ha	1100				
Total number of plants to be planted planted.	18700				
Species to be planted	Deodar & Kail Species				
Particulars of works	Area in Hac.	Rate per Hac. Tribal Areas	Nursery cost (Deodar & Kail	Total Rate Non Tribal Areas	Total amount
Initial cost for raising compensatory afforestation over an area of <u>17 ha.</u>	17.00	89800	19877	109677	1864509
Soil & Moisture Conservation works @ 25% of planting cost					466127
Total-A					2330636
1st year maintenance	17.00	10600	5963	16563	281571
2 nd year maintenance	17.00	7100	3975	11075	188275
3 rd year maintenance	17.00	3700	1988	5688	96696
4th year maintenance	17.00	3700	1988	5688	96696
5 th year maintenance	17.00	3700	1988	5688	96696
6th year maintenance	17.00	3700	1988	5688	96696
7th year maintenance	17.00	3700	1988	5688	96696
8th year maintenance	17.00	3700	1988	5688	96696
8th year maintenance	17.00	3700	1988	5688	96696
10 th year maintenance	17.00	3700	1988	5688	96696
Total-B					1243414
Total-A+B			2330636 +	1243414 =	3574050
Contingencies @ 5% on Rs. 3574050/-					178702
Total			3574050 +	178702 =	3752752
Departmental charges @ 17.5% on Rs. 3752752/-					656731
G. Total :			3752752 +	656731 =	4409483


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Technical details:-

Technical details of Compensatory Afforestation Scheme are as follows:-

- (c) **General Details:** - An area of 17Ha will be taken up for planting under compensatory afforestation scheme in UPF Matun in two compact blocks-block one 13 hectares and block two 4 hectares. The area will be protected by Barbed wire fencing and a mixture of conifer and broad leaved species will be planted. Plants will be planted @ 1100 plants per hectare.
- (d) **Spacement :-** 2.5mtr x 2.5mtr
- (e) **Species :-** Mainly Deodar, kail etc.
- (f) **Plantation Method:** - Nursery grown two and a half year old plans of deodar (in Polythene bags) and one and half year old plants of kail (in Polythene bags) will be planted in 30x30x30cm pits in the selected area. Horse chestnut plants will be planted naked root in 45X45X45cm pits. Bush cutting will be done in the infested area. The plantation will be maintained for subsequent 7 years in which beating up of failures will be done. The plantation will be rain fed.
- (g) **Soil and Moisture Conservation Works:** - Contour trenching will be done the entire area to conserve the available moisture during rainy season so that moisture regime in the area is improved. Minor Soil conservation work like gully plugging, check walls will be done where ever required.
- (h) **Protection (Fencing, watch man, people's Participation etc.):**- Area will be protected from grazing by erecting barbed wire fencing at all vulnerable places around the plantation. Further watch and ward as also fire protection will be ensured through regular departmental staff.
- (i) **Proposed Monitoring Mechanism:-** the plantation will be monitored as per existing monitoring mechanism in the forest department. The plantation will also be monitored by GOI representatives as per instructions. The plantation site will be approachable from Chamba – Langer PWD Road and further 1.5km on foot.
- (j) **Any other information:-** Nil.


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NAME OF PROPOSAL: - SIUL-IV 4MW S.H.E.P

LAND SUITABLEITY CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the land selected for Compensatory Afforestation in Matun (UPF) Unmarked Protected forest near village Matun at Paryungal 17 hectares in Churah forest Division at Salooni, in District Chamba Himachal Pradesh is in two Compact block, block one 13 hectares and block two 4 hectares total CA land =17 hectares and contiguous to the forest area and is suitable from the Management and Protection point of view and is free from all sorts of encumbrance and encroachment.


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