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The Conservator of Forests, East Circle, Jammu.

No: KFD/FCA/2023-24/

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/2023

Construction/Improvement from CL-09 to NHDL specifications of road Dayalchak-

Ramkote (Challan) KM 8.00 to KM 25.421 (Net Length 17.421 KM) in J&K U.T.

Ref: Your office letter No. 1175/FCA/CFE/J dated 06/03/2023.

Sir,

Apropos to the subject and reference cited above, the point wise reply to the EDS raised by the DIGF (Central) Regional Officer, IRO Jammu is given as under:-

S. No.	EDS raised	Reply
1	As per DSS analysis, 8 hac of total proposed CA site has moderately dense forest cover. Hence new CA site with canopy density falling under open forest required to be uploaded.	The revised CA plan has been uploaded under menu option "13" in (Form-A) Part-II on PARIVESH portal.  The recommendation as per format has been uploaded on PARIVESH portal.
2	Specific recommendation from the DFO needs to be in accordance with the format, Part-II at page no. 22-23 of handbook of forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and Forest conservation rules, 2003 (Guidelines and clarification), 2019, MoEFF&CC. hence, fresh specific recommendation from DFO need to be uploaded.	

Hence submitted for favour of information and necessary action please.

Yours faithfully,

(Khalid Amin Mehta), SFS Divisional Forest Officer

Kathua Forest Division, Kathua