

Government of Punjab
Department of Forests & Wildlife Preservation
Forest Complex, Sector-68,
S.A.S. Nagar, Punjab.
(FCA Branch)

FP/PB/ROAD/21787/2016

To Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (C),
Government of India,
Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change,
Northern Regional Office, Bays No. 24-25,
Sector 31-A, Chandigarh.

No: FCA/1980/313-327/2016/ 393

Dated 13-6-18

Sub: FCA/1980/313-327/2016: -Diversion of 3.9431 ha (3.609 ha in Rupnagar Forest Division + 0.3341 ha (PF 0.0048 ha & PLPA 0.3293 ha) in Nawanshahar at Garhshankar Forest Division) of forest land for widening of Ropar Abiana Nurpur Bedi road from km. 0.00 to 0.510 and 0.510 to 4.10 km. (from Ropar Head Works to village-Lower Garhbagga), 8.15 to 9.15 (in village Tibba Tapprian) and km. 12.45 to km. 13.875 (from village- Madhopur to village -Abiana Kalan) under Forest Division and Distt. Rupnagar and Nawanshahar at Garhshankar, Punjab.

Ref: Your office letter No. 9-PBB419/2016-CHA dated 28.04.2017.

Please refer to the subject cited above, reply to the observations made by your office sent by Divisional Forest Officer, Rupnagar and Nawanshahar at Garhshankar are as under:-

1. Accurate KML file of the project site has been uploaded on the Online Portal and enclosed at Annexure-I.
2. DGPS Map & KML file of the C.A site has been uploaded on the Online Portal and enclosed at Annexure-II.
3. It was discussed in the REC meeting dated 19.03.2018 that the area of C.A site of this case was selected for another case i.e. (Diversion of 29.9107 ha (instead of 29.859 ha) of forest land in favour of IOCL for laying of 12.75" OD under Ground Petroleum Product Branch pipeline along with OFC from village- Jhugian, village- Pekhubala under Forest Division Nawanshahar at Garhshankar), so the C.A. site has been changed in this case to Bachua Forest instead of Kathgarh PF. KML file of new C.A. Site has been uploaded and DGPS Map is enclosed at Annexure-III.

Encl: As above

Addl. PCCF (FC) &
Nodal Officer (FCA),
Punjab, S.A.S. Nagar.

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

1. Conservator of Forests, Shiwalik/DFO, Rupnagar and Nawanshahar at Garhshankar w.r.t DFO Rupnagar's Letter No. 1123 dated 17.05.2017 and DFO Nawanshahar at Garhshankar's letter No. 8586 dated 27.03.2018.
2. Executive Engineer, Construction Division, PWD, B&R Branch Ropar.

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