

No.Ft. 48-3637/2017 (FCA),
Forest Department, Himachal Pradesh

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

To: The Deputy Director General of Forests (Central),
GoI, MOEF& Climate Change, Regional Office(North-Central Zone),
25, Subhash Road, Dehradun-248001, Uttarakhand.

Dated Shimla-1, the

15 SEP 2020

Subject: **Diversion of 11.9813 ha. of forest land in favour of HPSEB Ltd. for the construction of Sai Kothi-II Hydel Electric Project (16.5 MW), within the jurisdiction of Churah Forest Division, Distt. Chamba, H.P. (Online No. FP/HP/HYD/23837/2017).**

Sir,

Kindly refer to your office letter No. 8B/HP/01/129/2019/FC/819 dated 31.07.2020 on the subject cited proposal.

2. The pointwise reply to the observation as raised vide your above referred communication is submitted as below:-

- (i) DFO Concerned has submitted that the area proposed for Compensatory Afforestation fall under the category of UPF (Un-demarcated Protected Forest) which is as per the Guidelines Para No. 2.4(iii) of FCA,1980.
- (ii) The soft copy of the proposal is enclosed herewith.
- (iii) The copy of Environment Social Impact Assesment is enclosed herewith.

Yours faithfully,

Encls: As above

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

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Dated Shimla-171001

Copy for information is forwarded to:-

- 1 CCF Chamba, w.r.t to his endst. No.2968 dated 18.08.2020.
- 2 DFO Churah.
- 3 Sr. Ececutive Engineer, Hydel Investigation Division, Chamba, Distt. Chamba, H.P.

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14.8.2020