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No.D-VI-194(M)/
HP Forest Department

From: CCF Bilaspur.

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

Subject:- **Diversion of 8.1683 ha. of forest land in favour of M/S Shyam Kumar R/o Village Tikkri, PO Panjgain, Tehsil Sadar, Distt. Bilaspur, HP for collection/extraction of sand, stone & Bajri within the Jurisdiction of Bilaspur Forest Division, Distt. Bilaspur, HP.**

Memo.

Kindly refer to your office memo. No. Ft.48-3757/2018(FCA) dated 17.05.2023 on the subject cited above.

2. The point-wise reply/information to the shortcomings as furnished by DFO Bilaspur is as under:-

Sr. No.	EDS/Observations	Reply to EDS
1	However, the cost benefit analysis for forest land proposed for diversion has been furnished in prescribed format but the value assessment has not been done as per rates of NPV issued by the Govt. of India vide letter dated 6 th January, 2022. Therefore, DFO concerned may ensure whether cost benefit analysis has been calculated as per revised rates of NPV.	New Cost benefit analysis as per NPV is uploaded by the user agency.
2	As per latest instructions received from GoI, no hard copies of the reply and proposal folder is being received by Govt. of India. It is therefore, requested that complete proposal folder after ensuring that all the documents in a single PDF file as per checklist, 1980 has been prepared, should be uploaded in Part-I by the user agency and all the documents as desired by the Govt. of India should be uploaded with the reply of CCF Bilaspur through online. If the same documents have been uploaded on the web portal by the user agency and DFO concerned, the references of particular columns should be given the pointwise reply.	All the documents are uploaded in additional information in single pdf. Alongwith these documents a NOC from Directorate of HP fisheries Department is also uploaded by the user agency.
3	Alongwith FRA certificate, proceeding of Gram Sabha Galiyan has been provided whereas proceeding of Van Adhikar Samiti has been provided by Ser Van Adhikar Samiti. It may be clarified whether common for Ser and Galiyan gram. If there is separate Van Adhikar Samiti, the proceeding of the same be uploaded with the complete FRA certificate in Part-I or with the reply of CCF concerned.	The user agency has submitted a certificate of Revenue Department alongwith FRA proceedings that Van Adhikar Samiti for Ser & Galiyan are common.(photocopies enclosed)
4	As the validity of letter of intent is going to be expired on 21.05.2023. Therefore, approval of extension of validity of period of letter of intent be obtained from concerned authority and be uploaded with the reply.	Approval of extension of validity of period of letter of intent is uploaded by the user agency.
5	W.r.t. point No. 4 it has been stated that the approach access from the nearest existing road to the project site is private land. It may be clarified	The approach access from existing road to project is Pvt. land. The details as provided by user agency along with

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	whether there is any approach road to the project site. Detail alongwith revenue paper of Pvt. land involved in the approach access/road be provided to this office.	revenue papers of Pvt. land uploaded in additional information.
6	The estimated reserve mentioned in M-7 & in-approved mining plan is not matching. The necessary correction be done as per mining plan against column No. M-7.	The user agency has intimated that correction in estimated reserve mentioned in M-7 has been done as per mining plan.
7	Distt. Survey report is issued by the mining Department in mining cases. Therefore, comments of concerned mining officers whether proposed mining conforms to the Distt. Survey report (as per EMSMG 2020 & SSMMG 2016 is required to be obtained and uploaded with the reply of CCF concerned.	Distt. Survey report issued by mining officer is uploaded by the user agency.
8	It has not been clarified whether Safety zone area has been proposed in view of the guidelines Para 7.9. It may also be clarified whether CA area in degraded Forest land of 1.5 times of the proposed safety zone areas has been identified by DFO concerned or not.	Safety zone area is included in total diversion area of 8.1683 ha. as such CA is proposed on 16.5 ha. double degraded forest land. Hence, it may kindly be guided as to whether CA area in degraded forest land of 1.5 times of the proposed safety zone area is required separately or otherwise
9	The Govt. of India has asked at Point No. 10 to protect the public road and natural stream respectively located in side mining lease area by taking 10 Mtr. width and 50 Mtr. Strip on either side. It may be clarified whether there is any public road and natural stream in the mining lease area? If so, the map duly authenticated by showing the public road and natural stream protected by taking 10 Mtr. width and 50 mtr strip land should be provided.	As per report of Halka Patwari Badgoan and mining guard of mining Department concerned forest staff that there is no public road and natural stream under proposed project site. The necessary certificate is enclosed herewith.
10	Employment detail and population to be benefited has not been included in the brief note of the project.	The Employment detail and population to be benefited has been included in the brief note of the project.
11	As user agency has applied for EC in the year of 2018. Since, 5 years EC has not been obtained. Reasons for delay in obtaining EC be provided to this office.	Undertaking for EC has been uploaded by the user agency.
12	It has been replied vide your letter under reference that CA area has been replaced. But the detail of area replaced for CA has not been given in the reply. Further, location map as uploaded in additional information detail in Part-II is for UPF Dhar Tatoh. Further, certificate as provided by DFO concerned for no plantation over CA area is also for UPF Dhar. If the CA area area has been replaced, the detail of area replaced, location map, digital map, toposheet and site suitability certificate and no plantation certificate should be provided to this office through online.	Needful has been done.

Encls:-As Above.

Chief Conservator of Forests,
Bilaspur Forest Circle,
Bilaspur (HP).

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Copy is forwarded to DFO Bilaspur w.r.t. his office memo. No. 7690 dated 31.10.2023 for information.

