

GOVERNMENT OF ARUNACHAL PRADESH  
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS & CLIMATE CHANGE  
ITANAGAR.

No. FOR.3-240/Cons/2021/ 3234-37

Dated, Itanagar 13<sup>th</sup> June'2023.

To

The Regional Officer,  
Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change,  
Integrated Regional Office, Guwahati,  
4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Housefed Building, G.S Road, Rukminigaon,  
Guwahati-781022

Sub:- Proposal for diversion of 34.9816 ha forestland for widening/improvement of existing road Namti-Kibithu from 0.00 km to 20.31 km to NHDL specification by BRTF in Anjaw District of Arunachal Pradesh.

Ref:- Your letter F.No. 3-AN C 164/2023/GHY/3623-24 dated 20.02.2023.

Madam,

With reference to above letter on the subject, this is to enclose herewith following information:


1	To clarify on proposal name mentioned at part-II Form as the proposed 34.9816 ha is mentioned as for widening/ improvement and realignment of existing road Namti Kibithu -Thochu-Wacha between km 0.00 km to 20.310 to NHDL, specification as well as for construction of road Kibithu -Thochu-Wacha between km 0.00 to 9.750 (Green field alignment)	It is clarified that the correct name of the proposal is "Proposal for diversion of 34.9816 ha forest land for widening/improvement of existing road Namti-Kibithu from 0.00 km to 20.31 km to NHDL specification by BRTF in Anjaw District of Arunachal Pradesh and due to oversight it was written as construction of road Kibithu-Thochu-Wacha between km 0.00 to 9.750 (Green field alignment) in Part-II.
2	The aerial distance of the proposed area from the nearest boundary of protected Area/Wildlife Sanctuary/National Park.	The aerial distance is 49.86 km from the nearest protected area i.e. Kamlang TR.
3	The technically approved avenue plantation scheme and its estimation.	As per Forest (Conservation ) Act'80, submission of scheme for raising of avenue plantation is not mandatory with the proposal. The User Agency has to raise avenue plants at their own cost as per Indian Road Congress (IRC) norms.
4	The original or colour scanned Sol map indicating the distance of the proposed road to the proximity of the nearest river.	The User Agency submitted the original or colour scanned Sol map indicating the distance of the proposed road to the proximity of the nearest river is enclosed at Annexure-I.

5	The comments of the State Govt on the muck dumping loction as 2 Nos. out of 5 Nos. identified muck dumping sites area are "INVOIATE" due to presence of hydrological layer as per the DSS	The road is of strategic importance for security of the Country. The area diverted is very small compared to area of the forest, therefore may not any impact on hydrological layer. Hence diversion of forest land of the proposed area is required.
6	The identified 35 ha CA area comprises of 4 ha very dense forest, 4 ha moderately dense forest 26.061 ha open forest and 3.008 ha non forest as per DSS. State Govt is therefore to conduct site inspection of the identified CA area by an officer not below the rank of Conservator of Forests and report to be submitted mentioning vegetation and forest cover density with photographs of the inspecting officer taken at the site or else an alternate CA site is to be submitted along SOI maps, site suitability certificate , GPS-coordinates shape file etc.	The site inspection report submitted by CCF, WAC, Banderdewa alongwith photographs of proposed CA identified at Kamle RF for 35.00 ha under Hapoli Forest Division is enclosed at Annexure-II
7	The table indicating area wise, lengthwise, existing and proposed RoW, whether for widening/ improvement/new alignment etc.	The User Agency submitted the table indicating area wise, lengthwise, existing and proposed Row is enclosed at Annexure-III.
8	The original or colour scanned Sol toposheet indicating the identified CA area as the uploaded map is not legible	The original or colour scanned Sol toposheet indicating the identified CA area uploaded Parivesh portal and enclosed at Annexure-IV.

It is therefore, requested to kindly issue necessary formal approval for diversion of 34.9816 ha forest land for construction of above road under Section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act'1980.

Enclo: As above.

Yours faithfully,


  
13.06.2023

(K.B.Singh),

APCCF (Cons) & Nodal Officer (FCA)

Copy to:-

1. The Chief Conservator of Forests, WAC, Banderdewa for information.
2. The Officer Commanding, 116 RCC (GREF), C/o 99 APO, Pin-930116 for information and necessary action.
3. The DFO, Anjaw FD for information.

  
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