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No. C-28-b-1603/ FCA (Online)/Chopal/_____ Dated, the Shimla-02_____

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

Subject: Diversion of 4.5338 ha of Forest land in favour of HPPWD for the Construction of road from Bijamal to Halau via Shallan GP Halau (Kms 0/0 to 7/00), within the Jurisdiction of Chopal Forest Division, District Shimla, Himachal Pradesh. (Online Proposal No. FP/HP/Road/44189/2020).

Memo: Kindly refer of your office letter No. FC/HPB/06/64/2021 dated 09.08.2023 on the subject cited above.

2. The point wise reply of the observation raised by you is given as under: -

Sr.	Observation	Reply
1.	As the DPR is not yet prepared, therefore the Soil Moisture Conservation Plan (SMC), along with its Cost of implementation as per MoEF&CC guideline dated 07.06.2022 and 16.01.2023, may be provided/uploaded along with an undertaking to deposit its cost in CAMPA as prescribed in Soil Moisture Conservation Plan sum amount as the case may be.	In this context it is submitted that the Soil & Moisture Conservation Plan will be submitted before Stage-II approval. However, the cost of SMCP will be paid as per norms of MoEF&CC. An undertaking to pay the cost of SMCP has been uploaded on the portal by the User Agency.
2.	The detail regarding presence of nature water streams/Nalla which is likely to be affected due to dumping of much in dumping sites may be provided. Also, safeguard measures to be adopted to conserve such water streams (if any) in the dumping sites be provided to this office.	No dumping is proposed in any natural water Stream/Nalla.
3.	The State Government shall provide guidelines/norms regarding maximum slope (in degree) in which muck can be dumped. Also, slope of each dumping site in the present case may be submitted.	The muck will be dumped in a slope of 50-70 with the provision of R/wall so that the whole muck could be dumped as per the capacity of the dumping site. Further, the drawing of capacity and cross section of dumping site is attached as annexure-A by the User Agency.
4.	Eco-Class in Part-II has been revised to 04, whereas in NPV bill it has mentioned Eco-Class VI. Needful correction in this regard is required.	Needful has been done and uploaded in the portal by the DCF.

Chief Conservator of Forests
 Shimla Forest Circle, Shimla.