

कार्यालय अपर प्रमुख वन संरक्षक एवं नोडल अधिकारी, वन संरक्षण,
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सेवा में,

अपर प्रमुख वन संरक्षक,
भारत सरकार,
पर्यावरण, वन एवं जलवायु परिवर्तन मंत्रालय,
क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय, (उत्तर-मध्यक्षेत्र),
25-सुभाष रोड़, देहरादून।

विषय:- जनपद-पिथौरागढ़ में तहसील, धारचूला के अन्तर्गत प्रस्तावित तांकुल (क्षमता-4X3000 किलोवाट) लघु जल विद्युत परियोजना के निर्माण हेतु 9.397 हे० वन भूमि का गैर वानिकी कार्यों हेतु यूजेवीएन लि० को हस्तान्तरण।

संदर्भ:- भारत सरकार पर्यावरण, वन एवं जलवायु परिवर्तन मंत्रालय, क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय, देहरादून का पत्रांक-8बी/यूसीपी/01/195/2019/एफ०सी०/2090 दिनांक 13-12-2019

महोदय,

विषयांकित प्रकरण पर भारत सरकार के उपरोक्त सन्दर्भित EDS दिनांक 13-12-2019 के क्रम में प्रस्तावक विभाग द्वारा वन संरक्षक, उत्तरी कुमाऊँ वृत्त, अल्मोड़ा के पत्रांक 1843/12-1 दिनांक 07-02-2020 के द्वारा प्रेषित बिन्दुवार सूचना निम्न प्रकार प्रेषित की जा रही है :-

S.No.	Shortcomings	Observations
1	In para-A-1(vi) of Part-I, the shape of the forest land proposed to be diverted is mentioned as 'Linear instead of Non-Linear'. State government may correct the same online.	User Agency mentioned that category of the project has been changed from Linear to Non-Linear in Form A, Part-I, Para-A-1(vi).
2	In para-C of Part-I, KML file of proposed CA area has been found uploaded instead of KML file of the forest land proposed to be diverted for the project. State Government may upload the KML file of the area proposed for diversion at para C(ii), Part I online.	User Agency mentioned that Kml file of the forest land proposed to be diverted has been uploaded in Form A, Part-I, Para-C(ii) and CD of Maps has been enclosed. (Enclosure-1)
3	In para-E of Part-I regarding employment likely to be generated, permanent/regular employment is mentioned as '0' and temporary employment (number of person days) is mentioned as 2000 which does not appear to be correct keeping in view the cost of the project which is mentioned as Rs 11,84,276 lakhs in para-A-I (vii). State Government may submit the clarification in this regard and provide the correct information.	User Agency mentioned that Permanent/regular employees to be engaged after commissioning of the project are around 20. Mandays to be generated during construction period are around 374125 has been uploaded in Form-A, Part-I, Para-E. (Enclosure-2)
4	In para-G of Part-I, the cost benefit analysis has been uploaded in the old format. State government may submit the clarification in this regard and provide the correct information.	User Agency mentioned that Cost benefit analysis as per new format has been uploaded in Form-A, Part-I, Para-G. (Enclosure-3)
5	In para-K of Part-I, FRA certificate has been provided in the format meant for linear projects instead of Form-II meant for projects other than linear projects. State government may upload the FRA certificate meant for the projects other than linear projects.	User Agency mentioned that FRA certificate for non-linear projects has been uploaded in Form-A, Part-I, Para-K. (Enclosure-4)

6	In para-L(vi) of part I, map in Survey of India toposheet showing the project components has been found uploaded instead of map showing the civil land proposed for CA. Moreover, KML file of the proposed CA area and other relevant document viz., ownership proof, non-encumbrance certificate, MoU agreement have not been found uploaded at para-I. State government may do the needful in this regard.	User Agency mentioned that Map showing the civil land proposed for CA has now been uploaded. Allotment letter from GoU has been uploaded for proof of ownership. Further, UJVNL being a nodal agency for development of hydro projects in the state, there is no need to sign the MoU agreement. Relevant document uploaded in Form-A, Part-I, Para-L(iv). (Enclosure-5)
7	Although, the CAT plan has been uploaded at para-M of part-I but the hard copy of the same has not been provided. State government may submit the hard copy of the CAT plan.	User Agency mentioned that The CAT plan is already uploaded in Form-A, Part-I, Para-M. And hard copy enclosed herewith. (Enclosure-6)
8	In the documents showing length and width of the project uploaded at SI No. 30 of additional documents in Para-1, the total forest land involved is mentioned as 10.236 instead of 9.397 ha. State Government may submit the revised documents showing forest and non-forest area.	User Agency mentioned that It is to kindly clarify that under SI. No. 30 the total project land area is 10.236 ha out of which 9.397 ha is forest land and 0.837 ha is non forest land. Revised and correct document has been uploaded in Form-A, Part-I, Additional information SNo-39. (Enclosure-7)
9	In para-4(ii), 4(iii) & 4(iv) of Part-II, the number of trees at FRL, FRL-2 mtr and FRL-4 mtr is mentioned as 16 trees, 216 trees and nil trees respectively which is not correct. Government may submit clarification and provide correct information in this regard.	The correction has been done & the certificate of total number of trees given by DFO-Pithoragarh and uploaded in form A Part-II, para-4(ii), 4(iii) & 4(iv). (Enclosure-8)
10	In para-13 of Part-II, details of the proposed CA area has not been filled up in the table and KML file, geo-referenced map and the map in SoI toposheet have also not been uploaded. State government may fill the all the detail at para 13 and upload maps and KML file at para 13 Part II online.	The details of the proposed CA area have been uploaded by DFO in form A Part-II, Para-13. (According to encloser-2)
11	The area of land required for 3 no of muck disposal sites mentioned in component wise breakup at para - B - 2.4 of Part-1 does not match with the area and dimensions of the 3 no. of muck disposal sites given in the Muck Disposal Plan provided with the hard copy of the proposed. State Government may remove this discrepancy and submit the actual detail of the same.	User Agency mentioned that discrepancy in area of 3 number of muck disposal sites has been removed. Accordingly, revised muck disposal plan has been uploaded in Form-A, Part-I, Para-B-2.4. (Enclosure-9)
12	State government as well as the user agency has not mentioned anything about the Environment flow (E-flow) required to sustain forest water ecosystem etc. downstream of diversion weir upto TRT. State government may do the needful in this regard.	User Agency mentioned that Provision for release of adequate e-flow has been made in the DPR. Further, all the necessary steps shall be taken during construction of project to comply the latest orders of Honorable National Green Tribunal. The (E-flow) clarification has been uploaded in Form-A, Part-I, Additional information SNo-18. (Enclosure-10)
13	It is seen from DSS analysis of the area proposed for CA that 2.00 ha area of Patch -I (7.984 ha) falls in MDF. Similarly 3.00 ha area of Patch-4 (4.872 ha) also falls in MDF. State government may submit the plantation scheme in lieu of area falling in MDF/VDF.	The revised CA (5.00 ha, Gangolihat Range) scheme has been uploaded by DFO in Form-A, Part-II, Para-13 (iii) 6. (Enclosure-11)
14	Copy of TEC and implementation agreement has not been submitted with the proposal. State government may submit the hard copy of TEC and implementation agreement.	User Agency mentioned that as per guidelines of Central Electricity Authority, a project having capital expenditure less than Rs. 1000.00 Crores does not require concurrence (TEC) from CEA. Further, the project was allotted to UJVNL by GoU and UJVNL being the nodal agency of GoU for development of hydro projects in the state, therefore, there is no need to enter into

