

No 313
H.P. Forest Department.

Dated Luhri, the/ 23.04.2019

From: - DFO Ani

To: - C.C.F (T). Rampur

Subject: - Diversion of 3.3771 hac. Forest land in favour of M/s Himprabha Power Pvt. Ltd. Village Karnguhi. PO. Panthera. Tehsil Ghumarwin Distt. Bilaspur H.P for c/o Lower Kupan-II Small Hydro Electric Project within the jurisdiction of Ani & Rampur Forest Division respectively.

Sir,

Kindly refer to your office endst No. 6979 dated 19.12.2016 on the subject cited above.


The point wise reply of the observations pointed out by Regional Office Dehradun is as under:-

Sr.No.	Observations	Reply
1	Short Narrative of the project uploaded at Para-A-1(iii) does not adequate information of the project.	Short narrative of the project has been corrected online Para-A-1(iii) by the user agency.
2	At A 1(x) Part-1 online, total period for which diversion is required is not filled.	Total period of the project has been corrected in online At A 1(x) Part-1
3	The authority letter to file the application uploaded at A-3 (Xvii) Part-1 online is in favour of the organization/company called KMN Engineering consultant Pvt. Ltd. Whereas the application is filed by Veena Kumari, Managing Director. On the other hand , all paper/Certificates required to be signed by the User Agency in the hard copy have been signed by various other representatives of HimPrabha Power Pvt. Limited State Govt may remove this discrepancy.	New Authority letter has been made and uploaded on online A-3(XVII) (Copy enclosed)
4	Instead of giving village site breakup, Forest Division wise breakup of the forest land proposed for diversion has been provided/uploaded online para -B 2.3 Part-1.	Necessary correction has been done on online portal by the User Agency.
5	Component wise breakup of area proposed for diversion separately for all individual project components indicated in the digital map provided with the hard copy may be uploaded at para B 2.4 Part-1 online instead of clubbing the area of more than one components together.	Necessary correction has been done on online portal by the User Agency.
6	The KML file for each component is uploaded separately in Part-1 for Rampur and Ani Forest	Necessary correction has been done on online portal by the User Agency.

	Divisions which is not proper. The state Govt. may upload a single KML file showing all the components of the project for both the Forest Divisions in Part-1 at para -C (ii) b online.	
7	The geo-referenced digital map for area proposed for diversion uploaded at Para-c (iv) of online Part-1 is not found satisfactory though correct digital map is provided with hard copy of the proposal. State Govt. may upload the digital map available in hard copy online at C (iv) Part-I after indicating few more geo-coordinates for the T/L specifically for each turning point.	Revised Digital map with Geo Co-ordinates has mad and same has been uploaded on MoEF Portal. (Document attached).
8	State Govt. may provide/upload the village level Committee meeting proceeding for Khakrola & Kumsu village and Sub Divisional Level committee meeting proceeding for Shimla at Para K-Part-I online.	FRA including Village level committee meeting proceeding for Khakrola and Kumsu village and sub Divisional level committee meeting proceeding for Shimla District has been uploaded on online web port by the user agency (copy Enclosed)
9	The NOC of village Khakrola & Kumsu may be provided/uploaded online as additional Document in Part-I	Necessary correction has been done by the User agency (Copy enclosed)
10	As directed by the Ministry, the CA may be proposed over equivalent non-forest land and not on double the area on Degraded Forest land.	As per certificate issued by Deputy Commissioner Distt. Kullu there is no non-forest land for Compensatory Afforestation in the District Kullu, as such double area for Compensatory Afforestation has been proposed on Govt. Forest land.
11	Approximate distance of the site proposed for diversion is mentioned as 0.00 km at para -7 of para -II online which does not appear to the correct	Necessary correction has been done at para -7 of para -II online
12	Details of wildlife present are not provided in para-8(i) of Part-II online Ani Forest Division.	Necessary correction has been done on para-8(i) of Part-II online Ani Forest Division.
13	The total number of trees proposed to be felled in Rampur Forest Division is 8 as per detail mentioned at pg-41 of hard copy but this is not mentioned at para -4 of online Part-II.	Pertains to Rampur Forest Division
14	The total number of trees proposed to be felled are shown as 114 at para-4 online Part-II for Ani Forest Division but as per pf-48 of hard copy of the proposal, this number should be 106 only.	Necessary correction has been done at para-4 online Part-II for Ani Forest Division.
15	Though, a document placed in hard copy of the proposal at pg 114 contains permission for Transmission through underground cable, it is not clear whether the proposed 22KV T/L is through bare conductor or through over head single armoured cable because the RoW is taken 4m in Rampur Forest Division and 4.86 m Ani	It contains permission for Transmission through underground cable (Document attached)

Forest Division which is not as per existing guidelines. May clarify as to what kind of T/L is proposed and revise the RoW for the same in accordance with the guidelines.	
Titles of documents uploaded as additional documents in Part-II online are not mentioned in the Remarks column.	Necessary correction has been done

cl:- As above.


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