No. 27/12/2017-For&Envt. GOVERNMENT OF MANIPUR SECRETARIAT: FORESTS & ENVIRONMENT DEPARTMENT

Imphal, the 10th October, 2017.

To,

The Addl.Pr.Chief Conservator of Forest(C), NER,MoEF&CC,Government of India, Shillong-793021
Maghalaya.

Subject:- Submission of additional information for diversion of 96.027 ha forest land for Widening and improvement of main alignment of NH 30 (Imphal-Moreh) of 29.516 km from Khongkhang to Moreh and alternate alignment of 24.340 km from Sita to Khudengthabi in favour of NHIDCL.

Sir,

I am directed to send herewith a copy of letter No.7/103/2013/Forests/156 dated 25/9/2017 from the Pr. Chief Conservator of Forest and HoFF, Manipur on the above subject and to furnish herewith the additional information along with its annexures for diversion of 96.027 ha forest land for Widening and improvement of main alignment of NH 30 (Imphal-Moreh) for further necessary action.

Enclosed:-As above.

Yours faithfully,

(T. Manihar Singh)

Deputy Secretary (For& Enwt),

Govt. of Manipur.

Copy to:-

1.The Pr. Chief Conservator of Forest, Manipur.

2. The General Manager NHIDCL, Near Range ground, Yaiskul.

Government of Manipur Office of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & HoFF Sanjenthong, Imphal.

No. 7/103/2013/Forests

Imphal, the 4 December, 2017

To,

The Conservator of Forests (Central)
Regional Office North East, MoEF&CC,
Law-U-Sib, Lumbatngen
Shillong-793201

Subject: Submission of additional information for diversion of 96.027 ha forest land for Widening and improvement of main alignment of NH 30 (Imphal-Moreh) of 29.516 km from Khongkhang to Moreh and alternate alignment of 24.340 km from Sita to Khudengthabi in favour of NHIDCL

Sir,

With reference to your letter dated 23rd October on the subject cited above I am to submit herewith the following additional information/documents for diversion of 96.027 ha forest land for Widening and improvement of main alignment of NH 30 (Imphal-Moreh) of 29.516 km from Khongkhang to Moreh and alternate alignment of 24.340 km from Sita to Khudengthabi in favour

of NHIDCL in Tengnoupal District, Manipur:

1. Certificate of the CS, Government of Manipur: In para 3.2(ix)(a) of Chapter 3

Special provisions for Central Government/Central Government Undertaking Projects of the FC Guidelines, it is sated that "Certificate of the Chief Secretary regarding non-availability of non-forest land for compensatory afforestation will not be insisted". As such it is presumed that the certificate of the CS is not mandatory. Relevant page of the FC Guidelines is at Annexure I

 Compartment details of proposed site for CA: The proposed site for taking up CA is located at Thamnapokpi in Compartment number 32 under Khudei Block of Tengnoupal Forest Division, Chandel. Soft copy of the KMZ/KML file for the proposed CA site is

enclosed (Annexure: II).

Cost Benefit Analysis as per the FC Rules and Guidelines dated 01/058/2017: Annexure

 III)

It is, therefore, requested to kindly take up further necessary action for granting forest clearance under the FC Act at the earliest.

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Yours faithfully,

Enclosed: As above (in two sets).

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Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests

Nodal Officer, FCA

Government of Manipur

Copy to:

The General Manager, NHIDCL, B.O. Imphal