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No. 8513
H.P. Forest Department.

Dated Rampur, the 24-3-23

From:- DCF Rampur.

To:- CCF (T) Rampur

Subject: Renewal of mining lease of 0.0934 ha (Instead of 0.2898 ha) of forest land for already established Stone Crusher at Pashada and approach road to quarry site at pasheda in favour of M/s Bushahar Laghu Udyog VPO Jhakri, Tehsil Rampur Bushahar, within the jurisdiction of Rampur Forest Division, Distt. Shimla, Himachal Pradesh

Memo:

Kindly refer to your Endst. No. 2624 dated 25/07/2022 on the subject cited above.

2. In this context, it is submitted that the point wise reply to the observation raised vide your office letter under reference is furnished as under:-

Sr. No.	Observation	Reply
1.	The proposal name mentioned in the State Govt. forwarding letter dated 15.2.20219 is mismatching with Form B, Part-I, Para-A 1 (ii). The proposal has been uploaded under renewal of lease (Form-B and under Industry category on PARIVESH Portal with a proposal name "Diversion of 0.0934 ha (instead of 0.2898 ha) of forest land for already established stone crusher at Pashada...." However, State Govt forwarding letter dated 15.2.2019, it is mentioned that the extant proposal is case of renewal of mining lease of 0.0934 ha (Instead of 0.2898 ha) of forest land for already established Stone Crusher at Pashada and approach road to quarry site at Pashada. Since, this is case a of renewal of lease for already established Stone Crusher under Industry Category, therefore, proposal name on PARIVESH Portal should be reviewed and revised accordingly.	The user agency has submitted that the necessary correction on PARIVESH Portal has been done.
2.	State Govt. may provide the NPV calculation sheet as per the revised NPV rate of MoEF & CC letter vide letter dated 6.1.2022.	The bill of NPV is enclosed and uploaded online Part-II.
3.	Part-1, Para-E (ii) & (iii) needs to be reviewer and revised.	The user agency has submitted that the necessary correction has been done on PARIVESH Portal.
4.	Layout Plan of the proposed project needs to be reviewed and revised according to the title of the project and clearly showing the measurement and area of the each components along- with the outer boundary of area proposed for diversion in the tune of revenue	The revised layout plan has been attached with the proposal folders and also found uploaded online portal by U/A.

	record in distinct colours, duly authenticated by concerned DFO.	
5.	Whether the project attracts provision of EIA Notification 2006? If yes, same may be required.	The user agency has submitted that no, EIA is not required as the Stone Crusher is already established.
6.	The area mentioned in the document 'To whom So ever it May Concern' is mismatching with the area mentioned in the forwarding letter as well as Site Inspection Report. This may need to be reviewed and revised.	The concerned documents has been rectified and revised by the user agency and found uploaded in online portal.
7.	The area proposed for diversion (0.0934 ha) is mismatching with the area mentioned in the field book (0.0801 ha) of revenue record. This needs to be reviewed and revised.	The revised field book has been attached in the proposal folders and found uploaded in online portal.
8.	Brief Note of the Project is missing. This may need to be provided.	The brief note on project has been attached in the proposal folders and found uploaded in online portal.
9.	State Govt. may provide the copy of records of all consultation and meetings of FRC and Gram Sabha of concerned village before Stage-II approval.	An undertaking to provide complete FRA Certificate before Stage-II approval for the same has been attached in the proposal folders and uploaded in online portal by U/A.
10.	Access/approach road component is missing in Part I, Para-B-2.4 be mentioned.	The component Approach Road has been mentioned in Part-I, Para-B-2.4 and found uploaded in online portal Part-I of U/A.
11.	The legal status of the DA land mentioned in Part-II, Para 2 is mismatching with Part-II, Sr. No. 5(v). Needs to be reviewed and revised.	The necessary correction has been made done in online portal Part-II, Sr. No. 5(v).
12.	No area has been marked for access/approach road component in revenue record. However, the same has been shown in Layout Plan. Therefore State Govt. may review and revise the same accordingly.	The user agency has submitted that revised Tatima showing the approach road has been attached with the proposal folders and also found uploaded in online Part-I.
13.	The proposed project is linked with the proposal No. FP/HP/MIN/34194/2018, which is under processing/examination at (RO, Shimla. Therefore, State Govt. may mark the mining area of the proposal in Layout Plan in distinct colour, duly authenticated by DFO. Further, the KML file may also be reviewed and revised in view of the approved and proposed project.	Revised Layout Plan has been attached with the proposal and also found uploaded in online Part-I.
14.	The proposed project is linked with the previously approved proposal vide letter no. 9-HPB/414/1997/CHA dated 18.8.2006 and Rs. 20000/- has been charged by the State Govt. in lieu of CA and according to the Part-1, Para-A80) 0.1964 ha area has been transferred with Reclamation Plan of the DA to the State Forest Department by User Agency (UA) dated 10.9.2018, after completion of the approved (FP/HP/MIN/34194/2018) project. Therefore, State Govt. may provide the shape file / polygon of 0.1964 ha land in CD form with survival percentage of plantation raised as per the approved Reclamation Plan.	The CD has been attached with the EDS letter.
15.	As per the proposal 0.0934 ha area is proposed for diversion. However, DSS analysis calculated the DA of the proposal is 0.08 ha. This may be reviewed and revised.	The necessary correction has been made done in online web portal Part-II.

16.	Part-II, Para-8 (i) shows that the leopard and other Wildlife are present in and around the area proposed for diversion. Therefore State Govt. may review and revise the proposal in pursuance of MoEF & CC letter dated 7.6.2022 and may submit the Wildlife Management Plan (WMP) along-with detail cost of its implementation in this regard.	The Wildlife Management Plan and detail cost of its implementation the user agency has submitted undertaking which is also uploaded on the web portal Part-II.
17.	In Part-II, Para-6, it is mentioned that proposed site is not seriously eroded or is not much vulnerable to erosion. However, the KML file shows that the area is a hilly/sloped terrain and the forest adjoining area may prone to soil erosion/landslide during or after the execution of the project. Therefore, State Govt. may review and revise the proposal in pursuance of the MoEF & CC letter dated 7.6.2022 and may submit the Soil and Moisture Conservation Plan (SMCP) along-with detail cost of its implementation in this regard, if required.	The rock in the mining lease area is quartzite rock which is hard, stable and least prone to slide due to systematic and scientific mining. Moreover, various mitigation measures will be adopted during and after execution of the project like, construction of R/Wall and B/Wall etc. Also, the cost of SMCP will be paid as per guidelines of forest department. The undertaking submitted by the user agency in this regard is also uploaded on the web portal Part-II.
18.	The recommendation letter of the DFO uploaded in Part-II, Para- 16 is found blank. The signed copy of the same may be uploaded.	The signed copy of the same is uploaded in online Part-II.
19.	State Govt. may provide the NoC for establishment of Stone Crusher, issued by the competent authority of HPSPCB in favour of the UA.	The consent to operate from HPSPCB has already been obtained for the period 2010-2011 & 12. The process of renewal of NOC from HPSPCB is under process and will be provided after Stage-II approval an undertaking found uploaded in Part-I.
20.	The project is directly accessed/approached from the NH 5. Therefore, State Govt. may provide the NoC for direct access/approach of proposed project, issued by the competent authority of NH in favour the UA.	The process of obtaining NOC from concerned department is under process and will be provided before Stage-II approval. Also, copy of application submitted for the same has been attached and uploaded on the portal in Part-I.
21.	The validity of the Letter of Intent has been expired on dated 24.8.2019 issued by the competent authority in favour of the UA. Therefore, State Govt. may provide the same.	The latest Letter of Intent issued by the competent authority has been attached/uploaded in online portal Part-I.
22.	The shape of the diversion area (DA) marked on the Sol map is not in proper shape according to the revenue record. Revised Sol map of DA may also be provided/uploaded on PARIVESH portal.	Revised SOI Map has been uploaded by the user agency on the PARIVESH Portal.

It is, therefore, requested that the case is forwarded online web portal for further transmission to the quarter concerned please.

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