कार्यालय अपर प्रमुख वन संरक्षक एवं नोडल अधिकारी, वन संरक्षण, इन्दिरानगर फॅारेस्ट कालोनी, उत्तराखण्ड, देहरादून।

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सेवा में.

अपर प्रमुख वन संरक्षक , भारत सरकार पर्यावरण, वन एंव जलवायु परिवर्तन मंत्रालय एकीकृत क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय, 25 सुभाष रोड़, देहरादून।

विषय:—Regarding transfer of 9.397 hac forest land for construction of 4x3 MW Tankul SHP at Tehsil Dharchula of district Pithoragarh in the name of UJVN Limited FP/UK/HYD/42080/2019.

सन्दर्भः— भारत सरकार पर्यावरण, वन एंव जलवायु परिवर्तन मंत्रालय, क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय, देहरादून के पत्र दिनांक 31.12.2020

महोदय,

उपरोक्त विषयक सन्दर्भित पत्र के क्रम में उक्त प्रकरण में दिनांक 31.12.2020 को ऑनलाईन माध्यम से लगाई आपत्तियों का निराकरण बिन्दुवार निम्नवत है:--

क्रं०सं०	आपित्तियाँ	निराकरण
1	Proposal mentions calculation of lease rent which seems to be charged from the user agency. The enabling provisions prescribing charging of lease rent @1% of the total value of the forest land, may be intimated by the state govt. No. such provisions have been provided under the FC act, 1980, therefore, State govt. is requiested to submit comments on the rationale for charging lease rent moreover, the requisite compensatory levies such as CA, NPV and other Project specific levies, as prescribed, may be charged from the user agency in lieu of diversión of forest land which is I pursuance of various order passed by the Hon'ble supreme court.	
2	Cost estimates of the Project mentions transmission system involving construction of 33 KV line over a length of 23 km, however, it has not been included in the extant proposal. State govt. appears to not have deliberated on the power evacuation system of the JEP. Th estate govt. Needs to inform about the same.	KV sub-station, Tawaghat to 33 KV sub- station, Dharchula. In addition to this UJVNL is also having 11 KV

Project is expected to generate muck of 151059.63 cum and at swelling factor of 16% the volumen of muck would be 1]75]229.17 cum. Out of the total muck generated, 1]48]865.33 cum has been reported to be used locally during construction while the balance quantity of 26363 cum will be disposed of at designated sites. Muck disposal plan has been submitted. perusal of muck disposal plan revealed that 3 dumping sites with an aggregate capacity of 4400 cum have been earmaked for disposal of muck. Given the requirement of disposal of 26363 cum of debris, muck disposal plan does not seem to be appropriate. State govt. needs to furnish its comments on the efficacy of the muck disposal plan submitted slong with the proposal.

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User agency has inform that the quantity of muck to be used locally during construction is calculated without taking swell factor in materials to be used. therefore, the same has been deducted from the total muck expected to be generated without considering swell factor. Therefore muck disposal plan submitted is correct and appropriate.

Techno-Economic clearance is not applicable for this Project as the Project cost is less tan 1000 cores, however, detail of NoC/approval, if any, obtained from the concerned department of the state for setting up the Project, does not seem to be available in documents submitted along with the proposal.

User agency has inform that the Project was allotted by govt. of uttarakhand to UJVNL vide enclosed letter no. 1689/9—3—35/2002 dated 02-11-2002. UJVNL is the nodal agency of govt of Uttarakhand for development of hydro projects in the state. Further. BoD of UJVNL is authorized to approve funding plan of the Project cost.

अतः प्रकरण पर वन संरक्षक अधिनियम 1980 के अन्तर्गत स्वीकृति निर्गत करने का कष्ट करें। संलग्नक:- यथोपरि।

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प्रतिलिपि:- निम्नलिखित को सूचनार्थ एवं आवश्यक कार्यवाही हेतु प्रेषित।

1. वन संरक्षक, उत्तरी कुमांऊ वृत्त, अल्मोड़ा।

2. प्रभागीय वनाधिकारी, पिथौरागढ़ वन प्रभाग, पिथौरागढ़।

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