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**Government of Punjab  
Department of Forests & Wildlife Preservation  
O/o Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF)  
Forest Complex, Sector-68, SAS Nagar.  
(FCA Branch)**

Dated:24/07/2020

To

Deputy Director General of Forests (Central),  
Government of India,  
Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change,  
Northern Regional Office, Bays No. 24-25,  
Sector 31-A, Chandigarh

**Sub: FCA/1980/269/2018:- Diversion of 30.25 hectares (instead of 31.42 hectares) of forest land for Development of International Standard Tourism/Theme Destination in state of Punjab on Pathankot-Dalhousie Road, around Ranjit Sagar Lake area forest Division and Distt. Pathankot ( by Special Secy. Govt. of Punjab, Department of Housing & Development, Punjab. (FP/PB/Others/33014/2018)**

Ref: Your letter No. F.No.9-PBC303/2019-CHA dated 26.05.2020.

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This is in reference to the above mentioned subject. The reply to the observations made vide letter under reference are as under:-

1. The area to be diverted is 30.25 hectares. The KML file with no name is the forest land of 6.82 hectares adjoining to the proposed area of 30.25 hectares. This land (6.82 ha) is not to be diverted. It has now been deleted and the PDF of KML of this adjoining forest land (6.82 ha.) has been uploaded uploaded in additional documents in Part 1 of the portal.
2. The final DEM file with revised KML has been uploaded uploaded in additional documents in Part 1 of the portal.
3. A copy of an undertaking that no permanent structures will be constructed on Kulara Island at **Annexure-I**. Necessary amendments with respect to the above have been made in the Chapter No.9, Para no. 9.4, Page No. 48& 49 of revised DPR uploaded in additional documents in Part 1 of the portal.

It is requested that the necessary approval of Government of India under Forest Conservation Act 1980 to divert the forest area for

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non-forestry purpose may kindly be accorded.

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1. Conservator of Forests, North Circle Hoshiarpur /DFO Pathankot, W.r.t DFO Pathankot's letter No. 324 dated 17.07.2020.
2. The Special Secretary, Government of Punjab, Department of Housing & Development, Punjab.