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No.Ft.48-5731/2022 (FCA)  
H.P. Forest Department.

From: Nodal Officer-cum-APCCF (FCA)  
O/o Pr.CCF, H.P, Shimla-1

To: Integrated Regional Officer, Ministry of Environment,  
Forest and Climate Change, CGO Complex,  
Shivalik Khand, Longwood, Shimla, H.P.

Dated Shimla-1, the

Subject: **Diversion of 19.1788 ha of forest land in favour of NHAI for diversion of additional forest land requirement for four laning of NH-05 from Shakral Village to Dhalli Section (Shimla Bypass Package-II from Kms 146+300 to 156+560 and Shimla Connectivity from Kms 0+000 to 0+725 for Design length -10.985) in already approved FCA case of the entire Section from Kaithlighat to Dhalli, within the jurisdiction of Shimla and Shimla (MC) Forest Division, Distt. Shimla, Himachal Pradesh. (Online Proposal No. (FP/HP/Road/154923/2022).**

Sir,

Kindly refer to your Office, EDS dated: 21-6-2022 on the above cited subject.

2. The point wise reply of observations raised vide above referred communication has been attended submitted as under:-

1. CF Shimla has submitted that the use agency has informed to surrender the forest land of 4.8631 ha. vide user agency office letter No. 11013/03/2012/S-D/Forest/PIU-SML/3032 dated 20<sup>th</sup> March, 2023 copy of which has also been uploaded by the user agency online portal against the additional information details as "point wise reply to the EDS raised by IRO dated 6.3.2023" at Sr. No. 23 of Part-I. Accordingly, the joint site inspection has been done on 2<sup>nd</sup> June, 2023 for taking over physical possession of unutilized area of 4.8631 ha. The copy of the joint Site inspection is has been uploaded in reply to EDS by user agency dated 26-6-2023.
2. The vegetation density of proposed diversions is updated online against column No. 4(i) of part-II under Shimla Forest Division which is 0.0825 for Class VI Eco-value, Dense Forest category and accordingly the NPV bill has been prepared and uploaded at Sr. No. 2 against the additional information detail of Part-II.
3. In this regard CF Shimla has submitted that the tosheet and land suitability Certificate of 05 ha. UPF Parech and 05 ha. DPF Bargal has been uploaded against column No. 13 (iv) &(v) respectively in Part-II.

Yours faithfully,

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