

No. FCA(Suket)/ 5805 /  
H.P. Forest Department.

Dated Mandi, the / 27 SEP 2022 /

From: - CCF (T) Mandi.

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

Subject: Diversion of 35.1655 hectare of forest land in favour of HPSEBL for the construction of SoP to AIIMS Kothipura GIS Substation at Kothipura, (AIIMS) within the jurisdiction of Suket & Bilaspur Division.


Memorandum:

Kindly refer to Govt. of India Integrated Regional Office MoEF & CC CGO Complex, Shivalik Khand, Logwood Shimla's minutes of 10<sup>th</sup> meeting of REC dated 12.08.2022 on the subject cited above.

2. The point wise reply of the observations raised vide above referred communication have been attended, as under:-

- i) The KML file of 0.4 ha. CA area proposed by Suket Forest Division has been uploaded in online portal Part-II as well as other documents of CA at designated locations.
- vi) In this regard, it is submitted that vide notification No. Ft. 29-241-BB/49 dated 25<sup>th</sup> February, 1952 all waste land in Himachal Pradesh are forest land and all forest rules and FCA, 1980 are applicable to these lands/ forests. Further vide above notification these waste lands are now falls in the category of protected Forests.

It is therefore, requested that the Stage-I approval for the diversion of above land may kindly be obtained from the competent authority and conveyed to this office please.

  
Chief Conservator of Forests,  
Mandi Forest Circle, Mandi.