

No.D.IV.572/ 4049  
H.P. Forest Department

Dated: Kullu, the 27/09/2022

From: CF Kullu

To: Pr.CCF (HoFF) H.P. Shimla.

**Subject:**

**Diversion of 0.5948 ha. of forest land in favour of Snowfoam Energy Pvt. Ltd. for the construction of Hamshu-I SHEP (2 MW) within the jurisdiction of Kullu Forest Division, Distt. Kullu, H.P.**

**Memo,**

Kindly refer to your office letter No. 8B/HP/01/52/2020/FC-349 dated 29/06/2022 on the subject cited above.

2. The observations raised vide your office letter under reference have been attended as per detail given below:-

Sr. No.	Observation	Answer
1.	A list of proposals approved/exisiting has been furnished in map. However, approved capacity of the river/rivulet and a comprehensive list of projects in the landscape mentioning/showing generation capacity,execution/transmission plan,distance of each project from nearest protected Area(PA) and its notified ECZ along with their impacts is required to be submittdd. Also, the tevised KML file needs to be submitted and uploaded on the PARIVESH Portal.	The user agency has furnished the list of proposal approve/exisiting in the map. Further, the user agency has reported that as far approved capacity of river/rivulet is concerned, the information of cumulative impact assessment & amp, carrying capacity study of Beas River was already forwarded to Nodal officer vide Director Urja office letter dated 27/07/2022 (copy enclosed) and comprehensive list of all HEPs nearby Hamshu-I SHEP in the landscape monitoring /showing generation capacity, and their execution/transmission plan and distance of each HEP's from nearest Protect Area (PA) and distance of nearby WLS & amp, ECZ in Kilometers are mentioned in the Map (attached herewith). KML file on CD is also attached herewith and uploaded on the web portal of MOEF.
2.	The progressive detail/status of area treated and funds utilized as on date under comprehensive CAT plan on Beas Basin is required to be submitted.	The CAT plan is not applicable for the above mentioned project and further, it is submitted that no works under any CAT plan have been carried out on proposed area.

3.	The FRA certificate has been provided, however proceeding of consultations and meetings with Gram Shabha(s) and FR(s) of concered villages are not provided. The same may be provided.	All the record of consultations and meeting with Gram Sabha(s) FRA(s) of concerned village has already been sent vide this office letter No. 95 dated 6/04/2022.
4.	As per DSS analysis, proposed diversion area is having Very Dense Forest category in more than 01 sq. Km area. Therefore, the State Govt. may review the same and comments in this regard may be submitted. If required, density calss and NPV calculation sheet may be revised accordingly.	The density of the proposed area is 0.1774 and Forest land as proposed by the user agency for diversion is unavoidable and is barest minimum required for the proposed project.

Submitted for favour of your kind information and further necessary action please.

**Encls: As Above {Maps + KML file (2 set)}**

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**Conservator of Forests,  
Kullu Forest Circle, Kullu** *of*

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Copy is forwarded to DFO, Kullu w.r.t. his office memo No.3896 dated 06/06/2022 for information.

*[Signature]*  
**Conservator of Forests  
Kullu Forest Circle, Kullu.** *of*