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From: CCF Shimla

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

Subject: Diversion of 0.8146 ha of forest land in favour of HPPWD for the construction of link road from Ghyan Raika via Kehral (Km 0/00 to 1/945) Distt. Shimla, HP within jurisdiction of Rohru Forest Divison.

Memo,

Kindly refer to GOI office letter No.I/86828/2024 dated 12.11.2024 on the subject cited above.

The point wise reply is given as under:-

Sr No	Observations	Reply
1	The State Government shall provide details of action taken against the violation as per provisions mentioned in consolidated guidelines and clarifications issued under Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 and (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Rules,2023.	DFO Rohru has submitted that the Hon'ble High Court of Himachal Pradesh in CWP No. 5600 of 2012 along with CWP No. 9797 of 2012 and COPC No.56 of 2009, the Hon'ble High Court has ordered that officials of the MoEF or any other department of the Government of India shall not insist on compliance with furnishing the names, designations, and complete addresses of the officers of the State Government responsible for past violations with regard to 2183 roads identified by committee constituted. Considering the proposed road is one of the roads mentioned in the case, the requirement for action against violation may kindly be omitted.
2	The State Government shall submit a detailed status report to the Regional Office in case of 2183 road projects for which directions have been passed by Hon'ble High Court of Himachal Pradesh including the detail of proposals already approved under Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 and the balance cases that are yet to be processed. The decision in such type of case shall be taken holistically by Regional Office and forwarded the same to the ministry along with its comments/recommendations.	In this respect the desired documents has been uploaded in Part-I against additional information.

20/05/2025
Chief Conservator of Forests
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