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**Reminder**

No. : Desk-17/Nodal/Pune/S1/PID- 42876/24-25/2665  
Nagpur – 440 001, Dated : 9/02/2026

To,  
The Chief Conservator of Forests (T),  
Pune

**Sub:-** Proposal for seeking ex-post facto approval of the Central Government under Section 2 (1) (ii) of the Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 for diversion of 3.36 ha Forest land in favour of National Highway Authority of India Solapur, for four laning of Pune Solapur section of NH-9 in Km 144/400 to Km 249/000 at Village Pakhani, Chikhali, Hivare, Dist. Solapur in the State of Maharashtra (Online No. FP/MH/ROAD/42876/2019) - regarding.

Ref:- 1) The Government of India, MoEF&CC, New Delhi letter dated 03/10/2024.  
2) This office letter No. Desk-17/FCA-S1/PID-42876/Pune/1584, dated 10/10/2024.  
3) Your office letter No.Desk-4/land/FCA-373/A-773/24-25, dated 11/10/2024  
4) This office letter No.Desk-17/Nodal/Pune/PID-42876/24-25/1670, dated 22/10/2024.  
5) Your office letter No.Desk-4/land/FCA-373/A-1320/24-25, dated --/01/2026.

Letters under reference may kindly be perused. The Government of India, MoEF&CC, New Delhi vide letter under reference No.1 has informed to submit the recommendation of the SCNBWL for the use of forest land for the construction of the proposed road within the Wildlife Sanctuary shall be submitted. Accordingly, your office vide letter under reference No.3 & 5 has submitted query compliance to this office. During scrutiny of query compliance, following discrepancies have been observed:-

- i) Clear note of DCF on this query along with comments on legality of information provided by user agency needs to be submitted to aid decision making in FAC instead of mere forwarding.
- ii) Also mention, when the project was executed was the area part of sanctary and was Wildlife Clearance applicable.

The above discrepancies should be complied at the earliest

Encl:- As above

(Naresh Zurmure)

Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests  
& Nodal Officer

Copy to the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Solapur Forest Division, Solapur for information and necessary action

Copy to the The Project Director,NHAI, Solapur,Plot No.2, Jai Jalaram Nagar,Behind Shivdare collage Collage Collage, Jule Solapur-413004