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Date: 20 February 2018

To,

The Special Secretary,
Department of Forests,
Government of UP, Bapu Bhavan,
Sachivalaya,
Lucknow-226001

ON LINE PROPOSAL No: FP/UP/ROAD/24596/2017

Subject: Proposed forest land diversion of protected forest for strengthening and widening of NH 91(Kalyanpur to Navinganj section) from chainage 229.000 km to 289.000 km having extent 97.896 ha with removal of 11,377 trees-reg.

Ref: Letter no. P-19/14-2-2018-800 (11)/2018 dated 6th February 2018

Sir,

In reference to your above mentioned letter where approval for above referred forest land diversion proposal was sought; I have been directed to convey following shortcomings of the proposal for necessary rectification:

- 1) Signature of person making application on behalf of the User Agency has not been authenticated. (Part I A-3 xvii)
- 2) Three proposals FP/UP/ROAD/24596/2017, FP/UP/ROAD/23288/2016 and FP/UP/ROAD/22374/2016 appears to be part of widening of National Highway 91 and total extent of diversion is more than 100 ha which requires site inspection from Regional Office, MoEF&CC as per guidelines of FCA 1980.
- 3) As per GIS DSS analysis of proposed forest land for diversion and propose compensatory afforestation, following issues need rectification:
 - a) Some portion of propose forest land diversion overlaps with existing road.
 - b) Overlay of kml files of proposed Compensatory afforestation shows presence of structures. This issue needs rectification and explanation regarding suitability of site.
- 4) Benefit Cost analysis of the proposal is not as per latest guidelines of MoEF&CC. This needs revision.
- 5) The requisite documents for FRA 2006 have not been uploaded with the proposal. It has been mentioned that the same has been applied for.
- 6) Forest Gazette notification uploaded with the proposal is without date of notification and notification no.
- 7) The land schedule showing chainage wise area calculation does not provide for balance of PF available on both side and reasons for varying width requirement.
- 8) NPV calculation of forest land proposed for diversion is based on incorrect rates.
- 9) The site inspection report of the concerned Conservator of Forest is required on prescribed format.
- 10) Enumeration list with hard copy and online enumeration list shows variance of 4 trees or poles. This issue needs rectification as per ground condition.

[Signature]
20.2.2018

Therefore, the proposal is hereby placed under EDS category for rectification/revision of the same as per the observations made above in point wise manner. It is also advised that reply shall be provided at the earliest so that the proposal may be discussed in next REC.

Encl: As mentioned above.

Yours faithfully,

(Brijendra Swaroop)
Conservator of Forest(C)

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1. **CCF cum Nodal Officer, FCA**, Department of Forests, Government of UP, 17, Rana Pratap Marg, Aranaya Bhavan, Lucknow-226001
2. **Conservator of Forests**, Agrah Circle, Department of Forests, Government of UP, Agra.
3. **Divisional Forest Officer**, Social Forestry Division, Mainpuri (UP).
4. **Project Director**, National Highway Authority of India, 47, Dream City Colony, Opp. Bal Jivan Ghutti, Sarsol, G.T. Road, Aligarh, Uttar Pradesh.
- ✓ 5. **Personal Assistant (Shri Sriram)**, Regional Office, MoEF&CC, Lucknow for uploading on www.forestclearance.nic.in and on regional office's website.
6. **Guard File**

(Brijendra Swaroop)
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