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No: 8B/Raj/06/43/2015/FC/1472

Date: 14th March, 2015

To,

The Secretary (Forest), Government of Rajasthan Civil Secretariat, Jaipur – 302 005

Subject: Diversion of 2.1 ha. of forest land in favour of Executive Engineer, Rajasthan Agricultural Marketing Board, Division-Tonk for construction of *Missing Link Road* (Dooni Anwa Road to Chandli Maata ji Temple) under Forest Division Tonk, District Tonk, State Rajasthan

Reference: 1- Letter no 8B/Raj/06/43/2015/FC/1123 dated 29th Dec 2015 of this office

2- Letter no F 14() 2015/FCA/PCCF/476 dated 23rd Feb 2016 of the Nodal Officer Dear Sir,

On the above mentioned subject this office has received an online proposal for clearance under Forest (Conservation) Act-1980. Vide letter no 8B/Raj/06/43/2015/FC/1123 dated 29th Dec 2015 some information was asked from the State Government. In compliance of the said letter, information has been provided by letter no F 14() 2015/FCA/PCCF/476 dated 23rd Feb 2016 of the Nodal Officer-Rajasthan.

I have been directed to inform you that after careful examination of the compliance, it has been observed that on following points only partial / incomplete compliance has been made-

 Point (a) – it was specifically mentioned in our letter no 8B/Raj/06/43/2015/FC/1123 dated 29th Dec 2015 of this office that FRA certificate has been submitted for the CA Area instead of forest area proposed for diversion. In reply, without reading the content, DCF has written that FRA certificate has already been submitted.

FRA certificate has been submitted for 2.1 Ha of Khasra No 182 of Gram Bishanpura, Panchayat –Rajkot and the details of this land pertain to the Non Forest Land which is being transferred to the Forest Department. FRA certificate is to be submitted for the land to be diverted.

- 2. <u>Point (b)</u> The territorial DCF has informed that the matter is still pending. The present status of issue has not been clarified, in the absence of which decision can not be taken.
- 3. <u>Point (c)</u> Site inspection report has been submitted by territorial DCF. In addition to previously reported violation, the DCF has further informed that the width of road / path has been widened to approx 25 feet from the earlier width of 12 feet and for this purpose the required soil has been excavated from adjoining forest area. This is additional

violation of provisions of FCA-1980. The DCF has not mentioned anything about action taken for illegal excavation of soil from adjoining forest area, by the user agency.

- 4. <u>Point (d)</u> Certificate of XEN has been submitted which does not serve the purpose as it does not provide any documentary proof of the period during which the said road has been constructed
- 5. <u>Point (e)</u> Enquiry of CCF-Ajmer is still pending, even after more than 6 months. The outcome of this enquiry should be conveyed to this office. In the absence of enquiry report, no decision can be taken.

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Amit Misra Dy. Conservator of Forests (Central)

Kindly brouide the Required Information by GoI.

Secretary to Government Forest Department Govt. Secretariat, Jaipun