Office of the Chief Conservator of Forests Kanara Circle, Sirsi, dated: 26-02-2021

To,

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, (Forest Conservation)
Aranya Bhavan, Malleshwaram 18th cross,
Bangalore-560003

Sir,

SUB: Diversion of 2.632 ha of forest land in Khurse village F Sy No 103, Sampakanda Hobli, Sirsi Taluk, Uttara Kannada District (Sirsi Forest Division) for establishing Stone Quarry for exclusive use of National Highway project in favour of the M/s RNS Infrastructure Limited, Bangaluru (Online Proposal No. F-P/KA/QRY/39019 12019)-reg

Ref: 1) The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Forest Conservation) and Nodal Officer (FCA), Bangaluru letter KFD/HOFF/A52K(GFL)/32/2019-FC Dt: 11-12-2020.

2) Letter No. A3/GFL/Land/Khurse/CLUP/CR-31/19-20/2020-21 /2996 Dated:18-02-2021 of Deputy Conservator of Forests, Sirsi Division, Sirsi

With reference to above subject Deputy Conservator of Forests sirsi has Submitted the compliance report towards EDS raised by Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, (Forest Conservation) under reference (1) The compliance report is Submitted in 3 sets for your Kind Information and further needful action.

Sno	Observation	Compliance
1	Submit a detail report after proper verification of records including site inspection along with NHAI Authorities regarding the availability of boulders excavated already/to be excavated in due course in Karwar, Honnavar and Sirsi divisions.	The Excavated boulders are not available in Sirsi division. Regarding the availability of boulders NHAI Assessment letter was enclosed.
2	It also needs to be verified whether the user agency has duly explored the possibility of proposing the existing old/abounded stone quarries in the district for the purpose and why they are not being considered for FC propose. Rather than proposing fresh unbroken forest area in Western Ghats for quarrying purpose.	The User agency has submitted the report vide letter no: RNSIL/ NHAI/ KS/ss/2020/29B Dated: 12-02-2021 which is self explanatory and the same has been enclosed for consideration.

Yours faithfully,

Chief Conservator of Forests Kanara Circle, Sirsi

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