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

## ON LINE PROPOSAL No: FP/UP/Others/25541/2017

Subject: Proposed protected forest land diversion for entry/exit to petrol pump of Essar Oil Limited on SH 22A at km 73 chainage 72.600 on right shoulder in Khasra no. 141/A in village Lohsora Bisawan of Aligarh district having extent 0.075028 ha with felling of 10

Letter no. P-03/14-2-2018-800(05)/2018 dated 13th February 2018 Ref:

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) As per GIS DSS analysis of kml file of proposed forest land for diversion:

a) Permanent structures are visible when kml file is overlaid on Google Earth image.

b) There exists a shift also.

The exemption certificate issued by the concerned authority under FRA 2006 is silent about rights of pre agricultural forest dwelling communities.

Original layout plan has not been submitted with the proposal.

Area calculation in land schedule submitted is not as per dimensions shown in Xerox copy of lay out plan submitted. Dimension of width taken for calculation needs to be confirmed. Dimensions provided in PWD NOC should be the basis of calculation.

a) As per GIS DSS analysis of proposed Compensatory Afforestation (CA) site is full of vegetation which is not suitable for plantation.

Site suitability shall be rechecked and site suitability certificate shall be based on DFO's field

NPV calculation shall be based on correct area.

Site suitability certificate for proposed CA and part V have not been uploaded online.

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. Encl: As mentioned above.

Yours faithfully,

(Brijendra Swaroop) Conservator of Forest(C)