



File No: 9-JKC-073/2021-Jammu

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To

CCF-cum-Nodal Officer (FC),
Department of Forest, Ecology & Environment
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Sub: Diversion of 6.77 ha of Forest land for construction and up-gradation of Bharath to Keshwan link road upto Ingwan Gali km 1st to 13th District Doda, UT of Jammu & Kashmir.reg

**Reg: i) Online proposal bearing on FP/JK/Road/46463/2020 received on 01.09.2021
ii) Online reply from Nodal Officer J&K letter no. PCCF/FCA/3135/14-15, dated 04-04-2022**

Sir,

Kindly refer to the online proposal of Government of Jammu & Kashmir on the above-mentioned subject seeking prior approval of the Central Government for diversion of 6.77 ha of forest land for non-forestry purpose in accordance with section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.

2. The compliance to the various observations of the REC is pending since 1st REC meeting dtd 15.09.2021 and are being sent to this office in piecemeal manner. Upon perusal of the replies in response to the EDS dtd 17.03.2022 based on observations of 4th REC, it has been found that still old justification is uploaded under part-I.

The REC had recommended to get detailed justification of the project including total length of the road vis-à-vis forest and non-forest land to have the holistic understanding of the project. But, updated justification is still not uploaded under Part-I by the User Agency.

3. Hence, it is requested that the User Agency may be advised to update the revised justification as per observations of the REC within 15 days from the date of issue of this letter failing which the proposal shall be liable to be rejected for want to information.

Yours faithfully

Sd/-

(Raja Ram Singh)

DIGF (Central)

Regional Officer

IRO, Jammu

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