



File No: 9-JKC-038/2021-Jammu

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To,

APCCF (FC)-cum-Nodal Officer (FCA),
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Sub: Diversion of 7.64 ha of Forest land for construction of road from Balmatkote to Bagudass. Package No. JK14-305 Stage I & II, Phase IX, District Reasi, UT of J&K -reg.

Reg: Online proposal bearing on FP/JK/ROAD/47229 received on dated 25.03.2021

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 **7.64** ha of forest land for non-forestry purpose in accordance with section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.

2. After careful examination of the above-mentioned proposal of the Government of J&K the following information/clarification are required to be submitted:

- (i) Details to be furnished under B-2.4 component wise break-up of forest land proposed for diversion.
- (ii) Detailed MDP with both engineering and biological components to be submitted.
- (iii) Corrected joint survey report to be submitted. The DFO has prepared joint survey report quoting J&K Forest Conservation Act, 1990.
- (iv) Detailed site-specific CA estimate to be submitted as per Para 2.8 of FCA 1980 Guidelines.
- (v) Muck dumping yard as per joint survey report is 08 in nos over an area of 2.24 ha, while as per muck disposal plan of UA it is 06 in nos over an area of 1.99 ha. Difference to be clarified.
- (vi) As per DSS analysis the KML of the proposal is 9.31 ha which is significantly larger than the proposed 7.34 ha. There is mismatch between the KML file and toposheet. Muck points shown in the KML are not in feature form to enable analysis of area. KML and toposheet to be corrected and submitted.
- (vii) 1.91 ha of additional vacant area is required to fulfill the target CA plantation.

3. The compliance to the above may be submitted within 30 days from the date of issue of this letter failing which the proposal shall be liable to be rejected for want of information.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-

(K Z Bhutia)

Regional Officer

IRO, MoEF&CC, Jammu

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