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त्रिपुरा सरकार

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कुंजावन, अगरतला

Sub: Proposal for diversion of 1.28 ha of forest land for construction Drill Site and waste pit at location TIDG under District Forest Officer, Sepahijala.

Ref: Letter F.6-1083/FC/For-2015/767-777 dated 26.03.2018 of Govt of Tripura.

Sir,

Please refer to the State Government's letter in the reference on the subject cited above, seeking prior approval of the Central Government in accordance with Section 2 of the FCA, 1980. The proposal referred above has been examined in this office in the light of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, and rules/guidelines framed thereunder. State Govt is requested to kindly furnish the following information for further processing of this proposal:

- (i) To clarify whether the submitted proposal is for prospecting/exploration or for exploitation/ extraction/harvesting of hydrocarbon/natural gas.
- (ii) The Forest Right Act, 2006 certificate in Form II of the prescribed format as the submitted format is for linear proposal.
- (iii) The status of NBWL consent as the proposed area falls in Trishna Wildlife Sanctuary.
- (iv) The GPS coordinates of the proposed sites.
- (v) The status of Environmental clearance of the proposed area.
- (vi) The certificate for undertaking of payment of addl. NPV by the user agency, if any.
- (vii) To clarify whether any drilling activities has been taken earlier in the proposed area as the submitted Form A mentioned that out of 12 no wells drilled in Tichna PML, 03 wells were tested and declared as gas bearing.

- (viii) To clarify on 9 Nos of bore hole drilled in forest land as mentioned in the submitted Form A.
- (ix) A copy of the approved mining Plan dated 04.02.2009, as mentioned in the submitted form Form-A, Part I.
- (x) The cost benefit analysis of the project, if the proposal is for exploitation/ extraction/harvesting of hydrocarbon/natural gas as per the new format.
- (xi) The corrected soft copy of the shape/kml file of the proposed area as the submitted shape file of the proposed area is incorrect i.e. 1.63 ha instead of 1.28 ha as proposed and mentioned in the hard copy submitted.

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1. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Govt. of Tripura, Department of Environment & Forests, Kunjaban, Agartala.

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