छत्तीसगढ़ शासन वन एवं जलवायु परिवर्तन विभाग मंत्रालय,

महानदी भवन, नवा रायपुर, अटल नगर

क्रमांक / एफ 5-07 / 2023 / 10-2 नवा रायपुर, अटल नगर, दिनांक^{2 }}/ 07 / 2024 प्रति,

> प्रधान मुख्य वन संरक्षक एवं वन बल प्रमुख, छत्तीसगढ़, अरण्य भवन, सेक्टर—19, नार्थ ब्लॉक, नवा रायपुर, अटल नगर।

Diversion of 8.386 ha forest land for Non-Forest Purpose under Forest Conservation Act -1980 proposed for Widening and Strengthening work in Kanger Ghati National Park of Existing Road from Jagdalpur- Sukma-Konta Road (Km 25.530 to 31.540 =6.010 km of NH-30 (Old 221) Sukma District in State of Chhattisgarh -reg.

संदर्भः— भारत सरकार, पर्यावरण, वन एवं जलवायु परिवर्तन मंत्रालय, उप कार्यालय, रायपुर का पत्र क्रमांक FC-8/2/2024-IRO-RAIPUR/1562,दिनांक 02.02.2024।

विषयांतर्गत भारत सरकार, पर्यावरण, वन एवं जलवायु परिवर्तन मंत्रालय, उप कार्यालय, रायपुर से प्राप्त पत्र की छायाप्रति संलग्न प्रेषित है।

2/— अतः कृपया भारत सरकार के संदर्भित पत्र द्वारा चाही गई वांछित अतिरिक्त जानकारी शीघ्र उपलब्ध कराने का कष्ट करे।

संलग्न :- उपरोक्तानुसार।

(के.एल.मांझी)

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्र छत्तीसगढ शासन, वन एवं जलवायु परिवर्तन विभाग

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1.अपर प्रधान मुख्य वन संरक्षक (भू—प्रबंध), कार्यालय, प्रधान मुख्य वन संरक्षक एवं वन बल प्रमुख, अरण्य भवन, सेक्टर—19, नार्थ ब्लॉक, नवा रायपुर, अटल नगर, छत्तीसगढ़।

2.मुख्य वन संरक्षक, जगदलपुर वृत्त, जगदलपुर, छत्तीसगढ़।

3.मुख्य वन संरक्षक वन्यप्राणी एवं क्षेत्र संचालक, इन्द्रावती टायगर रिजर्व, जगदलपुर, छत्तीसगढ़।

4.संचालक, कांगेर घाटी राष्ट्रीय उद्यान, जगदलपुर, छत्तीसगढ़।

5.कार्यपालन अभियंता, राष्ट्रीय राजमार्ग संभाग, सुकमा, छत्तीसगढ़।

की ओर सूचनार्थ एवं आवश्यक कार्यवाही हेतु अग्रेषित।

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To.

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Sir.

Kindly refer to letter no. F-5-07/2023/10-2 dated 08.11.2023 of the Government of Chhattisgarh, and letter no. Bhu-prabandh/vividh/115-900/874, dated 05.04.2023, and Bhu-prabandh/vividh/115-900/2211, dated 21.09.2023 the APCCF. Nodal Officer (FCA), Forest Department of Chhattisgarh on the above subject seeking prior approval of the Central Government under Section- 2 (i) of the Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980. On examination of the proposal in the Regional Office, MoEF&CC, following observations are noted.

- i. The forest area proposed for diversion is part of Kanger Ghati National Park. However, DFO in PART II of the proposal under Sl No 8 (ii) (iv) reported that the said area is not part of national park, wildlife sanctuary, biosphere reserve, tiger reserve, elephant corridor, wildlife migration corridor etc. Hence, correct details needs to be updated by the DFO concerned.
- ii. Supporting documents relating to legal status of existing road i.e. pre 1980 road or any diversion obtained under Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 may be furnished.
- iii. It may be clarified whether existing road portion also been included within the diversion proposal. Actual BT portion to be made by widening may be mentioned.
- iv. DFO reported density of the area as 0.5 and 251 trees required to be felled. However, as per the alignment, more trees may require to be felled. Hence, actual length and width of the road to be widened may be provided.
- v. DFO has not filled district profile in the PART-II of the proposal.

In view of the above, it is requested to submit information on the above observations to this office for consideration for approval under Section- 2 (i) of the of Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980.

This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

Yours faithfully.

Chaturbhuja Behera, FS Inspector General of Forests

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- 3. User Agency.
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