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भारत सरकार GOVERNMENT OF INDIA पर्यावरण, वन एवं जलवायु परिवर्तन मंत्रालय MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE एकीकृत क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय,जम्मू /Integrated Regional Office,



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Dated: 20/07/2021

To,

APCCF-cum-Nodal Officer (FC), Department of Forest, Ecology & Environment Van Bhawan, Below Gumat, Jammu-180001 (ccffcajk1@gmail.com)

Sub: Diversion of 2.74 ha of forest land for Widening and Up-gradation of road from MRL01-Baghbala to Nichian Package No. JK082003 PMGSY-II, U.T. of Jammu & Kashmir-reg.

Reg: Online proposal bearing on FP/JK/ROAD/123518/2020 received on dated 09.07.2021 Sir,

Kindly refer to the online proposal of Government of Jammu & Kashmir on the abovementioned subject seeking prior approval of the Central Government for diversion of **2.74** 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 Govt of J&K the following information/clarification are still required to be submitted:

- (i) Revised enumeration list to be submitted as per FSI definition of "Trees".
- (ii) Revised KML of proposed site with clear distinctions of forest and non-forest area to be submitted.
- (iii) CF in Part-III has not recommended any area (in ha) for diversion.
- (iv) DFO in Part-II has mentioned the presence of Tiger, Bear & Cheetah in the area. Comments of CWLW will be required for proposing this proposal to be taken to the SBWL and NBWL for necessary WL clearance.
- (v) Calculation sheet of area submitted as enclosure does not match with area statement.
- (vi) CA site area is 4.26 ha which is less than double the area of proposed for diversion. Corrected CA site area to be submitted.

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 to information.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-(K Z Bhutia) Regional Officer IRO, MoEF&CC, Jammu

Copy to: -

1. The Divisional Forest Officer, Kehmil Forest Division, District Kupwara, Jammu & Kashmir.

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