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File No. 8B/UP/06/48/2017/FC/ 75
To,

Date: 14 August 2017

The Special Secretary,
Department of Forests,
Government of UP, Bapu Bhavan,
Sachivalaya,
Lucknow-226001

ON LINE PROPOSAL No: FP/UP/ROAD/17752/2016

Subject: Proposed forest land diversion of protected forest 39.9295 ha in Shiwalik Forest Division for widening of Chutmalpur Ganeshpur portion (NH 72A) from chainage km 4.100 to km 16.000 & Roorkee-Chutmalpur-Saharanpur-Yamunanagar (NH 73) from chainage km 22.000 to km 23.000 with felling of 4,436 number of trees and 30.966 ha in Social Forestry Division, Saharanpur for four lane widening with strengthening from chainage km 23.800 to km 70.000 with felling of 3,408 number of trees; in total diversion of 70.201 ha with felling of 7,844 number of trees-reg.

Ref: Letter no. P-37/14-2-2017-800(32) dated 31st July 2017
Sir,

In reference to your above mentioned letter where approval for above referred forest land diversion proposal was sought; I have been directed to convey following shortcomings of the proposal for necessary rectification:

1. The signature of person authorised to make application on behalf of User Agency has not been authenticated at part I A-3(xvii).
2. Information regarding village wise break up of Non Forest Land does not matches with the information provided at A-1 (ix) part I.
3. Kml file of proposed forest land for diversion is in polyline format which is not amenable to GIS DSS analysis. Kml files should be submitted in polygon format.
4. Geo referenced map uploaded at C-b (iv) in part I of the proposal is without geo coordinates of key points.
5. Cost Benefit Analysis placed at G (a) in part I is not as per guidelines of the MoEF&CC.
6. There is a rounding off error in area calculation of proposed forest land for diversion for Shiwalik Forest Division and Social Forestry Division, Saharanpur. This issue needs correction.
7. Abstract of enumeration of both divisions do not tally with online details submitted. Abstract of enumeration pertaining to Social Forestry Division, Saharanpur is provided in dia class whereas the same should be in girth class.
8. Kml files for proposed compensatory afforestation sites are provided in polyline format which is not amenable to GIS DSS analysis.
9. A portion of road falls within Eco Sensitive Zone of Rajaji National Park of Uttarakhand and comments of Chief Wildlife Warden of Uttarakhand shall also be incorporated with the proposal.
10. Part V of the proposal has not been uploaded with the part II online.

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11. Calculation of NPV of Social Forestry Division, Saharanpur has been carried out with wrong rates.
12. Exemption certificate under FRA 2006 from DM Saharanpur need correction on account of wrong extent of forest area has been mentioned and it does not refer to rights of other primitive forest dwelling communities.

Therefore, the proposal is hereby placed under EDS category for rectification/revision of the same as per the observations made above in point wise manner. It would be pertinent to convey that proposal will be part of Agenda item of next REC provided rectified/revised proposal is submitted one week before next scheduled REC meeting.

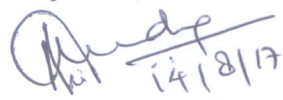
Encl: As mentioned above.

Yours faithfully,

(Brijendra Swaroop)
Conservator of Forest(C)

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