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दिनांक: 30/09/2022

सेवा में,

✓ अपर प्रमुख वन संरक्षक एवं नोडल अधिकारी
वन संरक्षण, इन्दिरानगर फॉरेस्ट कालोनी,
उत्तराखण्ड, देहरादून।

विषय:- जनपद- टिहरी गढ़वाल के विधानसभा क्षेत्र नरेन्द्रनगर में नगर पंचायत गजा के नव सृजित नगर पंचायत गजा में कूड़ा निस्तारण हेतु 0.20 हे० वन भूमि नगर पंचायत गजा को दिये जाने के सम्बन्ध में। (Online No. FP/UK/OTHERS/29354/2017)

सन्दर्भ:-कार्यालय-अपर प्रमुख वन संरक्षक एवं नोडल अधिकारी, वन संरक्षण, उत्तराखण्ड का पत्रांक - 665/FP/UK/OTHERS/29354/2017 दिनांक 06-09-2022


महोदय,

उपरोक्त विषय पर संदर्भित पत्र का आशय ग्रहण करते हुए मुझे आपको यह सूचित करने का निर्देश हुआ है कि इस कार्यालय के समसंख्यक पत्र दिनांक 08.06.2022 का उत्तर राज्य सरकार के सन्दर्भित पत्र द्वारा प्रस्तुत किया है जिसके अवलोकन उपरान्त प्रस्ताव में कुछ त्रुटियाँ पाई हैं। अतः आपसे अनुरोध है कि निम्नांकित बिन्दु पर अभिलेख/दस्तावेज इस कार्यालय में प्रेषित करने का कष्ट करें :-

1. In reply to point no.1 the details of other areas examined and the reasons for their rejection are still not provided. Hence, the details regarding the same is required to be submitted by the State Government.
2. In reply to point no. 2, wildlife mitigation plan uploaded in Addl. Document on online portal pertains to a transmission line project. State Government is requested to submit the wildlife mitigation plan for the proposal under consideration.
3. With reference to point no. 3, a D.O. letter has been issued by Secretary MoEF&CC on 03.07.2017 according to which Environment Clearance (EC) is required in this case. Therefore, it is requested to update accordingly in the Part I and seek EC Clearance from appropriate authority.
4. In reply to point no. 5, map of the plantation area is still not provided. State Government is requested to submit/upload the map for the plantation area.
5. In reply to point no. 7, it is mentioned that all the muck generated will be utilized. State Government is requested to submit an undertaking in this regard duly authenticated by the concerned DFO.

उपरोक्त त्रुटियों की पूर्तता के उपरांत ही प्रस्ताव पर अग्रिम कार्यवाही की जा सकेगी एवं यदि चाही गई सूचना पत्र जारी होने की तिथि के 60 दिनों के भीतर (अधिकतम 90 दिन) इस कार्यालय में प्राप्त नहीं हुई तो प्रस्ताव को निरस्त किया जा सकता है।


भवदीय,


(गजेन्द्र प्रकाश नरवणे) 30.04.2022

सहायक महानिरीक्षक (वन)

प्रतिलिपि सूचनार्थ एवं आवश्यक कार्यवाही हेतु :-

1. अपर मुख्य सचिव (वन), उत्तराखण्ड शासन, सुभाष रोड़, देहरादून।


(गजेन्द्र प्रकाश नरवणे)
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D.O.No. 22-19/2017-IA-III

3rd July, 2017

Dear Shri. Mishra,

Please refer to the D.O. letter No. Q-15014/2/2017-CPHEEO dated 14.02.2017 requesting to revisit the process of prior environmental clearance for Solid Waste Management Treatment and Processing Facilities.

2. The matter has been examined by the Expert Group constituted in the Ministry in its meeting held on 14.06.2017. The Expert Group has submitted its recommendations. The recommendations of the Expert Group have been examined in the Ministry.
3. The Environment Impact Assessment Notification, 2006 in the Schedule at item 7(i) mentions Common Municipal Solid Waste Management Facility (CMSWMF) as Category B project for which State Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA) is empowered to appraise the project for grant of prior environmental clearance.
4. The municipal solid waste management involves various steps like door to door collection, segregation, composting, refuse derived fuel (RDF) making, waste to energy generation through waste to energy plants and disposal in scientific landfills. The above activities, except landfill site, if proposed as standalone activities are not covered under item 7(i) of EIA Notification, 2006, hence do not require prior environmental clearance. In case the activities of composting, RDF making and waste to energy plant (up to capacity of 15 MW) are proposed at an existing landfill site, they do not attract the provisions of the EIA Notification, 2006.
5. If the activities of incineration, RDF making and waste to energy plant are proposed along with the new site of solid waste disposal/ landfill, it is advisable to obtain an integrated prior environmental clearance for these projects.

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6. It has been seen that locating a landfill site or municipal solid waste disposal site is a contentious issue and there is a tendency to locate them far from the habitation but near forest, rivers, ponds, wetlands and low lying areas etc. which are ecologically sensitive sites and require proper environmental management. Since, the forests, rivers, ponds, wetland and low lying areas are critical from environmental point of view, it may not be appropriate to exempt this activity of municipal solid waste disposal site or landfill site from the requirement of prior environmental clearance.

7. I believe this will expedite the achievement of the objectives of the Swachh Bharat Mission.

With regards,

Yours sincerely,


(A.N. Jha)

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