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सेवा में,

प्रधान मुख्य वन संरक्षक- सह प्रमुख सचिव/ Principal Secretary-cum PCCF,
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वन पर्यावरण विभाग और वन्यजीव प्रबंधन/ Department of Forests, Env. & Wildlife Management,
डेओराली/ Deorali, गंगटोक/ Gangtok,
सिक्किम /Sikkim- 737102.

Sub : Proposal for diversion of 0.0960 ha of forest land for development and beautification of Tourist Spot at Chu Thachu at Lachen in North Sikkim by Rural Management & Development Department Govt. of Sikkim.

Sir,

Please refer to the State Government's letter No. 1800/FCA/FEWMD/137 dated 15.05.2019 on the subject mentioned above, seeking prior approval of the Central Government in accordance with Section 2 of the FCA, 1980. The proposal forwarded by the State Govt has been examined in this office in the light of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, and rules/guidelines framed thereunder. The State Govt. is requested to provide following additional information for further processing of the case: -

- (1) The KML / Shape file (Hard & Soft copy) with polygon features of proposed area for diversion & Compensatory Afforestation area along with photographs for proposed CA site.
- (2) The purpose-wise break-up details of land proposed for diversion along with the lay-out plan of the project.
- (3) Detailed justification of the project and whether alternatives have been explored and reason for their rejection as this proposal is for non-site specific use of forest land.
- (4) The justification submitted in FORM- A para (iv) is not clear as it mentions that road has to pass through the forest area as there is no alternative and project would make the people of the area accessible – this may be clarified by the State Govt.
- (5) In FORM – A at sl. no. 1 (ii) it is mentioned that map showing the required forest land is not available and in sl. no. 2 (i) the area wise break-up –Forest land is 10000 sft. The State Govt may justify the non-availability of map and the forest land break-up i.e. 10000 sft, whereas this instant proposal is submitted for diversion of 0.0960 ha.
- (6) The proposed diversion of forest area is adjoining the Khangchendzonga National Park, hence the comment of Chief Wildlife Warden requires submission by State Govt whether it falls within the Eco-Sensitive Zone of the protected area.
- (7) The name of the Conservator of Forest in PART-III may be furnished by State Govt.

This is issued with approval of Addl. Director General (Central).

भवदीय,

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