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Diversion of 5.6 Ha of Forest area for construction of Gran-Tote road by Public Works Department (R&B) in Reasi Forest Division of Udhampur District.

COVT. ORDER NO. 19 7 FST of 2002

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Sanction is hereby accorded to the transfer of 5.6 Ha Forest Land (1-8 Kms) passing through compartment No. 35, 36, 37/ Reasi Range of Reasi Forest Division in favour of Public Works Department (R&B) for construction of Gran-Tote road on the following terms and conditions:-

- That the proprietary status of Forest land shall remain un-changed.
- 2. That the Forest land so diverted shall be utilized only for the purpose for which it has been diverted and it shall not be mortgaged re-assigned, sub-leased to any other agency.
- 3. That the user agency shall pay compensation of land on account of change of land use which shall be equivalent to cost of land as assessed by the Revenue authorities.
- 4. That the user agency shall pay Rs. 6,92,760.00 on account of compensation of trees @ double the standard rate of 1992.
- 5. That the user agency shall pay Rs. 2,76,200.00 on account of compensatory afforestation over degraded Forest land twice in extent of forest land being diverted.
- 6. That many damage done to the forest by the user agency, its employees, contractors or people employed by them shall be charged from the user agency @ 10 times the standard rate of 1992 as penalty.
- 7. That the user agency will construct retaining/ Breast walls on both sides of the road and will . take all necessary steps to minimize soil erosion/ land slips.
- 8. That the trees proposal to be felled will be handed over to SFC.

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- 9. That the Forest land so diverted shall return to the Forest Department when it is not required by the user agency without any cost.
- 10. That the amount received shall be utilized by Forest Department as provided in SRO 203 dated 13-04-2000.

The proposal stands cleared/approved by the Advisory Committee in its 21st meeting held under the Chairmanship of Chief Secretary on 31-01-2002.

By order of the Government of Jammu & Kashmir.

Sd/-

Commr/Secretary to Government Forest Department. *SU*

No:- FST/Land-1/2002 Dated:-12-04-2002

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