

GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR  
CIVIL SECTT; FOREST DEPARTMENT.

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Subject:- Diversion of Forest land for construction of  
gila Darhal to Adroth road (1 to 7 Kms) by PWD  
(R&B) in Rajouri District.

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GOVERNMENT ORDER NO. 342-FST of 2003

D A T E D : 17 - 07 - 2003

Sanction is hereby accorded to the transfer of  
Forest Land measuring 3.6 hectare of Forest area falling in  
Comptt. NO. 105/N and 106/N of Nowshera Forest Division for  
construction of gila Darhal to Adroth road (1 to 7 Kms) by  
PWD (R&B) in Rajouri District on the following terms and  
conditions:-

1. The proprietary status of forest land shall remain unchanged.
2. The Forest land so diverted shall be utilized only for the purpose for which it has been diverted. It shall not be transferred to any other agency without approval of the Forest Department.
3. The forest land so diverted shall not be mortgaged, reassigned or sub-leased by user agency in any manner what-so-ever to any other agency.
4. The user agency shall pay for compensation of land on account of change of land use which shall be equivalent to cost of land as assessed by competent Revenue authorities.
5. The user agency shall pay compensation of Rs. 5,57,100/- on account of compensation for 228 Chir trees to be felled @ two times standard rate of 1992.
6. The user agency shall pay an amount of Rs. 1,44,000/- on account of compensatory afforestation over degraded forest land to the extent of twice the forest land being diverted.
7. The user agency will construct complete retaining/breast walls on both sides of the road and take other necessary steps, so as to minimize soil erosion/land slips.
8. Any damage caused to the forest by the user agency or its employees and contractors or people employed by them shall be charged from user agency at the rate of ten times the standard rate of 1992.

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9. The extraction of trees shall be done departmentally through SFC on the basis of marking list duly approved by CF, Working Plan Circle. The timber and fire wood extracted shall be brought to timber sale Depot for disposal.
10. The User Agency shall deposit the amount of compensatory afforestation in the office of the Pr. Chief Conservator of Forests, J&K Govt. as per provisions of SRO 203, dated 13.06.2000.
11. The forest land so diverted shall return to the Forest Department when it is not required by the user agency without any costs.

The proposal stands cleared/approved by the Advisory Committee in its 23rd Meeting held under the Chairmanship of Chief Secretary on 15.01.2003.

By Order of the Government of Jammu and Kashmir.

Sd/-

Commr./Secretary to Government,  
Forest Department.

NO:- FST/Land/19/2003 Dated: 17.07.2003.

Copy to the:-

1. Pr. Chief Conservator of Forests, J&K Srinagar.
2. Chief Engineer PWD (R&B) Circle Srinagar.
3. Conservator of Forests, Working Plan Member Secretary Advisory Committee, J&K Srinagar.
4. Government order file (w, 2, s, c.)
5. Stock file.

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Under Secretary to Government,  
Forest Department./

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