GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR CIVIL SECTT:: FOREST DEPARTMENT.

Subject:- Diversion of Forest land invol in Beri Pattan Lift Irrigation Scheme in

Sunderbani Tehsil and District Rajouri.

Reference:- Cabinet Decision NO. 185/9 dated 25.10.2004.

GOVERNMENT ORDER NO. 479/FST OF 2004 DATED;

Sanction is accorded to the diversion of Forest Land measuring 8.557 Ha falling under Compartment NO. 133/Dhaleri of Nowshera Forest Division involved in Beri Pattan Lift Irrigation Scheme in Sunderbani Tehsil and District Rajouri on the following terms and conditions.

The proprietary status of the forest land shall remain unchanged. 1.

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 whatsoever to any other agency.

4. The compensation for land on account of change of land use shall be paid by the user agency as may be assessed by Revenue Authorities.

The user agency shall pay Rs. 1,35,000/ on account of compensation for 410 number 5. of trees of Chir Green and dry and broad leaved spp. Of different dia classes @ two times of the standard rate of 1992.

The user agency shall pay Rs. 3,60,000/- on account of compensatary afforestation to 6. be carried out over 17.114 Ha degaraded forest land.

7. The extraction of trees shall be done by SFC/Forest Deptt. on the basis of marking list duly approved by the Conservator of Forests, Working Plan Circle.

8. Any damage done to the forest by the user agency or its employees, contractors or people employed by them shall be charged from the user agency (a) ten times the standard rate of 1992 as penalty.

9. The forest land so diverted shall return to the Forest Deptt. when it is no longer required by the user agency without any cost.

10. The user agency shall deposit the amount of compensation for the forest land diverted to be assessed by the Revenue Authorities, the compensation for 410 trees felled and compensation for the damage done with the DFO, Nowshera. However the cost of compensatory afforestation shall be deposited with the Chief Accounts Officer, in the office of the PCCF, J&K Govt. as per SRO 203 dated 13.04.2002.

The proposal stands cleared/approved by the Advisory Committee in its 26th meeting held under the Chairmanship of Financial Commissioner, Planning & Dev. Department on 03.07.2004.

By order of the Government of Jammu and Kashmir.

Sc//Principal Secretary and Secretary to Government, Forest Department. Dated: 26.10.2004.

NO:- FST/Land/21/2004

Copy to the:-

Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, J&K Srinagar.

Conservator of Forests, Working Plan and Research Circle Member Secretary

Advisory Committee) Srinagar, Special Assistant to Hon'ble Force Minister.

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Deputy Secretary to Government,

Forest Department.