GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR CIVIL SECRETARIAT, FOREST DEPARTMRNT

Subject:- Diversion of Forest Land for construction of Kandi-Canal of Irrigation Division Bhaderwah under J&K- FCA. Reference:- Cabinet Decision No. 1/Cir dated 13.01.2005.

GOVERNMENT ORDER NO: 27 /FST OF 2005 D A T E D /7 - 01 - 2005

Sanction is accorded to the diversion of Forest Land measuring 4.60 Ha of forest area falling in Compartment No. 3,12,15/JWR in Jangalwar Block, Range Chiralla of Forest Division Bhaderwah for construction of Kandi Canal Irrigation Project at Bhaderwah on the following terms and conditions:

- i. The proprietary status of the forest land shall remain unchanged.
- ii. 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.
- iii The Forest land so diverted shall not be mortgaged, re-assigned or sub-leased by user agency in any manner whatsoever to any other agency.
- iv. The user agency shall pay compensation for land on account of change of land use which would re equivalent to the cost of land as would be assessed by the Revenue Authority and before handing over the site the user agency shall ensure the submission of compensation of forest land.
- v. The user agency shall pay Rs.8,19,525/- towards compensation of 124 number of Chir Green/Dry trees of different dia-classes and species @ two times of the standard rate of 1992.
- vi. The user agency shall pay Rs.1,29,860/- towards Compensatory Afforestation scheme to be carried over 9.20 Ha of degraded forest land.
- vii. The user agency shall construct complete retaining/breast walls on both sides of the road and take other necessary steps, for minimizing soil erosion/land slips.
- viii. The extraction of trees shall be done Departmentally by SFC/Forest Department on the basis of marked list duly approved by Conservator of Forests, Working Plan and Research Circle.
- ix. 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 @ ten times the standard rate of 1992 as penalty.
- x. The forest land so diverted shall return to the Forest Department, when it is no longer required by the user agency without any cost.
- xi. The user agency shall deposit the amount of Compensatory Afforestation in the office of Principal Chief Conservator of Forests J&K Govt. as per SRO 203 dated 13.04.2000. The compensation of the forest land diverted and compensation for the trees felled and the compensation for any damage done shall be deposited with the DFO, Bhaderwah Forest Division.

The proposal stands cleared/approved by the Advisory Committee in its 27th meeting neld under the Chairmanship of Chief Secretary on 01.12.2004.

By order of the Government of Jammu and Kashmir.

Sd/-Principal Secretary/Secretary to Government, Forest Department.

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Dated: / 7.01.2005.

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