Government of Jammu and Kashmir Department of Forests, Environment and Ecology Civil Secretariat

Subject:

Use of 3.22 hectare of forest land for construction of road from Block Boundary Ghordi to Katwalt by PMGSY Department in Ramnagar Forest Division.

Reference:

- Minutes of the 79th Forest Advisory Committee Meeting held on 13.09.2013 under Chairmanship of Chief Secretary issued by the Chief Conservator of Forests (FCA) / Nodal officer vide No. i) PCCF/FCA/1896/ 1987-2001 dated 28.09.2013.
- Cabinet Decision No. 30/03/2014 dated 08.02.2014.
- No. CCF/FCA/1905/330-35 dated 22.05.2014 received from ii) Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, J&K. iii)

Government Order No: 366 - FST of 2014 e d: 31 - 12 - 2014 \mathbf{q}

Sanction is hereby accorded to the use of 3.22 hectare of forest land for construction of road from Block Boundary Ghordi to Katwalt by Executive Engineer, PMGSY Division, Udhampur in Compartments No. 26a/N & 25/N, Block Kurta, Range Ramnagar of Ramnagar Forest Division in District Udhampur, subject to the the following terms and conditions:-

The proprietary and legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.

The forest land shall be utilized only for the purpose for which it has been indented, that too under close supervision of the concerned Forest Department Officers. (i) (ii)

The forest land shall not be mortgaged, reassigned, leased or sub-leased by user agency in (iii)

any manner what so ever to any other agency.

The User Agency has paid the following amount prior to execution of the project:-₹ 21,16,000/-₹ 1,80,000/-(iv) Net Present Value Compensation of trees/poles ₹ 4,51,000/ii Compensatory Afforestation ₹ 29,70,000/iii

Road side avenue plantation (@ 6.00 Lac/Km) ₹ 57,17,000/-Total: vi

Number of Trees / Poles / saplings involved: Poles Trees Total Sarlings (20-30cm & (30-40cm (0-10cm)10-20cm) Species & above) 30 0 0 30 30 Chir green 0 30 Total:

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- o. The extraction of the trees/ poles shall be done by the State Forest Corporation/ Forest Department on the basis of markings administratively approved by the Chief Conservator of Forests, Jammu. The cost of extraction and transportation shall be borne by the User Agency.
- (vi) The User Agency shall not be allowed to dump debris on forest land.
- (vii) The User Agency shall construct retaining walls/breast walls on forest land and take all necessary steps to check soil erosion which may result due to proposed construction of the track. The Forest Department shall take due cognizance under law for any laxity on this account on the part of the User Agency which might trigger soil erosion in the area.
- (viii) The User Agency shall be responsible for the eco-restoration of the soil dumping sites identified on Forest land/ State land/ Private land through engineering and biological means and by keeping due provision in the revised DPR for the same.
- (ix) The User Agency, in view of the reduced Road Land Width and for the eco-restoration of the muck dumping sites, shall get the DPR revised and approved by the competent authority prior to the execution of the project.
- (x) Any damage done to the forest by the User Agency or its employees and contractors or people employed by them shall be charged from the User Agency @ 10 times the standard rate of 1992.
- (xi) The forest land so allowed for use shall return to the Forest Department free of any encumbrances when it is no longer required by the User Agency.
- (xii) The User Agency shall be responsible for obtaining requisite clearances under any other law in vogue before commissioning of the project.

By Order of the Government of Jammu & Kashmir.

Sd/-

(Muhammad Afzal), IAS

Secretary to Government,
Department of Forests, Environment and Ecology

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- 1. Commissioner / Secretary to Government, Public Works (R&B) Department.
- 2. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, J & K-Jammu.

3. Chief Conservator of Forests, Jammu.

A. Chief Conservator of Forests, (FCA), J&K-Jammu.

5. Special Secretary (Technical), Department of Forests, Environment and Ecology

6. Chief Engineer, PMGSY, Jammu.

- 7. Principal Private Secretary to Chief Secretary (Chairman, FAC).
- 8. Private Secretary / P.A. to the Hon'ble Minister for Forests.
- 9. Divisional Forest Officer, Ramnagar Forest Division.
- 10. Executive Engineer, PMGSY Division, Udhampur.
- 11. Private Secretary to Secretary to Government, Forest Department.

12. Government Order file/Stock file.

(Amreet Singh) KAS

Deputy Secretary to Government, Department of Forests, Environment and Ecology

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- 2. Chief Engineer, PMGSY, Jammu.
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- 4. Divisional Forest Officer, Udhampur Forest Division, Udhampur.
- 5. Executive Engineer, PMGSY, Division, Ramnagar.

(Rajeev Kumar Tiwari) IFS Nodal Officer (FCA)

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