

GOVERNMENT OF JAMMU AND KASHMIR  
OFFICE OF THE PRINCIPAL CHIEF CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS JAMMU

ORDER No: 01 - FC of 2009  
DATE: 13 - 01-2009

Sub:- *The use of forest land to the extent of 0.753 Ha. for construction of road from Hunga to Hoochak via Alanbass (Km.9<sup>th</sup>/RD 900 to Km.10<sup>th</sup>/RD 415) by PWD under PMGSY in Ramban Forest Division.*

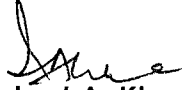
Ref:- *CCF Jammu's No:CCF-J/FCA/797-801 dated 11.11.2008.*

As recommended by the Committee constituted under section 2 (2) of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1997 in a meeting held on 25.10.2008 under the chairmanship of Chief Conservator of Forests, Jammu, the use of forest land to the extent of **0.753 Ha.** from **Comptt. No:19/Ramban of Ramban Forest Division** for construction of *road from Hunga to Hoochak via Alanbass (Km.9<sup>th</sup>/RD 900 to Km.10<sup>th</sup>/RD 415) by PWD under PMGSY* is allowed strictly under the provisions of J&K Forest (Conservation) Act, 1997 on the following terms and conditions:-

1. The proprietary and legal status of the forest land shall remain un-changed.
2. The forest land shall be utilized only for the purpose for which it has been indented.
3. The forest land shall not be mortgaged, reassigned, leased or sub-leased by user agency in any manner what so ever to any other agency.
4. The User Agency shall pay the **Net Present Value of the land to the tune of Rs.6,75,441/- (@ Rs.8.97 lac per hectare for Dense Forest and Eco-Value Class VI)** as per Hon'ble Supreme Court Order Dt:28.03.2008 and 09.05.2008 in I.A. No: 826 in 566 with related IAs in Writ Petition (Civil) No: 202 of 1995 T.N. Godavarman Thirumalpad V/s Union of India.
5. The User Agency shall pay an amount of **Rs.8,41,220/-** on account of compensation @ two times the standard rate of 1992 for the following number of trees/poles:-

Species	Trees (30-40 & above)	Poles/Saplings (20-30 & Below)	Total
Kail green	77	65	142

6. The user agency shall pay an amount of **Rs.1,50,000/-** on account of stabilization of down-hill slopes.
7. The extraction of trees/poles shall be done by State Forest Corporation on the basis of marking lists technically sanctioned by Conservator of Forests Working Plan and Research Circle and administratively approved by Chief Conservator of Forests, Jammu.
8. Any damage done 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.
9. The user agency shall take all necessary steps to check soil erosion likely to occur due to the proposed construction of road.
10. 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 and is rehabilitated properly.
11. The user agency shall be responsible to obtain requisite clearances under any other law in vogue.
12. The money amounting **Rs.16,66,661/-** on account of various heads to be paid by the user agency as detailed above shall be deposited with Chief Accounts Officer in the office of Pr. Chief Conservator of Forests, J&K.

  
(Irshad A. Khan)

Pr. Chief Conservator of Forests

Dated 13 /01/2009

NO:PCCF/FC/860/ 2525-32

Copy for information to the:-

1. Chief Conservator of Forests, Jammu. *The amount of NPV at revised rates works out to Rs.6,75,441/- and not Rs.5,13,500/- as recommended by the committee or Rs.6,36,285/- as calculated by the DFO.*
2. Conservator of Forests, Working Plan and Research Circle, Jammu, (Member Secretary, Forest Advisory committee).
3. Conservator of Forests, Chenab Circle, Doda.
4. Divisional Forest Officer, Ramban Forest Division.
5. Executive Engineer, PMGSY Division, Doda-I, Batote.

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