

Government of India  
Ministry of Environment & Forests  
Northern Regional Office

Bays No.24-25,  
Dakshin Marg Sector-31A,  
Chandigarh-160030

F.No.: 9-PBB571/2012-CHA /8397-99.  
To

Dated: Tuesday, September 25, 2012

The Nodal Officer, FCA & CCF(FC),  
Government of Punjab,  
Forest Complex,  
Sector-68, SAS Nagar Mohali,  
Punjab.

Sub: Diversion of **0.0074 hectare** of forest land for construction of approach road to M/s Bhangu Farm House at village **MAHORANA** on Nabha-Malerkotla road, Km 26-27, L/s, under forest division, district Sangrur, Punjab.

Sir,

Kindly refer to Government of Punjab letter No.FCA/1980/208/2012/1236 dated 23<sup>rd</sup> August, 2012 on the above mentioned subject seeking prior approval of the Central Government for diversion of forest land for non-forestry purpose in accordance with section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.

After careful examination of the proposal of the State Government it is found that following information/clarifications are required to be submitted:

1. This is a violation case. No action seems to have been taken by DFO under Indian Forest Act 1927. Detailed violation report as per para 1.9 of the guidelines under FCA,1980 be submitted and the unauthorized use of forest land be stopped.
2. Area calculation is not correct as width of curves have been taken more the 5.00 mtrs. and 8.00 mts entry can't be given. Revised layout plan with 4.00 mtrs entry/exit and 5MX5M width of curves with correct area calculation duly countersigned by DFO.
3. Layout plan of the instant project duly approved by the Competent Authority and countersigned by DFO concerned.
4. Copy of Environmental Clearance issued for the instant project by the competent authority duly countersigned by DFO.
5. No Objection Certificate from Punjab State Pollution Control Board for the instant project duly countersigned by DFO.
6. Change of Land Use certificate from competent authority duly countersigned by DFO.
7. Location map of the project duly countersigned by DFO.

The compliance to the above may be submitted within 60 days from the date of issue of this letter failing which the proposal shall be liable to be rejected for want of information.

Yours faithfully,

  
(Ishwar Singh)

I/C Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Central)

Copy to:-

1. The Divisional Forest Officer, Forest Division and District Sangrur, Punjab.
2. M/s Bhangu Farm House at village MAHORANA on Nabha-Malerkotla road, district Sangrur, Punjab.