# MINUTES OF THE 49<sup>TH</sup> MEETING OF THE FOREST ADVISORY COMMITTEE (J&K FOREST CONSERVATION ACT) HELD ON 14<sup>th</sup> JANUARY 2010 AT 4 PM, UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF SHRI. R. K. JERATH, IAS, FINANCIAL COMMISSIONER (REVENUE) J&K.

49<sup>th</sup> meeting of Forest Advisory Committee (FAC) constituted under J&K Forest Conservation Act, 1997 was held under the Chairmanship of Financial Commissioner (Revenue) J&K Govt. in his office Chamber in Civil Secretariat, Jammu on 14<sup>th</sup> January, 2010 at 4 PM. Following FAC members participated in the deliberations of the meeting.:.

1.	Shri. Sadiq Ali, Ex-MLA (Environmentalist)	MEMBER
2.	Prof. S. P. Singh Dutta, (Environmentalist)	MEMBER
3.	Shri. Shantmanu, IAS Commissioner/Secretary to Govt., Forest Department.	MEMBER
4.	Shri. Jagdish Kishwan, IFS Pr.Chief Conservator of Forests, J&K	MEMBER
5.	Shri. I. A. Khan, IFS Chief Wildlife Warden	MEMBER
6.	Shri. Abhai Kumar, IFS Director, Soil Conservation	MEMBER
7.	Shri. Ravi Kumar Kesar, IFS Director, Environment & Remote Sensing	MEMBER
8.	Shri. Ravi Magotra, Director, Budgets, Representative of Commissioner/Secy to Govt. Finance Department	MEMBER
9.	Shri. Manohar Khajuria, Director, Representative of Commissioner/Secy to Govt. Planning & Development Department	MEMBER
10.	Shri. Suresh Kumar, IAS Commissioner/Secretary to Govt., Housing & Urban Dev. Deptt.	SPECIAL INVITEE
11.	Shri. Suresh Chugh, IFS Chief Conservator of Forests (FCA) Nodal Officer, PCCF's Office.	SPECIAL INVITEE
12.	Shri. S. L. Bhat, Chief Engineer, PMGSY, Jammu.	SPECIAL INVITEE
13.	Shri. Mubarak Singh, IAS Commissioner Municipal, Corp., Jammu	SPECIAL INVITEE

14. Shri Bakhta
Programme Monitoring Agency (PMA)
Ministry of Food Processing Industries,

Govt. of India.

15. Shri. Om Prakash, IFS Conservator of Forests. W.P. Circle.

MEMBER SECRETARY

SPECIAL INVITEE

Because of other pressing pre-occupation of Chief Secretary, Forest Advisory Committee meeting was chaired by Financial Commissioner, Revenue in his office Chambers.

**AGENDA ITEM NO: 48.01** 

SUBJECT :- Proposal to allow use of 3.75 hectare of forest land for setting-up of "Modern Abattoir" at Jagti (Nagrota) by Jammu Municipal Corporation in Jammu Forest Division.

As regards the proposal to construct "Modern Abattoir", a power point presentation was made by Shri. Bakhta, Programme Monitoring Agency (PMA) Ministry of Food Processing Industries, Govt. of India, before the members of FAC to highlight the process involved in the slaughtering of animals and disposal of waste material generated during the process. Shri. Sadiq Ali, Ex-MLA, raised his concerns regarding lack of foolproof mechanism to dispose of discarded waste from the abattoir. His concerns were discussed in detail and all apprehensions were addressed to his satisfaction. The Commissioner/ Secretary, Housing and Urban Development Department expressed the urgency of implementing the Project. The Commissioner, Municipal Corporation explained in detail about the project and also highlighted the provision of raising green cover in and around the project area. The Chairman said that minimum number of trees shall be sacrificed for developmental projects and double the area be afforested to compensate for the loss.

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49th meeting. The details of the case are as under:

1. Project Scheme for which land is required.

Setting-up of "Modern Abattoir" at Jagti (Nagrota) by Jammu Municipal Corporation.

2. Location of the Project/Scheme

(i) District. Jammu (ii) Compartment 4/R

(iii) Block Nagrota-1 (iv) Range Jammu Range

(v) Division Jammu Forest Division.

3. **Details of land involved** 

(i) Area 3.75 hectare

(ii) Legal Status Demarcated Forest

(iii) Number of trees involved. 253 trees/poles in different speices/dia classes.

(iv) Whether forest land involved is *Wildlife Protection Area not involved.*a part of Wildlife Protection

Area.

4. <u>User Agency</u> Commissioner, Municipal Corporation,

### Jammu. ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION

The Advisory Committee cleared the diversion of the above forest land for construction of "Modern Abattoir" in favour of Commissioner, Municipal Corporation, Jammu, with the condition that the user agency will obtain all other mandatory clearances in advance as required under law and the DFO concerned will ensure that minimum number of trees are felled in the said forest area and that there is proper disposal of the liquid and solid waste generated by the abattoir away from and outside the forest area. The clearance is also subject to the following conditions:

- 1. The proprietary and legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.
- 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 following amount after the forest clearance is accorded :-

i.	Net Present Value	Rs. 35,21,250/-
ii.	Compensation of 253 T/P	Rs. 1,90,943/-
iii.	Compensatory afforestation	Rs. 3,75,000/-
	TOTAL	Rs. 40,87,193/-

- 5. The extraction of 253 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, concerned. The cost of extraction and transportation shall be borne by the user agency.
- 6. Any damage done to the forest land/crop by the User Agency or its employees and contractors or people employed by them shall be charged from User Agency @ 10 times the standard rate of 1992.
- 7. 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 after it is rehabilitated properly by the User Agency.
- 8. The User Agency shall be responsible for obtaining requisite clearances under any other law in vogue.
- The money 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.

SUBJECT :- Proposal to allow felling of 961 trees/poles of Social Forestry Department (Bijarni V.W.L), involved in the construction of Beoli to Gaddi road under PMGSY.

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49th meeting. The details of the case are as under:

1. Project Scheme for which land is required.

Construction of Beoli to Gaddi road under PMGSY.

2. Location of the Project/Scheme

V.W.L Bijarni of Social Forestry Division, Doda is located at Km 7th (RD 150 to RD 235) on Beoli-Gaddi road in Doda District.

3. Details of land involved

(i) Area

Legal Status (ii)

Bijarni Village Woodlot.

(iii) Number of trees involved. 961 Trees/Poles of different species & dia-classes.

Whether forest land involved is Wildlife Protection Area not involved. (iv) a part of Wildlife Protection

Area.

4. User Agency

Executive Engineer, PMGSY Division, Doda.

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION**

The Advisory Committee cleared the proposal to allow felling of 961 trees/poles in favour of Executive Engineer, PMGSY Division, Doda subject to the following terms and conditions:

1. The User Agency shall pay the following amount after the forest clearance is accorded:

ii.	Compensation of 961 T/P Cost of damage to fencing	Rs. 2,00,910/- Rs. 29,360/-
	TOTAL	Rs. 2,30,270/-

- 2. The extraction of 961 trees/poles shall be done by the State Forest Corporation/ Forest Departmen, on the basis of markings administratively approved by the Director, Social Forestry Department, J&K. The cost of extraction and transportation shall be borne by the user agency.
- 3. The User Agency shall construct retaining walls/breast walls and take all necessary steps to check soil erosion which may result due to proposed construction of the road. The User

Agency shall seek technical guidance in this respect from the Director, J&K Soil Conservation Department.

- 4. The User Agency shall be responsible for obtaining requisite clearances under any other law in vogue.
- The money 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.

#### **AGENDA ITEM NO: 49.02**

SUBJECT :- Proposal to allow use of 0.11 hectare of forest land for development of Tourism infrastructure at DKG in Comptt. No. 108/R by Rajouri Development Authority in Rajouri Forest Division.

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49<sup>th</sup> meeting. The details of the case are as under :

1. <u>Project Scheme for which land is required.</u>

Development of Tourism infrastructure at DKG by Rajouri Development Authority.

2. Location of the Project/Scheme

(i) District. Rajouri
(ii) Compartment 108/R
(iii) Block Rajouri
(iv) Range Rajouri

(v) Division Rajouri Forest Division.

#### 3. Details of land involved

(i) Area 0.11 hectare
(ii) Legal Status Demarcated Forest

(iii) Number of trees involved.

(iii) Number of frees involved. Will with the forest land involved is a part of Wildlife Protection Area not involved. Area.

4. <u>User Agency</u>

Chief Executive Officer, Rajouri Development Authority, Rajouri.

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION**

The Advisory Committee cleared the diversion of the above forest land for construction of tourism infrastructure in favour of Chief Executive Officer, Rajouri Development Authority, Rajouri, with the condition that DFO concerned will ensure that no felling is done in the said forest area and subject to the following terms and conditions:

- 1. The proprietary and legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.
- 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 following amount after the forest clearance is accorded:

i.	Net Present Value	Rs. 63,800/-
	TOTAL	Rs. 63,800/-

- 5. 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 after it is rehabilitated properly by the User Agency.
- 6. The User Agency shall be responsible for obtaining requisite clearances under any other law in vogue.
- 7. The money 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.

SUBJECT: - Proposal to allow use of 7.3455 hectare of forest land for widening/upgradation of Beripattan-Lili-Meenak-Zero road from OP track (Km 0.000 to 12.165) to Class-9 specification in Nowshera Forest Division by 57 RCC (GREF).

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49th meeting. The details of the case are as under:

**Project Scheme for which land is** 1. required.

Widening/upgradation of Beripattan-Lili-Meenak-Zero road from OP track (Km 0.00 to 12.165) to Class-9 specification by 57 RCC (GREF).

2. Location of the Project/Scheme

District. (i)

(ii) Compartment

Block (iii)

(iv) Range

Division (v)

3. **Details of land involved** 

(i) Area

(ii) Legal Status

Number of trees involved. (iii)

Rajouri

135/D & 136/D

NES

Sunderbani

Nowshera Forest Division.

7.3455 hectare Demarcated Forest

104 trees/poles of different species & dia-classes

- (iv) Whether forest land involved is a *Wildlife Protection Area not involved*. part of Wildlife Protection Area.
- 4. <u>User Agency</u>

Officer Commanding 57 RCC (GREF)

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION**

The Advisory Committee cleared the diversion of the above forest land for widening / up- gradation of Beripattan-Lilli-Meenak-Zero road in favour of Officer Commanding 57 RCC (GREF), and permitted felling of 100 trees/poles with the condition that DFO will ensure that no khair tree should be cut and subject to the following terms and conditions:

- 1. The proprietary and legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.
- 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 following amount after the forest clearance is accorded:

i.	Net Present Value	Rs. 65,88,915/-
ii.	Compensation for 104 trees/poles	Rs. 6,36,819/-
iii.	Compensatory Afforestation	Rs. 3,75,000/-
	TOTAL	Rs. 76,00,734/-

- 5. The extraction of 104 trees/Poles shall be done by the State Forest Corporation/State Forest Department on the basis of markings administratively approved by the Chief Conservator of Forests, concerned. The cost of extraction and transportation shall be borne by the user agency.
- 6. The User Agency shall construct retaining walls/breast walls as per approved plan and design and take all necessary steps to check soil erosion which may result due to proposed construction of the road. The User Agency shall seek technical guidance in this respect from the Director, J&K Soil Conservation Department. A copy of the plan and design of the proposed road shall be made available to the Forest Department.
- 7. The User Agency shall not dump the debris on forest land.
- 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 @ 10 times the standard rate of 1992.
- 9. 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 after it is rehabilitated properly by the User Agency.
- 10. The User Agency shall be responsible for obtaining requisite clearances under any other law in vogue.

- 11. The money 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.
- 12. Khair trees are not allowed to be felled.

SUBJECT :- Proposal to allow cutting of 329 trees/poles of Social Forestry Division, Udhampur involved in the construction of Lander to Upper Katti road V. W. Lot Lander Baranda Social Forestry by PMGSY.

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49<sup>th</sup> meeting. The details of the case are as under :

1. <u>Project Scheme for which land is required.</u>

Construction of Lander to Upper Katti road V.W.L Lander Baranda.

2. Location of the Project/Scheme

V.W.L Landers Barnda Block Panchari road (between Km 5<sup>th</sup> RD 75-725)

3. Details of land involved

(i) Area

Nil (However, Pvt. Land involved is 2.00 ha)

(ii) Legal Status Demarcated Forest

(iii) Number of trees involved.

329 trees/poles of different species & dia-classes

(iv) Whether forest land involved is a part of Wildlife Protection Area.

Wildlife Protection Area not involved.

4. User Agency

Executive Engineer, PMGSY Div., Udhampur-II

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION**

The Advisory Committee cleared the diversion of the above land for construction of proposed road in favour of Executive Engineer, PMGSY Div., Udhampur-II, and allowed felling of 329 trees/poles /saplings subject to the following terms and conditions:

1. The User Agency shall pay the following amount after the forest clearance is accorded:

i.	Comp. of 329 Trees/Poles/Saplings	Rs. 70,964/-
ii.	Compensation Afforestation	Rs. 50,000/-
iii.	Cost of damage to fencing	Rs. 2,15,936/-
	TOTAL	Rs. 3,36,900/-

2. The extraction of 329 trees/Poles shall be done by the State Forest Corporation/Social Forestry Department on the basis of markings administratively approved by the Director,

Social Forestry Department, J&K. The cost of extraction and transportation shall be borne by the user agency.

- 3. The User Agency shall construct retaining walls/breast walls as per approved plan and design and take all necessary steps to check soil erosion which may result due to proposed construction of the road. The User Agency shall seek technical guidance in this respect from the Director, J&K Soil Conservation Department. A copy of the plan and design of the proposed road shall be made available to the Forest Department.
- 4. The User Agency shall be responsible for obtaining requisite clearances under any other law in vogue.
- The money 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.

#### **AGENDA ITEM NO: 49.05**

SUBJECT :- Proposal to allow use of 3.545625 hectare of forest land for construction of Admarg to Mohu by PMGSY in Ramban Forest Division.

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49<sup>th</sup> meeting. The details of the case are as under :

1. <u>Project Scheme for which land is required.</u>

Construction of Admarg to Mohu by PMGSY.

#### 2. Location of the Project/Scheme

(i)District.Ramban(ii)Compartment34 & 35/Bnl.(iii)BlockMohu(iv)RangeBanihal

(v) Division Ramban Forest Division.

#### 3. Details of land involved

(i) Area 3.545625 hectare (ii) Legal Status Demarcated Forest

(iii) Number of trees involved. 508 trees/poles of different species & dia-classes

(iv) Whether forest land involved is *Wildlife Protection Area not involved.*a part of Wildlife Protection

Area.

4. User Agency

Executive Engineer, PMGSY Div., Ramban

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION**

The Advisory Committee deferred the above proposal and directed the User Agency to carry out a joint survey with the forest department to explore the realignment so as to reduce the number of trees coming under the alignment. It also directed that there should be separate requisition for additional area for dumping of mulba.

**AGENDA ITEM NO: 49.06** 

SUBJECT:- Proposal to allow use of 11.6314 hectare of forest land for construction of Tunnel (T-2) involved in widening and improvement of NH-1A from Banihal (Km 188.00) to Srinagar Km 286.00) by NHAI in Ramban Forest Division.

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49<sup>th</sup> meeting. The details of the case are as under :

1. <u>Project Scheme for which land is required.</u>

Construction of Tunnel (T-2) involved in widening and improvement of NH-1A from Banihal (Km 188.00) to Srinagar Km 286.00) by NHAI.

#### 2. Location of the Project/Scheme

(i)	District.	Ramban
(ii)	Compartment	47/Bnl.
(iii)	Block	Duligam
(iv)	Range	Ramban

(v) Division Ramban Forest Division.

#### 3. **Details of land involved**

(i) Area 11.6314 hectare (Under ground : 5.34 ha & Above ground : 6.2914 ha).

(ii) Legal Status *Un-demarcated Forest (Under the administrative control of Forest Department).* 

(iii) Number of trees involved. -----Nil-----

(iv) Whether forest land involved is a part of Wildlife Protection Area.

Out of 11.6314 ha, 8.9738 ha area involved forms part of Jawahar Tunnel Conservation Reserve, Wildlife. However, now the Hon'ble Supreme Court has cleared in the Project vide I.A. No. 2550 in W.P. (C)

No. 202/1995.

#### 4. User Agency

Project Director, NHAI PIU, Jammu.

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION**

The Advisory Committee cleared the diversion of the above forest land for construction of proposed road in favour of Project Director, NHAI PIU, Jammu, with the condition that DFO concerned will ensure that no felling is done in the said forest area and subject to the following terms and conditions:

- 1. The conditions imposed by the Chief Wildlife Warden will be strictly compiled with, which are as under :
  - i. The User Agency should follow the Eco-friendly Engineering Practices during the construction.
  - ii. User Agency should regularly monitor the ambient Air Quality and Noise Levels at the construction site and at two locations in the Conservation Reserve to be finalized with officials of the Department of Wildlife Protection monthly and should submit results to Department of Wildlife Protection.

- iii. The construction site should be covered from all the four sides which will reduce air pollution by windborne constructing material and reduce noise levels.
- iv. Regular sprinkling of water should be carried out on site for dust suppression and construction material will be kept moist wherever possible.
- v. The User Agency, should while implementing the Environment Management Plan will abide by the orders to be issued by Court and follow provisions of the Jammu and Kashmir Wildlife Protection Act 1978 (Amended upto 2002).
- vi. National Highway Authority of India will report compliances regularly to the Department of Wildlife Protection.
- vii. Local people should be given preference in employment to minimize the impact on Wildlife due to influx of people should be given preference in employment to minimize the impact on Wildlife due to influx of people.
- viii. All the staff involved in the construction will be informed about the do's and don't in Jawahar Tunnel Conservation Reserve.
- ix. Environment monitoring committee should be formed consisting of NHAI's representative and Wildlife Official under the Chairmanship of Regional Wildlife Warden, Jammu.
- x. No construction debris or muck generated due to the construction of Department of Wildlife Protection, Jammu and Kashmir for Conservation and Preservation of Wildlife and its habitat.
- xi. User Agency should pay 5% of the cost of the Project of the Department of Wildlife Protection, Jammu and Kashmir for Conservation and Preservation of Wildlife and its habitat.
- xii. A fixed percentage of Toll revenue collected by the User Agency from the User Agency passing through the diverted area of Jawahar Tunnel Conservation Reserve should be paid to Department of Wildlife Protection, Jammu and Kashmir to meet the recurring of maintenance and protection of Jawahar Tunnel Conservation Reserve.
- 2. The proprietary and legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.
- 3. The forest land shall be utilized only for the purpose for which it has been indented.
- 4. 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.
- 5. The User Agency shall pay the following amount after the forest clearance is accorded:

i.	Net Present Value		Rs. 81,30,348/-
ii.	Compensatory Afforestation		Rs. 5,81,570/-
		TOTAL	Rs. 87,11,918/-

- 6. The User Agency shall construct retaining walls/breast walls as per approved plan and design and take all necessary steps to check soil erosion which may result due to proposed construction of the road. The User Agency shall seek technical guidance in this respect from the Director, J&K Soil Conservation Department. A copy of the plan and design of the proposed road shall be made available to the Forest Department.
- 7. The User Agency shall not dump the debris on forest land and it be dumped in separate dumping sites.

- 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 @ 10 times the standard rate of 1992.
- 9. 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 after it is rehabilitated properly by the User Agency.
- 10. The User Agency shall be responsible for obtaining requisite clearances under any other law in vogue.
- 11. The money 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.

SUBJECT :- Proposal to allow use of 0.185 hectare of forest land for construction of doubling of Railway line at Kharote crossing from Ravi Bridge to Budhi Railway Station (Part-II) (Km 15/000 to 32/000) by Northern Railway in Jammu Forest Division.

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49<sup>th</sup> meeting. The details of the case are as under :

1. Project Scheme for which land is required.

Construction of doubling of Railway line at Kharote crossing from Ravi Bridge to Budhi Railway Station (Part-II) (Km 15/000 to 32/000).

2. Location of the Project/Scheme

(i)District.Jammu(ii)CompartmentNil(iii)BlockKathua(iv)RangeKathua(v)DivisionJammu Forest Division.

3. Details of land involved

(i) Area 0.185 hectare

(ii) Legal Status Land acquired by railways.

(iii) Number of trees involved. 95 trees/poles of different species & dia-classes

(iv) Whether forest land involved is *Wildlife Protection Area not involved.*a part of Wildlife Protection

Area.

4. User Agency

Dy.Chief Engineer, Constr. Northern Railway Pathankot.

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION**

The Advisory Committee cleared the diversion of the above forest land for doubling of railway line at Kharote in favour of Dy. Chief Engineer, Constr.

Northern Railway Pathankot, and allowed for felling of 2 trees with the condition that DFO concerned will ensure that no felling of khair trees / poles is done in the said forest area and subject to the following terms and conditions:

- 1. The proprietary and legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.
- 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 following amount after the forest clearance is accorded:

i.	Net Present Value		Rs. 1,21,545/-
ii.	Compensation for 95 trees		Rs. 69,320/-
		TOTAL	Rs. 1,90,865/-

- 5. The extraction of 95 trees shall be done by the State Forest Corporation/State Forest Department on the basis of markings administratively approved by the Chief Conservator of Forests, concerned. The cost of extraction and transportation shall be borne by the User Agency.
- 6. The User Agency shall construct retaining walls/breast walls as per approved plan and design and take all necessary steps to check soil erosion which may result due to proposed construction of the road. The User Agency shall seek technical guidance in this respect from the Director, J&K Soil Conservation Department. A copy of the plan and design of the proposed road shall be made available to the Forest Department.
- 7. The User Agency shall not dump the debris on forest land and it be dumped in separate dumping sites.
- 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 @ 10 times the standard rate of 1992.
- 9. 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 after it is rehabilitated properly by the User Agency.
- 10. The User Agency shall be responsible for obtaining requisite clearances under any other law in vogue.
- 11. The money 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.
- 12. Khair trees are not allowed to be felled.

SUBJECT :- Proposal to allow use of 3.995 hectare of forest land for construction of road from Badal to Gundi by PMGSY in Rajouri Forest Division.

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49<sup>th</sup> meeting. The details of the case are as under :

1. <u>Project Scheme for which land is required.</u>

Construction of road from Badal to Gundi by PMGSY.

#### 2. Location of the Project/Scheme

(i) District. Rajouri

(ii) Compartment 186/K, 187/K & 188/K

(iii) Block *Dalheri* (iv) Range *Kalakote* 

Wildlife Protection Area.

(v) Division Rajouri Forest Division.

#### 3. **Details of land involved**

(i) Area 3.995 hectare(ii) Legal Status Demarcated Forest

(iii) Number of trees involved. 644 trees/poles of different species & dia-classes

(iv) Whether forest land *Wildlife Protection Area not involved.* involved is a part of

4. User Agency

Executive Engineer, PMGSY Division, Budhal.

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION**

The Advisory Committee cleared the diversion of the above forest land for construction of the proposed road in favour of Executive Engineer, PMGSY Division, Budhal, and allowed felling of 644 trees /poles/saplings and subject to the following terms and conditions:

- 1. The proprietary and legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.
- 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 following amount after the forest clearance is accorded:

i.	Net Present Value		Rs. 33,75,775/-
ii.	Compensation for 644 trees		Rs. 6,44,286/-
iii.	Compensatory Afforestation		Rs. 2,00,000/-
		TOTAL	Rs. 42,20,061/-

5. The extraction of 644 trees shall be done by the State Forest Corporation/State Forest Department on the basis of markings administratively approved by the Chief Conservator of

Forests, concerned. The cost of extraction and transportation shall be borne by the User Agency.

- 6. The User Agency shall construct retaining walls/breast walls as per approved plan and design and take all necessary steps to check soil erosion which may result due to proposed construction of the road. The User Agency shall seek technical guidance in this respect from the Director, J&K Soil Conservation Department. A copy of the plan and design of the proposed road shall be made available to the Forest Department.
- 7. The User Agency shall not dump the debris on forest land and it be dumped in separate dumping sites.
- 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 @ 10 times the standard rate of 1992.
- 9. 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 after it is rehabilitated properly by the User Agency.
- 10. The User Agency shall be responsible for obtaining requisite clearances under any other law in vogue.
- 11. The money 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.

#### AGENDA ITEM NO: 49.09

SUBJECT :- Proposal to allow use of 3.5 hectare of forest land for construction of road from Nadyala to Bagla (new alignment) by PMGSY in Nowshera Forest Division.

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49<sup>th</sup> meeting. The details of the case are as under :

1. <u>Project Scheme for which land is required.</u>

Construction of road from Nadyala to Bagla (new alignment) by PMGSY.

#### 2. Location of the Project/Scheme

(i) District. Rajouri (ii) Compartment 99/N &

(ii) Compartment 99/N & 136/N (iii) Block Chingus & Androolh

(iv) Range Nowshera

(v) Division Nowshera Forest Division.

#### 3. Details of land involved

(i) Area 3.5 hectare

(ii) Legal Status Demarcated Forest

(iii) Number of trees involved. 147 trees/poles of different species & dia-classes

(iv) Whether forest land Wildlife Protection Area not involved. involved is a part of

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION**

The Advisory Committee cleared the diversion of the above forest land for construction of the proposed road in favour of Executive Engineer, PMGSY Division, Rajouri, and allowed felling of 147 trees/poles/saplings subject to the following terms and conditions:

- 1. The proprietary and legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.
- 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 following amount after the forest clearance is accorded:

		TOTAL	Rs. 40.25.880/-
iii.	Compensatory Afforestation		Rs. 1,75,000/-
ii.	Compensation for 147 trees		Rs. 8,93,380/-
i.	Net Present Value		Rs. 29,57,500/-

- 5. The extraction of 147 trees shall be done by the State Forest Corporation/State Forest Department on the basis of markings administratively approved by the Chief Conservator of Forests, concerned. The cost of extraction and transportation shall be borne by the User Agency.
- 6. The User Agency shall construct retaining walls/breast walls as per approved plan and design and take all necessary steps to check soil erosion which may result due to proposed construction of the road. The User Agency shall seek technical guidance in this respect from the Director, J&K Soil Conservation Department. A copy of the plan and design of the proposed road shall be made available to the Forest Department.
- 7. The User Agency shall not dump the debris on forest land and it be dumped in separate dumping sites.
- 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 @ 10 times the standard rate of 1992.
- 9. 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 after it is rehabilitated properly by the User Agency.
- 10. The User Agency shall be responsible for obtaining requisite clearances under any other law in vogue.

11. The money 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.

#### AGENDA ITEM NO: 49.10

SUBJECT: - Proposal to allow use of 1.12 hectare of forest land for widening and upgradation of Pahalgam Circuit road by Pahalgam Dev. Authority in Lidder Forest Division.

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49<sup>th</sup> meeting. The details of the case are as under :

1. <u>Project Scheme for which land is required.</u>

Widening of upgradation of Pahalgam Circuit road by Pahalgam Development Authority.

2. Location of the Project/Scheme

(i) District.(ii) Compartment

(iii) Block(iv) Range

(v) Division

Anantnag

2 & 4b/Keshwani

Pahalgam Bijbehara

Lidder Forest Division.

3. Details of land involved

(i) Area(ii) Legal Status

(iii) Number of trees involved.

(iv) Whether forest land involved is a part of

Wildlife Protection Area.

1.12 hectare

Demarcated Forest

20 trees/poles of different species & dia-classes

Wildlife Protection Area not involved.

4. User Agency

Chief Executive Officer, Pahalgam Development Authority.

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION**

The Advisory Committee cleared the diversion of the above forest land for widening /upgradation of Pahalgam circuit road in favour of Chief Executive Officer, Pahalgam Development Authority, and allowed felling of 20 trees, subject to the following terms and conditions:

- 1. The proprietary and legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.
- 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 following amount after the forest clearance is accorded:

i.	Net Present Value	Rs. 11,09,920/-
ii.	Compensation for 20 trees	Rs. 2,17,551/-

iii.	Compensatory Afforestation		Rs. 73,446/-
		TOTAL	Rs. 14,00,917/-

- 5. The extraction of 20 trees shall be done by the State Forest Corporation/State Forest Department on the basis of markings administratively approved by the Chief Conservator of Forests, concerned. The cost of extraction and transportation shall be borne by the User Agency.
- 6. The User Agency shall construct retaining walls/breast walls as per approved plan and design and take all necessary steps to check soil erosion which may result due to proposed construction of the road. The User Agency shall seek technical guidance in this respect from the Director, J&K Soil Conservation Department. A copy of the plan and design of the proposed road shall be made available to the Forest Department.
- 7. The User Agency shall not dump the debris on forest land and it be dumped in separate dumping sites.
- 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 @ 10 times the standard rate of 1992.
- 9. 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 after it is rehabilitated properly by the User Agency.
- 10. The User Agency shall be responsible for obtaining requisite clearances under any other law in vogue.
- 11. The money 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.

SUBJECT :- Proposal to allow use of 4.33 hectare of forest land for construction of road from Kandigali to Kanthoi by PMGSY in Rajouri Forest Division.

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49<sup>th</sup> meeting. The details of the case are as under :

Project Scheme for which land is required.

Construction of road from Kandigali to Kanthoi by PMGSY.

#### 2. Location of the Project/Scheme

(i) District. Rajouri

(ii) Compartment 60/K, 61/K, 137/K & 138/K

(iii) Block Bakori (iv) Range Kalakote

(v) Division Rajouri Forest Division.

#### 3. Details of land involved

(i) Area 4.33 hectare

(ii) Legal Status Demarcated Forest

(iii) Number of trees involved. 492 trees/poles & 4110 bushes of different species

& dia-classes

(iv) Whether forest land Wildlife Protection Area not involved. involved is a part of

Wildlife Protection Area.

#### 4. User Agency

#### PMGSY Division, Budhal.

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION**

The Advisory Committee deferred the above case and directed the concerned user agency to conduct joint survey of the area in consultation with the forest department for realignment of the proposed road to minimize the felling of trees.

#### **AGENDA ITEM NO: 49.12**

SUBJECT :- Proposal to allow use of 0.425 hectare of plantation area for construction of road from Air Force Camp to Dhar Road by GREF.

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49<sup>th</sup> meeting. The details of the case are as under :

1. Project Scheme for which land is Construction of road from Air Force Camp to Dhar

required. Road by GREF.

2. Location of the Project/Scheme V.W.L Kawa (Village Kashira) Social Forestry.

(i) District. Udhampur

(ii) Compartment *Nil* (iii) Block *Nil* 

Wildlife Protection Area.

(iv) Range Udhampur

(v) Division Udhampur Forest Division.

3. Details of land involved

(i) Area 0.425 hectare
(ii) Legal Status Demarcated Forest

(iii) Number of trees involved. 488 trees/poles/Sappling of different species & dia-classes.

(iv) Whether forest land *Wildlife Protection Area not involved*. involved is a part of

4. <u>User Agency</u>

Officer Commanding, 35 BRTF (GREF).

#### ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION

The Advisory Committee cleared the diversion of the above forest land for construction of proposed road in favour of Officer Commanding 35 BRTF (GREF), and allowed felling of 488 trees/poles/saplings subject to the following terms and conditions:

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

- 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 following amount after the forest clearance is accorded:

i.	Net Present Value	Nil
ii.	Compensation for 488 (T+P+S)	Rs. 1,55,426/-
iii.	Compensatory Afforestation	Nil
iv.	Compensation on a/c of damage of fencing	Rs. 30,580/-
٧.	Re-fixing charges for fencing	Rs. 76,450/-
	TOTAL	Rs. 2,62,456/-

- 5. The extraction of 488 (Tree, Poles & Saplings) shall be done by the State Forest Corporation/Social Forestry Department on the basis of markings administratively approved by the Chief Conservator of Forests, concerned. The cost of extraction and transportation shall be borne by the User Agency.
- 6. The User Agency shall construct retaining walls/breast walls as per approved plan and design and take all necessary steps to check soil erosion which may result due to proposed construction of the road. The User Agency shall seek technical guidance in this respect from the Director, J&K Soil Conservation Department. A copy of the plan and design of the proposed road shall be made available to the Forest Department.
- 7. The User Agency shall not dump the debris on forest land and it shall be dumped on separate dumping sites. Area of dumping sites will be included for additional diversion by this User Agency.
- 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 @ 10 times the standard rate of 1992.
- 9. The forest land so allowed for use shall return to the Social Forestry Department free of any encumbrances when it is no longer required by the User Agency and after it is rehabilitated properly by the User Agency.
- 10. The User Agency shall be responsible for obtaining requisite clearances under any other law in vogue.
- 11. The money 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.

SUBJECT :- Proposal to allow use of 0.085 hectare of forest land for felling of 103 trees/poles (from forest land 42 and state land 61) for construction of road Posta to Malna (Km 0 to Km 6) by PWD (R&B) under NABARD Scheme in Doda Forest Division.

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49<sup>th</sup> meeting. The details of the case are as under :

1. <u>Project Scheme for which land is required.</u>

Construction of road Posta to Malna (Km 0 to Km 6) by PWD (R&B) under NABARD Scheme.

2. Location of the Project/Scheme

(i) District.
 (ii) Compartment
 (iii) Block
 (iv) Range
 Doda
 52/Kuntwara
 Gundna
 Kuntwara

(v) Division Doda Forest Division.

3. Details of land involved

(i) Area 0.085 hectare (However State land of about 0.1

hectare with 61 trees/poles is also involved)

(ii) Legal Status Demarcated Forest

(iii) Number of trees involved. 103 trees/poles of different species & dia-classes.

(iv) Whether forest land involved is a part of Wildlife Protection Area.

Wildlife Protection Area not involved.

4. User Agency

Executive Engineer, PWD (R&B) Spl. Sub-Div., Doda.

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION**

The Advisory Committee cleared the diversion of the above forest land for construction of proposed road in favour of Executive Engineer, PWD (RLB) Spl. Sub-Div., Doda, and allowed felling of 103 trees/poles/saplings subject to the following terms and conditions:

- 1. The proprietary and legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.
- 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 following amount after the forest clearance is accorded:

		TOTAL	Rs. 6,19,576/-
ii.	Compensation for 103 (T+P)		Rs. 5,35,341/-
i.	Net Present Value		Rs. 84,235/-

5. The extraction of 103 (Trees & Poles) shall be done by the State Forest Corporation/State Forest Department on the basis of markings administratively approved by the Chief Conservator of Forests, concerned. The cost of extraction and transportation shall be borne by the User Agency.

- 6. The User Agency shall construct retaining walls/breast walls as per approved plan and design and take all necessary steps to check soil erosion which may result due to proposed construction of the road. The User Agency shall seek technical guidance in this respect from the Director, J&K Soil Conservation Department. A copy of the plan and design of the proposed road shall be made available to the Forest Department.
- 7. The User Agency shall not dump the debris on forest land.
- 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 @ 10 times the standard rate of 1992.
- 9. 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 after it is rehabilitated properly by the User Agency.
- 10. The User Agency shall be responsible for obtaining requisite clearances under any other law in vogue.
- 11. The money 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.

SUBJECT :- Proposal to allow use of 0.027 hectare of forest land for construction of School Building at Zumzumpora under SSA by Education Department in J.V. Forest Division Baramulla.

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49<sup>th</sup> meeting. The details of the case are as under :

1. <u>Project Scheme for which land is required.</u>

Construction of School Building at Zumzumpora under SSA by Education Department.

#### 2. Location of the Project/Scheme

(i) District.
 (ii) Compartment
 (iii) Block
 (iv) Range
 Baramulla
 Baramulla
 Kitchama
 Baramulla

(v) Division J.V. Forest Division.

#### 3. Details of land involved

(i) Area 0.027 hectare (ii) Legal Status Demarcated Forest

(iii) Number of trees involved. ----Nil----

(iv) Whether forest land involved is a part of Wildlife Protection Area.

Wildlife Protection Area not involved.

#### 4. <u>User Agency</u>

Chief Education Officer, Baramulla.

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION**

The Advisory Committee cleared the diversion of the above forest land for construction of the proposed school building in favour of Chief Education Officer, Baramulla, with the condition that DFO concerned will ensure that no felling is done in the said forest area and trees are planted around the boundary of the school by the school authorities. The sanction is also subject to the following terms and conditions:

- 1. The proprietary and legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.
- 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 construct retaining walls/breast walls as per approved plan and design and take all necessary steps to check soil erosion which may result due to proposed construction of the road. The User Agency shall seek technical guidance in this respect from the Director, J&K Soil Conservation Department. A copy of the plan and design of the proposed road shall be made available to the Forest Department.
- 5. The User Agency shall not dump the debris on forest land and it be dumped in separate dumping sites.
- 6. 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 @ 10 times the standard rate of 1992.
- 7. 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 after it is rehabilitated properly by the User Agency.
- 8. The User Agency shall be responsible for obtaining requisite clearances under any other law in vogue.

#### **AGENDA ITEM NO: 49.15**

SUBJECT :- Proposal to allow use of 3.00 hectare of forest land for construction of road from NHW to Kachpathri by PMGSY in Sindh Forest Division.

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49<sup>th</sup> meeting. The details of the case are as under :

Project Scheme for which land is required.

Construction of road from NHW to Kachpathri by PMGSY.

#### 2. Location of the Project/Scheme

(i) District. Ganderbal
(ii) Compartment 69/Sindh.
(iii) Block Kangan town

(iv) Range Kangan(v) Division Sindh Forest Division.

3. Details of land involved

(i) Area 3.00 hectare

(ii) Legal Status Demarcated Forest

(iii) Number of trees involved. ----Nil----

(iv) Whether forest land W involved is a part of Wildlife

Wildlife Protection Area not involved.

Protection Area.

4. <u>User Agency</u>

Executive Engineer, PMGSY, JKRRDA Division, Badgam.

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION**

The Advisory Committee cleared the diversion of the above forest land for construction of the proposed road in favour of Executive Engineer, PMGSY, JKRRDA Division, Budgam, with the condition that DFO concerned will ensure that no felling is done in the said forest area and subject to the following terms and conditions:

- 1. The proprietary and legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.
- 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 following amount after the forest clearance is accorded:

	TOTAL	Rs. 22,47,000/-
ii.	Compensation Afforestation	Rs. 1,50,000/-
i.	Net Present Value	Rs. 20,97,000/-

- 5. The User Agency shall construct retaining walls/breast walls as per approved plan and design and take all necessary steps to check soil erosion which may result due to proposed construction of the road. The User Agency shall seek technical guidance in this respect from the Director, J&K Soil Conservation Department. A copy of the plan and design of the proposed road shall be made available to the Forest Department.
- 6. The User Agency shall not dump the debris on forest land and it shall be dumped on separate dumping sites. Area of dumping sites will be included for additional diversion by the user agency.
- 7. 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 @ 10 times the standard rate of 1992.

- 8. 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 after it is rehabilitated properly by the User Agency.
- 9. The User Agency shall be responsible for obtaining requisite clearances under any other law in vogue.
- 10. The money 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.

SUBJECT:- Proposal to allow use of 46.412 hectare of forest land for widening of existing road from Reasi Km 8 to Kanthan Km 30 from CL-5 to NHDL specification in Reasi Forest Division by 110 RCC (GREF).

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49<sup>th</sup> meeting. The details of the case are as under :

1. <u>Project Scheme for which land is required.</u>

Widening of existing road from Reasi Km 8 to Kanthan Km 30 from CL-5 to NHDL Specification.

2. Location of the Project/Scheme

(i) District. Reasi

(ii) Compartment 29/R, 30/R, 31/R, 32/R, 33/R, 34/R & 36/R.

(iii) Block Bhamag (iv) Range Reasi

(v) Division Reasi Forest Division.

3. Details of land involved

(i) Area 46.412 hectare
(ii) Legal Status Demarcated Forest

(iii) Number of trees involved. 9831 trees/poles including 91Khair trees of different

species & dia classes.

(iv) Whether forest land Wildlife Protection Area not involved.

involved is a part of Wildlife Protection Area.

<u>User Agency</u> Officer Commanding 110 RCC (GREF) C/O 56 APO.

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION**

The Advisory Committee cleared the diversion of the above forest land for widening of the proposed road in favour of Officer Commanding 110 RCC (GREF) C/O 56 APO, and allowed felling of 9740 trees/poles/saplings with the condition

## that DFO concerned will ensure that no felling of khair is done in the said forest area and subject to the following terms and conditions:

- 1. The proprietary and legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.
- 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 following amount after the forest clearance is accorded:

i.	Net Present Value	Rs.	3,22,19,464/-
ii.	Compensation for 9831 (T+P+S)	Rs.	28,38,730/-
iii.	Compensation Afforestation	Rs.	30,99,000/-
iv.	Shifting of fence line	Rs.	14,41,020/-
	TOTAL	Rs.	3,95,98,214/-

- 5. The extraction of 9831 (Trees, Poles & Saplings) shall be done by the State Forest Corporation/State Forest Department on the basis of markings administratively approved by the Chief Conservator of Forests, concerned. The cost of extraction and transportation shall be borne by the User Agency.
- 6. The User Agency shall construct retaining walls/breast walls as per approved plan and design and take all necessary steps to check soil erosion which may result due to proposed construction of the road. The User Agency shall seek technical guidance in this respect from the Director, J&K Soil Conservation Department. A copy of the plan and design of the proposed road shall be made available to the Forest Department.
- 7. The User Agency shall not dump the debris on forest land and it shall be dumped on separate dumping sites. Area of dumping sites will be included for additional diversion by the User Agency.
- 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 @ 10 times the standard rate of 1992.
- 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 after it is rehabilitated properly by the User Agency.
- 10. The User Agency shall be responsible for obtaining requisite clearances under any other law in vogue.
- 11. The money 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.
- 12. Khair trees are not allowed to be felled.

**AGENDA ITEM NO: 49.17** 

SUBJECT :- Proposal to allow use of 4.959 hectare of forest land for widening of existing road from Rajouri to Budhal NHDL specification in Rajouri Forest Division by 110 RCC (GREF).

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49th meeting. The details of the case are as under:

1. Project Scheme for which land is required.

Widening of existing road from Rajouri to Budhal NHDL specification.

#### 2. Location of the Project/Scheme

(i) District. Rajouri

(ii) Compartment 166/R, 167/R, 168/R, & 169/R.

(iii) Block Nagrota (iv) Range Kandi

Wildlife Protection Area.

(v) Division Rajouri Forest Division.

#### 3. Details of land involved

(i) Area 4.959 hectare (ii) Legal Status Demarcated Forest

(iii) Number of trees involved. 1760 trees/poles & 19000 bushes of different species

& dia classes.

(iv) Whether forest land *Wildlife Protection Area not involved.* involved is a part of

4. User Agency

Officer Commanding 110 RCC (GREF).

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION**

The Advisory Committee cleared the diversion of the above forest land for widening of the proposed road in favour of Officer Commanding 110 RCC (GREF), and allowed felling of 1760 trees/poles/saplings and bushes, subject to the following terms and conditions:

- 1. The proprietary and legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.
- 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 following amount after the forest clearance is accorded:

i.	Net Present Value	Rs. 41,90,355/-
ii.	Compensation for 1760+19000 (T+P+S+B)	Rs. 47,84,602/-
iii.	Compensation Afforestation	Rs. 2,50,000/-
	TOTAL	Rs. 92,24,957/-

5. The extraction of 1760+19000 (Trees, Poles & Saplings + Bushes) shall be done by the State Forest Corporation/Forest Department on the basis of markings administratively approved by the

- Chief Conservator of Forests, concerned. The cost of extraction and transportation shall be borne by the User Agency.
- 6. The User Agency shall construct retaining walls/breast walls as per approved plan and design and take all necessary steps to check soil erosion which may result due to proposed construction of the road. The User Agency shall seek technical guidance in this respect from the Director, J&K Soil Conservation Department. A copy of the plan and design of the proposed road shall be made available to the Forest Department.
- 7. The User Agency shall not dump the debris on forest land and it shall be dumped on separate dumping sites. Area of dumping sites will be included for additional diversion by the User Agency.
- 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 @ 10 times the standard rate of 1992.
- 9. 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 after it is rehabilitated properly by the User Agency.
- 10. The User Agency shall be responsible for obtaining requisite clearances under any other law in vogue.
- 11. The money 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.

SUBJECT: - Proposal to allow use of 23.50 hectare of forest land for widening of Basohli-Bani-Bhadarwah Road from Km 57 to Km 88.6 in Billawar Forest Division by GREF.

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49th meeting. The details of the case are as under:

1. Project Scheme for which land is required.

Widening of Basohli-Bani-Bhaderwah Road from Km 57 to Km 88.6.

#### 2. Location of the Project/Scheme

Kathua District. (i)

6/Bani, 7/Bani, 83/Bani & 84/Bani. (ii) Compartment

Bani & Koti (iii) Block

Bani (iv) Range

Division Billawar Forest Division. (v)

#### 3. **Details of land involved**

23.50 hectare (i) Area (ii)

Legal Status Demarcated Forest

- (iii) Number of trees involved.
- (iv) Whether forest land involved is a part of Wildlife Protection Area.

2241 trees/poles of different species & dia classes. Wildlife Protection Area not involved.

4. User Agency

Officer Commanding, 485 RMPL, 69 RCC (GREF).

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION**

The Advisory Committee cleared the diversion of the above forest land for widening of the proposed road in favour of Officer Commanding, 485 RMPL, 69 RCC (GREF), and allowed felling of 2241 trees/poles/saplings, subject to the following terms and conditions:

- 1. The proprietary and legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.
- 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 following amount after the forest clearance is accorded:

···	TOTAL	Rs. 3,07,03,791/-
iv.	Compensation for shifting & relocating fencing	Rs. 1,72,580/-
iii.	Compensatory Afforestation	Rs. 11,75,000/-
ii.	Compensation for 2241 (T+P)	Rs. 94,98,711/-
i.	Net Present Value	Rs. 1,98,57,500/-

- 5. The extraction of 2241 (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, concerned. The cost of extraction and transportation shall be borne by the User Agency.
- 6. The User Agency shall construct retaining walls/breast walls as per approved plan and design and take all necessary steps to check soil erosion which may result due to proposed construction of the road. The User Agency shall seek technical guidance in this respect from the Director, J&K Soil Conservation Department. A copy of the plan and design of the proposed road shall be made available to the Forest Department.
- 7. The User Agency shall not dump the debris on forest land and it shall be dumped in separate dumping sites. Area of dumping sites will be included for additional diversion by the User Agency.
- 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 @ 10 times the standard rate of 1992.
- 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 after it is rehabilitated properly by the User Agency.

- 10. The User Agency shall be responsible for obtaining requisite clearances under any other law in vogue.
- 11. The money 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.

SUBJECT :- Proposal to allow use of 8.61 hectare of forest land for construction of road from Km 12<sup>th</sup> Reasi-Arnas road to Pounsali by 110 PMGSY in Reasi Forest Division.

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49<sup>th</sup> meeting. The details of the case are as under :

1. <u>Project Scheme for which land is required.</u>

Construction of road from Km 12<sup>th</sup> Reasi-Amas road to Pounsali by 110 PMGSY.

#### 2. Location of the Project/Scheme

(i) District. Reasi
(ii) Compartment 31/R & 32/R
(iii) Block Bhomag
(iv) Range Reasi

(v) Division Reasi Forest Division.

#### 3. **Details of land involved**

(i) Area 8.61 hectare

(ii) Legal Status Demarcated Forest

(iii) Number of trees involved. 881 trees/poles including 4 number of Khair trees of

different species & dia classes.
Whether forest land Wildlife Protection Area not involved.

(iv) Whether forest land involved is a part of Wildlife Protection Area.

4. <u>User Agency</u> Executive Engineer, PMGSY Division, Mahore.

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION**

The Advisory Committee cleared the diversion of the above forest land for construction of proposed road in favour of Executive Engineer, PMGSY Division, Mahore, and allowed felling of 877 trees/poles/saplings with the condition that DFO concerned will ensure that no felling of any khair tree is done in the said forest area. The sanction is also subject to the following terms and conditions:

- 1. The proprietary and legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.
- 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 following amount after the forest clearance is accorded:

i.	Net Present Value	Rs. 72,75,450/-
ii.	Compensation for 881 (T+P+S)	Rs. 10,33,460/-
iii.	Compensatory Afforestation	Rs. 5,05,000/-
iv.	Shifting of fencing line	Rs. 40,488/-
V.	Compensation for assets	Rs. 2,42,000/-
	TOTAL	Rs. 90,96,398/-

- 5. The extraction of 881 (Trees, Poles & Saplings) shall be done by the State Forest Corporation/Forest Department on the basis of markings administratively approved by the Chief Conservator of Forests, concerned. The cost of extraction and transportation shall be borne by the User Agency.
- 6. The User Agency shall construct retaining walls/breast walls as per approved plan and design and take all necessary steps to check soil erosion which may result due to proposed construction of the road. The User Agency shall seek technical guidance in this respect from the Director, J&K Soil Conservation Department. A copy of the plan and design of the proposed road shall be made available to the Forest Department.
- 7. The User Agency shall not dump the debris on forest land and it shall be dumped in separate dumping sites. Area of dumping sites will be included for additional diversion by the User Agency.
- 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 @ 10 times the standard rate of 1992.
- 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 after it is rehabilitated properly by the User Agency.
- 10. The User Agency shall be responsible for obtaining requisite clearances under any other law in vogue.
- 11. The money 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.
- 12. Khair trees are not allowed to be felled.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY AGENDA ITEM NO: 49.20

SUBJECT :- Proposal to allow use of 6.945 hectare of forest land for construction of road from Bakkal to Lamsoora by PMGSY in Mahore Forest Division.

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49th meeting. The details of the case are as under:

1. <u>Project Scheme for which land is required.</u>

Construction of road from Bakkal to Lamsoora by PMGSY.

#### 2. Location of the Project/Scheme

(i) District. Reasi

(ii) Compartment 16/R, 18a/R, 19a/R & 20/R

(iii) Block Bhomag (iv) Range Reasi

(v) Division Reasi Forest Division.

#### 3. Details of land involved

(i) Area 6.945 hectare (ii) Legal Status Demarcated Forest

(iii) Number of trees involved. 3577 trees/poles including 29 number of Khair trees of

different species & dia classes.

(iv) Whether forest land Wildlife Protection Area not involved.

involved is a part of Wildlife Protection Area.

#### 4. <u>User Agency</u>

Executive Engineer, PMGSY Division, Mahore.

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION**

The Advisory Committee cleared the diversion of the above forest land for construction of the proposed road in favour of Executive Engineer, PMGSY Division, Mahore, and allowed felling of 3548 trees/poles/saplings with the condition that DFO concerned will ensure that no felling of khair trees is done in the said forest area. The sanction is also subject to the following terms and conditions:

- 1. The proprietary and legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.
- 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 following amount after the forest clearance is accorded:

i.	Net Present Value	Rs. 56,48,565/-
ii.	Compensation for 3577 (T+P+S)	Rs. 22,73,019/-
iii.	Compensatory Afforestation	Rs. 5,30,000/-
	TOTAL	Rs. 84,51,584/-

- 5. The extraction of 3577 (Trees, Poles & Saplings) shall be done by the State Forest Corporation/Forest Department on the basis of markings administratively approved by the Chief Conservator of Forests, concerned. The cost of extraction and transportation shall be borne by the User Agency.
- 6. The User Agency shall construct retaining walls/breast walls as per approved plan and design and take all necessary steps to check soil erosion which may result due to proposed construction of the road. The User Agency shall seek technical guidance in this respect from the Director, J&K Soil Conservation Department. A copy of the plan and design of the proposed road shall be made available to the Forest Department.

- 7. The User Agency shall not dump the debris on forest land and it shall be dumped on separate dumping sites. Area of dumping sites will be included for additional diversion by the User Agency.
- 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 @ 10 times the standard rate of 1992.
- 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 after it is rehabilitated properly by the User Agency.
- 10. The User Agency shall be responsible for obtaining requisite clearances under any other law in vogue.
- 11. The money 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.
- 12. Khair trees are not allowed to be felled.

#### **SUPPLEMENTARY AGENDA ITEM NO: 49.21**

SUBJECT: - Proposal to allow use of 5.82 hectare of forest land for construction of road from Trikathi Morh to Bagga by PWD (R&B) in Mahore Forest Division.

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49<sup>th</sup> meeting. The details of the case are as under :

1. Project Scheme for which land is required.

Construction of road from Trikathi Morh to Bagga by PWD (R&B).

2. Location of the Project/Scheme

(i) District.(ii) Compartment

Reasi 4/GG & 7/GG

(ii) Compartm (iii) Block

Mahore Gulab Garh

(iv) Range (v) Division

Mahore Forest Division.

3. Details of land involved

(i) Area

5.82 hectare

(ii) Legal Status

Demarcated Forest

(iii) Number of trees involved.

129 trees/poles of different species & dia classes.

(iv) Whether forest land involved is a part of Wildlife Protection Area.

Wildlife Protection Area not involved.

4. User Agency

Executive Engineer, PWD (R&B) Division, Mahore.

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION**

The Advisory Committee cleared the diversion of the above forest land for construction of the proposed road in favour of Executive Engineer, PWD (RLB)

## Division, Mahore, and allowed felling of 129 trees/poles/saplings subject to the following terms and conditions:

- 1. The proprietary and legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.
- 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 following amount after the forest clearance is accorded:

iii. Compensatory Afforestation Rs. 3,01,500/-	ii.	Net Present Value Compensation for 129 (Trees)	Rs. 49,17,900/- Rs. 6,26,900/-
III.   Compensatory Andrestation   Rs. 3,01,500/-	- 11.		, , ,
TOTAL Rs. 58,46,300/-	1111.	i '	, , ,

- 5. The extraction of 129 (Trees) shall be done by the State Forest Corporation/Forest Department on the basis of markings administratively approved by the Chief Conservator of Forests, concerned. The cost of extraction and transportation shall be borne by the User Agency.
- 6. The User Agency shall construct retaining walls/breast walls as per approved plan and design and take all necessary steps to check soil erosion which may result due to proposed construction of the road. The User Agency shall seek technical guidance in this respect from the Director, J&K Soil Conservation Department. A copy of the plan and design of the proposed road shall be made available to the Forest Department.
- 7. The User Agency shall not dump the debris on forest land and it shall be dumped on separate dumping sites. Area of dumping sites will be included for additional diversion by the User Agency.
- 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 @ 10 times the standard rate of 1992.
- 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 after it is rehabilitated properly by the User Agency.
- 10. The User Agency shall be responsible for obtaining requisite clearances under any other law in vogue.
- 11. The money 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.

#### SUPPLEMENTARY AGENDA ITEM NO: 49.22

SUBJECT :- Proposal to allow use of 7.87 hectare of forest land for construction of road from Bhall to Neoch by PMGSY in Mahore Forest Division.

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49<sup>th</sup> meeting. The details of the case are as under :

1. Project Scheme for which land is required.

Construction of road from Bhall to Neoch by PMGSY.

#### **Location of the Project/Scheme**

Reasi (i) District. 11/GG (ii) Compartment Mahore (iii) Block (iv) Range Gulab Garh

Division Mahore Forest Division. (v)

#### **Details of land involved**

7.87 hectare Area (i) (ii) Legal Status Demarcated Forest

200 trees/poles of different species & dia classes. Number of trees involved. (iii)

(iv) Whether land forest involved is a part of Wildlife Protection Area.

Wildlife Protection Area not involved.

#### User Agency

Executive Engineer, PMGSY, Division, Mahore.

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION**

The Advisory Committee cleared the diversion of the above forest land for construction of the proposed road in favour of Executive Engineer, PMGSY Division, Mahore, and allowed felling of 200 trees/poles/saplings subject to the following terms and conditions:

- 1. The proprietary and legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.
- 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 following amount after the forest clearance is accorded:

i.	Net Present Value	Rs. 66,50,150/-
ii.	Compensation for 200 (Trees +Poles)	Rs. 5,95,270/-
iii.	Compensatory Afforestation	Rs. 3,95,125/-
	TOTAL	Rs. 76,40,545/-

- 5. The extraction of 200 (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, concerned. The cost of extraction and transportation shall be borne by the User Agency.
- 6. The User Agency shall construct retaining walls/breast walls as per approved plan and design and take all necessary steps to check soil erosion which may result due to proposed construction of the road. The User Agency shall seek technical guidance in this respect from the Director, J&K Soil Conservation Department. A copy of the plan and design of the proposed road shall be made available to the Forest Department.

- 7. The User Agency shall not dump the debris on forest land and it shall be dumped on separate dumping sites. Area of dumping sites will be included for additional diversion by the User Agency.
- 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 @ 10 times the standard rate of 1992.
- 9. 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 after it is rehabilitated properly by the User Agency.
- 10. The User Agency shall be responsible for obtaining requisite clearances under any other law in vogue.
- 11. The money 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.

#### **SUPPLEMENTARY AGENDA ITEM NO: 49.23**

SUBJECT :- Revised proposal to allow use of 22.20 hectare of forest land for laying of 400 KV/SC Transmission line from Uri to Uri-II & Uri-II to Wagoora by Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd. In J.V. Forest Division.

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49th meeting. The details of the case are as under:

Baramulla

**Project Scheme for which land is** 1. required.

Laying of 400 KV/SC Transmission Line from Uri to Uri-II & Uri-II to Wagoora by Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd.

Location of the Project/Scheme

District. (i) (ii) Compartment

70, 71, 03, 02/Bla, 20, 22/Kathali & 17/Uri. Block Kichama, Halpora (iii) (iv) Range Kathai & Baramulla Division (v) J.V. Forest Division.

**Details of land involved** 

Area 22.20 hectare (i) Legal Status Demarcated Forest (ii)

Number of trees involved. 11976 trees/poles of different species & dia classes. (iii)

Whether forest land (iv) involved is a part of Wildlife Protection Area.

Wildlife Protection Area not involved.

**User Agency** 

General Manager, PGCI, Ltd.

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION**

The Advisory Committee cleared the diversion of the above forest land for laying of proposed transmission line in favour of General Manager, PGCI, Ltd.,

with the condition that DFO concerned will ensure that no felling of poles and saplings is done in the said forest area coming under the transmission line and minimum number of trees are removed out of 1026 trees, subject to the following terms and conditions:

- 1. The proprietary and legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.
- 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 following amount after the forest clearance is accorded:

i.	Net Present Value	Rs. 2,20,00,200/-
ii.	Compensation for 11976 (Trees +Poles+ Saplings)	Rs. 2,17,34,372/-
iii.	Compensatory Afforestation	Rs. 18,32,000/-
	TOTAL	Rs. 4,55,66,572/-

- 5. The extraction of 11976 (Trees, Poles & Saplings) shall be done by the State Forest Corporation/Forest Department on the basis of markings administratively approved by the Chief Conservator of Forests, concerned. The cost of extraction and transportation shall be borne by the User Agency.
- 6. The User Agency shall construct retaining walls/breast walls as per approved plan and design and take all necessary steps to check soil erosion which may result due to proposed construction of the road. The User Agency shall seek technical guidance in this respect from the Director, J&K Soil Conservation Department. A copy of the plan and design of the proposed road shall be made available to the Forest Department.
- 7. The User Agency shall not dump the debris on forest land and it shall be dumped on separate dumping sites. Area of dumping sites will be included for additional diversion by the User Agency.
- 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 @ 10 times the standard rate of 1992.
- 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 after it is rehabilitated properly by the User Agency.
- 10. The User Agency shall be responsible for obtaining requisite clearances under any other law in vogue.
- 11. The money 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.

**SUPPLEMENTARY AGENDA ITEM NO: 49.24** 

SUBJECT :- Proposal to allow use of 24.988 hectare of forest land for construction of road from Bakkal to Surjandhan by PMGSY in Reasi Forest Division.

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49<sup>th</sup> meeting. The details of the case are as under :

1. Project Scheme for which land is required.

Construction of road from Bakkal to Surjandhan by PMGSY.

#### 2. Location of the Project/Scheme

(i) District. Reasi

(ii) Compartment 18/R, 19/R, 20/R & 21/R

(iii) Block Bhomag (iv) Range Reasi

Wildlife Protection Area.

(v) Division Reasi Forest Division.

#### 3. Details of land involved

(i) Area 24.988 hectare
(ii) Legal Status Demarcated Forest

(iii) Number of trees involved. 1973 trees/poles of different species & dia classes.

(iv) Whether forest land Wildlife Protection Area not involved. involved is a part of

4. User Agency

Executive Engineer, PMGSY Division, Mahore.

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION**

The Advisory Committee cleared the diversion of the above forest land for construction of the proposed road in favour of Executive Engineer, PMGSY Division, Mahore, and allowed felling of 1973 trees/poles/saplings ubject to the following terms and conditions:

- 1. The proprietary and legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.
- 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 following amount after the forest clearance is accorded:

i.	Net Present Value	Rs. 2,11,14,860/-
ii.	Compensation for 1973 (Trees+Poles+ Saplings)	Rs. 46,48,764/-
iii.	Compensatory Afforestation	Rs. 13,74,000/-
iv.	Compensation for damage	Rs. 60,732/-
	TOTAL	Rs. 2,71,98,356/-

5. The extraction of 1973 (Trees, Poles & Saplings) shall be done by the State Forest Corporation/Forest Department on the basis of markings administratively approved by the Chief Conservator of Forests, concerned. The cost of extraction and transportation shall be borne by the User Agency.

- 6. The User Agency shall construct retaining walls/breast walls as per approved plan and design and take all necessary steps to check soil erosion which may result due to proposed construction of the road. The User Agency shall seek technical guidance in this respect from the Director, J&K Soil Conservation Department. A copy of the plan and design of the proposed road shall be made available to the Forest Department.
- 7. The User Agency shall not dump the debris on forest land and it shall be dumped on separate dumping sites. Area of dumping sites will be included for additional diversion by the User Agency.
- 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 @ 10 times the standard rate of 1992.
- 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 after it is rehabilitated properly by the User Agency.
- 10. The User Agency shall be responsible for obtaining requisite clearances under any other law in vogue.
- 11. The money 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.

#### **SUPPLEMENTARY AGENDA ITEM NO: 49.25**

SUBJECT: Proposal for development of 18 hole Golf Course of Pahalgam by Pahalgam Development Authority and felling permission for 12 Number of trees involved thereof.

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49<sup>th</sup> meeting. The details of the case are as under :

1. <u>Project Scheme for which land is required.</u>

Development of 18 hole Golf Course of Pahalgam by Pahalgam Development Authority.

2. Location of the Project/Scheme

(i) District. Anantnag
 (ii) Compartment 39/L
 (iii) Block Pahalgam
 (iv) Range Pahalgam

Wildlife Protection Area.

(v) Division Lidder Forest Division.

3. Details of land involved

(i) Area Already in possession of User Agency.

(ii) Legal Status Demarcated Forest

(iii) Number of trees involved. 12 trees/poles of different species & dia classes.

(iv) Whether forest land Wildlife Protection Area not involved. involved is a part of

#### 4. User Agency

#### Pahalgam Development Authority.

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION**

The Advisory Committee cleared the diversion of the above forest land for proposed development of the Golf-Course in favour of Pahalgam Development Authority, and allowed felling of 12 trees/poles/saplings, subject to the following terms and conditions:

- 1. The proprietary and legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.
- 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 following amount after the forest clearance is accorded:

i.	Compensation for 12 (Trees + Poles + Saplings)	Rs. 31,040/-
	TOTAL	Rs. 31,040/-

- 5. The extraction of 12 (Trees, Poles & Saplings) shall be done by the State Forest Corporation/Forest Department on the basis of markings administratively approved by the Chief Conservator of Forests, concerned. The cost of extraction and transportation shall be borne by the User Agency.
- 6. The User Agency shall construct retaining walls/breast walls as per approved plan and design and take all necessary steps to check soil erosion which may result due to proposed construction. The User Agency shall seek technical guidance in this respect from the Director, J&K Soil Conservation Department. A copy of the plan and design of the proposed road shall be made available to the Forest Department.
- 7. The User Agency shall not dump the debris on forest land and it shall be dumped on separate dumping sites. Area of dumping sites will be included for additional diversion by the User Agency.
- 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 @ 10 times the standard rate of 1992.
- 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 after it is rehabilitated properly by the User Agency.
- 10. The User Agency shall be responsible for obtaining requisite clearances under any other law in vogue.
- 11. The money 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.

SUPPLEMENTARY AGENDA ITEM NO: 49.26

SUBJECT :- Proposal to allow use of additional 0.2 hectare of forest land for realignment for construction of Aham-Sharlef to Bulhoo road in Bandipora Forest Division by PMGSY.

The above cited proposal was discussed by the Forest Advisory Committee in the 49<sup>th</sup> meeting. The details of the case are as under :

1. <u>Project Scheme for which land is required.</u>

Realignment for construction of Aham-Sharlef to Bulhoo road by PMGSY.

#### 2. Location of the Project/Scheme

(i) District. Bandipora

(ii) Compartment 103/Kh & 104/Kh

(iii) Block *Khuihama* (iv) Range *Khuihama* 

(v) Division Bandipora Forest Division.

#### 3. Details of land involved

(i) Area 0.2 hectare

Wildlife Protection Area.

(ii) Legal Status Demarcated Forest

(iii) Number of trees involved. 12 trees/poles of different species & dia classes.

(iv) Whether forest land *Wildlife Protection Area not involved*. involved is a part of

4. User Agency

Executive Engineer, PMGSY (JKRRDA).

#### **ADVISORY COMMITTEE DECISION**

The Advisory Committee cleared the diversion of the above forest land for the proposed re-alignment of the road in favour of Executive Engineer, PMGSY (JKRRDA), and allowed felling of 12 trees subject to the following terms and conditions:

- 1. The proprietary and legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.
- 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 following amount after the forest clearance is accorded:

i.	Net Present Value	Rs. 1,79,400/-
	TOTAL	Rs. 1,79,400/-

- 5. The extraction of 12 (Trees) shall be done by the State Forest Corporation/Forest Department on the basis of markings administratively approved by the Chief Conservator of Forests, concerned. The cost of extraction and transportation shall be borne by the User Agency.
- 6. The User Agency shall construct retaining walls/breast walls as per approved plan and design and take all necessary steps to check soil erosion which may result due to proposed construction of the

road. The User Agency shall seek technical guidance in this respect from the Director, J&K Soil Conservation Department. A copy of the plan and design of the proposed road shall be made available to the Forest Department.

- 7. The User Agency shall not dump the debris on forest land and it shall be dumped on separate dumping sites. Area of dumping sites will be included for additional diversion by the User Agency.
- 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 @ 10 times the standard rate of 1992.
- 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 after it is rehabilitated properly by the User Agency.
- 10. The User Agency shall be responsible for obtaining requisite clearances under any other law in vogue.
- 11. State Forest Corporation will handover back the markings (9/723 Cfts Volume) saved by realignment to DFO, Bandipora who in turn will erase the marking No's and shall allow the trees to grow in-situ to put increment.
- 12. The money 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.

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