No. 8-162/92-FC

To

The Secretary (Forests),
Government of Madhya Pradesh
SHOPAL

Sub:- Diversion of 8.32 ha of forest land in Mandsaur District for construction of Chambleshwar Irrigation Project.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter No. F-5/34/92/10-3 dt 8th April, 99 on the above mentioned subject seeking prior approval of the Central Government in accordance with Section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.

2. After careful consideration of the proposal of the State Government, the Central Government hereby conveys its approval under Section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for diversion of 8.39 ha of forest land for construction of Chambleshwar Irrigation Project in Mandsaur District subject to following conditions:

(i) Legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.

(ii) Water shall be made available free of cost for forestry activities in the vicinity of the project.

(iii) Planting of native tree species will be undertaken on the canal side and other vacant land of the Irrigation Department.

The mutated non-forest land may be notified as per F. I. R.

Yours faithfully,

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