

Forest Land-Solapur

Diversion of 0.1755 ha. (Originally proposed 0.273 ha.) Unclass land under section-2 of the Van (Sanrakshan Eevam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 for construction of an approach road to upcoming charitable polyclinic and educational facilities at Kasegaon, Tal. Pandharpur, Dist. Solapur in the State Maharashtra.

**Government of Maharashtra
Revenue and Forest Department
Government Order No.: FLD-2224/C.R.159/F-10
Mantralaya, Mumbai-400 032.
Date: 01.01.2026**

Ref.:

- 1) Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Nodal Officer, Maharashtra State, Nagpur, Letter No. Desk-17/Nodal/Pune/ID-421855 (27)/559/23-24, dt.05.06.2024.
- 2) Revenue and Forest Department, Government of Maharashtra, Government letter No. FLD- 2224/C.R.159/F-10, dt.25.07.2024.
- 3) Regional Office, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Government of India, Nagpur Letter FP/MH/ROAD/421855/2023/, dt. 01.10.2024.
- 4) Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Nodal Officer, Maharashtra State, Nagpur, Letter No. Desk-17/FCA-S2/PID-421855/Pune/2025-26/205, dt.28.04.2025
- 5) Regional Office, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Government of India, Nagpur Letter FP/MH/ROAD/421855/2023 dt. 30.04.2025.
- 6) Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Nodal Officer, Maharashtra State, Nagpur, Letter No. Desk-17/FCA-S2/PID-421855/Pune/501, dt.30.05.2025.
Letter No. Desk-17/Nodal/FCA-S2/PID-421855/25-26/1778, dt.31.10.2025.

Order :

Whereas, the Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Nodal Officer, Maharashtra State, Nagpur, vide his letter under reference No.1 has submitted a proposal for diversion of 0.273 ha. Unclass land under section-2 of the Van (Sanrakshan Eevam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 for construction of an approach road to upcoming charitable polyclinic and educational facilities at Kasegaon, Tal. Pandharpur, Dist. Solapur in the State Maharashtra.;

AND whereas, the State Government vide letter under reference No. 2 has submitted proposal to Regional Office, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Government of India, Nagpur for diversion of 0.1755 ha. Forest land as per approach road policy dated. 09.01.2024;.

AND whereas, the Government of India after due consideration, vide letter under reference No.3, accorded '**In-principle**' approval to divert the 0.1755 ha. forest Land for the above project under section 2 Van (Sanrakshan Eevam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980. The said approval is subject to fulfillment of certain conditions by the User Agency;

AND whereas, the Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Nodal Officer, Maharashtra State, Nagpur, vide letter under reference No.4 has submitted compliance of those conditions to the Government of India;

AND whereas, the Regional Office, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Government of India, Nagpur, vide under reference no. 5 accorded 'Final approval' to divert the 0.1755 ha of forest land in favour of Shriramkrishna Vivekananda Bhav Prachar Samiti, Pandharpur for construction of an approach road to upcoming charitable polyclinic and educational facilities at Kasegaon, Tal. Pandharpur, Dist. Solapur in the State Maharashtra.;

AND whereas, the Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Nodal Officer, Maharashtra State, Nagpur vide letters under reference No.6 has requested State Government to issue diversion order in the matter;

NOW, therefore, Government of Maharashtra hereby directs that the area of 0.1755 ha. consisting of Unclassed Forest Land more specifically described in the proposal submitted vide letter under reference No. 1 and as per details given in the Schedule given below, be diverted to the User Agency, i.e. Shriramkrishna Vivekananda Bhav Prachar Samiti, Pandharpur for construction of an approach road to upcoming charitable polyclinic and educational facilities at Kasegaon, Tal. Pandharpur, Dist. Solapur in the State Maharashtra.

The diversion shall be effected subject to the terms and conditions mentioned in the letter dated 01.10.2024 and dated 30.04.2025 of Regional Office, MoEF&CC, Nagpur. This approval for diversion of forest land is also subject to compliance of following conditions by the User Agency-

1. User Agency shall comply with all the conditions stipulated in the 'in-principle' and 'final approval' letters of Regional Office, MoEF&CC, Nagpur, referred above. The Chief Conservator of Forests (T), Pune shall ensure the strict compliance of the conditions by the User Agency and shall furnish the report in this regard to Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Nodal Officer, Maharashtra State, Nagpur from time to time.
2. Non-compliance of any of the conditions mentioned in Regional Office, MoEF&CC letters dated 01.10.2024 and dated 30.04.2025, in this order and Rules & Guidelines

made / issued under Van (Sanrakshan E�am Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980, shall amount to violation of Van (Sanrakshan E�am Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 and action would be taken accordingly.

3. For ensuring the compliances and for monitoring the duly prescribed activities and also to carry out other statuary duties, user agency shall facilitate unhindered access/entry in the area to the local forest Officer. In case the user agency prohibits the free access or create hindrances, the permission given under this Order for the diversion of forest area for the non-forest use shall be withdrawn.
4. In case of non-compliance of any of the above conditions, The Chief Conservator of Forests (T), Pune shall report through the State Government to the Deputy Director General of Forests (Central), Regional Office, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Government of India, Nagpur as per procedure laid down in guidelines under the Van (Sanrakshan E�am Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980.

Schedule

Sr. No.	Item Work Purpose	District	Village	Taluka	Gut No	Compt. No.	Length x Width (in meter)	Area (in ha)	Legal Status
1	Construction of approach road.	Solapur	Kase-gaon	Pandharpur	2109	83	390 X 4.5	0.1755	Unclassed Forest
Total Forest land required (in ha.)								0.1755	

This Government Order is available on Government of Maharashtra's website www.maharashtra.gov.in with reference no. 202601011658544519. This order has been signed digitally.

By order and in the name of the Governor of Maharashtra,

(Subhash Rathod)

Under Secretary to the Government of Maharashtra

Copy to:

1. Secretary, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Government of India, New Delhi
2. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Maharashtra State, Nagpur.
3. Deputy Director General of Forest (Central), Regional Office, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Government of India, Nagpur.
4. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Wildlife), Maharashtra State, Nagpur
5. Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests and Nodal Officer, M.S., Nagpur

6. APCCF& Chief Executive Officer (Maha-CAMPA), Maharashtra State, Nagpur
7. Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Conservation), M.S., Nagpur
8. Collector, Solapur.
9. Chief Executive Officer, Zilha Parishad, Solapur.
10. Chief Conservator of Forests (T), Pune.
11. Deputy Conservator of Forest, Solapur Forest Division, Solapur.
12. President, Shriramkrishna Vivekanand Bhav Prachar Samiti, Pandharpur.
13. Select File (F-10)

- I. Collector- Solapur, Chief Executive Officer, Zilla Parishad- Solapur and Deputy Conservator of Forest, Solapur Forest Division, Solapur are hereby directed to forward the copy of this order to concerned Heads of Local Bodies, Panchayats, Municipal Bodies in addition to the relevant offices of the Government and they shall also ensure the display of this order on their notice board as well as on the notice board of local self-government bodies for the information of general public.
- II. President, Shriramkrishna Vivekanand Bhav Prachar Samiti, Pandharpur is hereby directed that they should publish the entire order of forest clearances granted in verbatim along with the details of Survey No., Gut No., area and legal status of each Survey, Gut No. etc., along with the conditions and safe guards imposed by the State Government while granting forest clearances in two widely circulated daily newspapers, one in vernacular language and other in English language. Copy of the Newspapers be submitted to Chief Conservator of Forests (T), Pune & Deputy Conservator of Forest, Solapur Forest Division, Solapur.
- III. Heads of Local Bodies, Panchayats and Municipal Bodies in addition to the relevant offices of the Government are hereby directed to display the same on their notice board for 30 days from the date of receipt for the information of general public.