



No. RW/BNG/N-9/NOC/Km 382.124/42/2013

Government of India

Ministry of Road Transport & Highways

(Regional Office (Civil), Bengaluru)

PWD Annexe Building, KR Circle, Bangalore-560 001

Email: robengaluru@gmail.com; Telephone: 080-22217457, 080-22105765 (F)

Dated: 03.04.2018

Invitation of Public Comments

Subject: Construction of access road to new MS/HSD retail outlet abutting on RHS boundary of NH - 9 (Sholapur - Hyderabad Section) at Km 382.124 (DE.Ch. 382.194) in Sy. No.229/1 of Gadawanti village, Humnabad Hobli, Humnabad Taluk, Bidar District, Karnataka State - Final NOC - Regarding

The proposal seeking access permission to the above retail outlet was submitted by M/s. HPCL vide letter No. BGM: RO:MK:AK:ENGG dated 24.01.2014 (Annexure-I). The same was examined and certified by PD, NHAI, PIU, Gulbarga as per Ministry's guidelines dated 24.07.2013 vide letter No. NHAI/PIU-GLB/PD/NOC/2013/1222 dated 22.01.2014 (Annexure - II). Thereafter the proposal was provisionally approved and signed copy of the layout plan was issued vide this office letter of even no. dated 10.02.2014 (Annexure III) subject to the condition that the construction of the retail outlet shall be completed in all respect within six months and completion certificate shall be issued by local NH authority.

2. DGM(T) & PD, NHAI, PIU, Gulbarga vide letter no. NHAI/PIU-GLB/NH-9/km. 382.124/42/2016/192 dated 12.05.2016 & vide letter no. NHAI/PIU-GLB/NH-9/km. 382.124/42/2016/539 dated 18.07.2016 (Annexure IV & V) has stated that M/s HPCL has carried the work of construction of permanent access for the above ROL as per the approved drawings and the work was completed in September 2015 i.e. after one year of in-principle approval and further intimated that the work could not be completed in stipulated time period due to labour problems, delay in issue of NOC from District Magistrate due to Model code of conduct in force because of general elections declared by GOI.

3. Further this office vide letter of even number dated 04.08.2016 has sought clarifications from NHAI & M/s HPCL for delay in completion of construction work beyond the stipulated time period of one year and sought justification for relaxation (Annexure VI). Chief Regional Manager, M/s HPCL, Bellary vide letter No. Nil dated 19.01.2018 (Annexure VII) has requested to extend NOC upto 31.09.2015 and issue Final NOC.

4. As per the Ministry's guidelines dated 24.07.2013, the construction of the retail outlet shall be completed within 1 year from the date of "In-Principle" approval. In the instant case the completion of construction work is not done within 1 year and hence the proposal necessitates relaxation.

5. As per the guidelines issued by the Ministry vide OM No.RW/NH-33023/19/99-DO-III dated 16.03.2016 (Annexure - VIII), the relaxation application will be made available for public comments and the comments will be invited within 60 days from the day of uploading as the Format enclosed as Form- A.

6. In view of the above, comments of the public on the above relaxation proposal is invited to the below mentioned address:

The Regional Officer (C)
Cum Highway Administration,
O/o the The Regional Officer (C)
Cum Highway Administration,
Ministry of Road Transport & Highways,
PWD Annexe Building, K.R.Circle
Bangalore - 560001.

Encl : As above.

Yours faithfully,


Executive Engineer
for Regional Officer (C)

Copy to:

- (i) NIC, New Delhi for uploading in the Ministry's website.
- (ii) The Chief Regional Manager, M/s. Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Ltd., Flat No.1-B, Shaik saab Fatheema Bee Complex, Beside Basaveshwara Diagnostic Centre, Gandhinagar, 2nd Cross, Bellary - 583103 for information.

—sd—
Executive Engineer
for Regional Officer (C)

Annexure - 1



हिन्दुस्तान पेट्रोलियम कॉर्पोरेशन लिमिटेड

(भारत सरकार उपक्रम) पंजीकृत कार्यालय : 17 जमशेदजी टाटा रोड, मुंबई-400 020.

HINDUSTAN PETROLEUM CORPORATION LIMITED

(A GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ENTERPRISES) REGISTERED OFFICE : 17, JAMASHEDJI TATA ROAD, MUMBAI-400 020.

संभाजी रोड, रानी चन्नम्मा नगर, पोस्ट बॉक्स नं. 529, बेलगाम-590 006.

SAMBHAJI ROAD, RANI CHANNAMMA NAGAR, P. B. NO. 529, BELGAUM-590 006.

टेलिफोन/ TELEPHONE : 2440192, 2440314 फॅक्स/FAX : 0831-2441770

BGM:RO:MK:AK:ENGG

Janaury 24 ,2014

To

The Superintending Engineer (Civil)
Regional Office
Ministry of Road Transport & Highways (MORT & H)
PWD Annexe Building
K.R.Circle, Bangalore- 560 001

Sub:

Issue of NOC for construction of access road to new MS/HSD retail outlet abutting on RHS boundary of NH-9 (Solapur – Hyderabad Section) at Km382.124 (DE.Ch.382194) in Sy No.229/1 of Gadawanti Village, Humnabad Hobli Humnabad Taluk ,Bidar district, Karnatak State – Reg

Ref: No.RW/BNG/KNT/N-9/NOC/Km 382.124/2013/2106 of December 13, 2014

Dear Sir,

With reference to the above letter, the compliance to the observation has been made and the proposal is re-submitted for issue of NOC for the above location at the earliest.

Thanking You,

Yours Faithfully

S.S.Patil

S.S.Patil
Chief Regional Manager

भारत सरकार / GOVT. OF INDIA
मंडल परिवहन और राजमार्ग बंवालय,
Ministry of Road Transport & Highways,
क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय / REGIONAL OFFICE
बंगलूर-560 001 / BANGALORE-560 001
दृष्टि सं./Diary No. 1955
दिनांक/Dated. 22-01-14

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TO

एच.एस.पाटील
H. S. PATIL
मुख्य क्षेत्रीय प्रबन्धक प्रमुख
Chief Regional Manager-Regional
विनिर्भूत पद
Duty Constated Attorney
हिन्दुस्तान पेट्रोलियम कॉर्पोरेशन लिमिटेड
Hindustan Petroleum Corpn. Ltd.,
बेलगाम क्षेत्रीय कार्यालय
BELGAUM REGIONAL OFFICE

Annexure -II

भारतीय राष्ट्रीय राजमार्ग प्राधिकरण
(सड़क परिवहन और राजमार्ग मंत्रालय)

National Highways Authority of India

(Ministry of Road Transport & Highways)

Project Implementation Unit

Plot No. 65, Kothari Layout, Venkatesh Nagar, GULBARGA - 585 103 (Karnataka State)

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No. NHAI/PIU-GLB/PD/NOC/2013/1222

Date: 22.01.2014.

To,
The Superintending Engineer,
Regional Office, MORT&H,
KR Circle, **Bangalore.**

Sub: Four Laning of MH-KNT Border to Sangareddy Section of NH-9 (New NH-65) From Km. 348.800 to Km. 493.000 in the State of Karnataka & Andhra Pradesh under NHDP - III - **Issue of No Objection Certificate for Installation of New MS/HSD Retail Outlet abutting Right Side boundary of NH-9(Sholapur - Hyderabad Section) New NH-65, at Km. 382.124(Des. Ch.382.194) in Survey No. 229/1 of Gadavanthi Village, Humnabad Hobli, Humnabad Taluk, Bidar District, Karnataka State - Reg.**

Ref: Technical Officer, RO, MORT&H, Bangalore letter No. RW/BNG/KNT/N-9/NOC / Km.382.124/2013/2106 Dt:13.01.2014 addressed to HPCL, Belgaum, copied to this office.

Dear Sir,

This has the reference to the cited letter vide which, it was requested to confirm the ROW along with the check list and the proposals submitted by the HPCL, Belgaum, requesting for issue of NOC for setting up a new Retail outlet at the above-mentioned location.

In this regard, it is to state that, the proposal have been verified and satisfying the norms laid down for the purpose vide MORTH letter No. RW/NH-33023/19/99-DO-III dated 24.07.2013. The Inspection report of the Manager (Tech), Gulbarga for the purpose is enclosed here with. Further all the enclosures as per the check list along with Two signed originals of the proposals are enclosed here with for favor of further necessary action in the matter.

Presently the Highway is two lane with paved shoulders of 10.00 Mts width. It is proposed to be Four laned divided Carriageway with 4.50 Mts width Central Median. The agreement for four laning of Mah/Kar border to Sangareddy section from Km 348/800 to 493.00 in the states of Karnataka & Andhra Pradesh has already been reached with Concessionaire M/s L&T DTL under NHDP-III on DBFOT Toll basis. The appointment of the Concessionaire for four laning is likely to be made by February end, 2014. Lay Out drawings showing the existing centre line of Two lane road & proposed Four laning of the project are enclosed by the Oil company.

The median Openings are not decided and the nearest Highway median opening of four laning from the proposed location shall be decided once the project works are commenced, keeping in view the minimum 300.00 Mts distance on either side the proposed Lay out location.

Therefore, it is recommended to get the approval of the Competent Authority for the proposals to issue necessary NOC.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully


P. S. Dodamani

Project Director, NHAI, PIU, Gulbarga.

Enclosures:

Two sets of the NOC Proposal in original
Inspection Report of the Manager (Tech), NHAI, PIU, Gulbarga
Check List
Signed Copy of License Deed in Duplicate
Copy of the General Power of Attorney
Undertakings given by the Oil Company
Conversion Certificate of the land
RTCs in original in both Kannada and English Versions
Affidavit given by the landowner to the Oil Company

Annexure - III



GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT & HIGHWAYS

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O/o the Superintending Engineer (Civil)
PWD Annexe Building,
K.R. Circle, Bangalore - 560001.

File No: RW/BNG/N-9/ NOC /Km.382.124/42/2013 /2 288

Date: 10.02.2014

To

The Chief Regional Manager-Retail
M/s. Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited
Sambhaji Road, Rani Channamma Nagar,
P.B.No.529,
Belgaum-590 006.

Sub: Issue of **NOC** for installation of Diesel/Petrol Retail Outlet abutting on **NH.9 (RHS)** at **Km.382.124** in Sy.No.229/1 of Gadawanti Village, Humnabad Taluk, Bidar District, Karnataka State by **M/s. Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited, Belgaum** – regarding.

Ref: Ministry's letter No.RW/NH-33023/19/99-DO-III dated 24th July, 2013.

Sir,

Please refer to your letter dated 06th January, 2014 submitting therewith a proposal for issue of NOC for "Access Permission to New Retail Outlet" at the location mentioned above. The proposal has been examined in light of the Ministry's Circular No.RW/NH-33023/19/99-DO-III dated 24th July, 2013 and the Ministry has "No Objection" for the issue of **Provisional NOC** subject to the following terms and conditions:

- (i) The applicant should adhere to their undertaking given with the proposal.
- (ii) The applicant may construct the Access Road, Service Road, scrupulously according to the approved drawing enclosed with the proposal **at their own cost within six months**. Any discrepancy, would lead to violation of Ministry's guidelines and the approval issued shall stand cancelled.
- (iii) After the construction as per approved drawings and to the satisfaction of the Highway Administration and Clause 12 of Ministry's Circular No.RW/NH-33023/19/99-DO-III dated 24th July, 2013, the Final Approval will be given and License Deed shall be signed by the Highway Administrator. In case, the construction is not done in one year, the provisional approval shall deem to be cancelled, unless renewed by the Highway Administration.


- (iv) A copy of the proposal alongwith Layout Plan duly signed by the Competent Authority is enclosed herewith for taking further necessary action.

Yours faithfully,

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Encl: As above.

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(Muniraju.Y)
Technical Officer.
for Superintending Engineer (Civil).

Annexure - IV

भारतीय राष्ट्रीय राजमार्ग प्राधिकरण
(सड़क परिवहन और राजमार्ग मंत्रालय)

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No.NHAI/PIU-GLB/NH-9/Km.382.124/42/2016/192

ate:12.05.2016

To,
The Superintending Engineer(civil),
Regional Office,
Ministry of Road Transport & Highways(MORT&H),
PWD Annex Building,
K. R. Circle, Bangalore-560001

Sub: Issue of NOC for installation of Diesel/Petrol Retail Outlet abutting on NH-9(RHS),
at Km. 382.124 in Sy.No.2209/1 of Gadawanti Village, Humnabad Taluk, Bidar
District, Karnataka State by M/s Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited,
Belgaum- **Request for grant of permanent access permission-Reg.**

Ref: 1. RO, MORT&H, BNG letter No.RW/BNG/N-9/NOC/Km.382.124/42/2013/2288
dtd.20.08.2015
2. HPCL letter No.SDO/NEW RO/2015 dtd.08.02.2016

Sir,

With reference to your letter cited above at 1, vide which Provisional NOC for
access from NH-9 to the above ROL of M/s HPCL was accorded with certain conditions
to be ensured strictly as per Ministry's guidelines and as per the drawing submitted by
M/s HPCL.

Now, M/s HPCL vide their letter cited above at 2, addressed to this office have
informed that the dealer of the subject Retail Outlet has confirmed on the completion
of acceleration/deceleration lane works as per new MORT&H norms. The work
completion was extended to September due to stoppage of work and labour problem,
general elections declared by Govt. of India, NOC from District Magistrate was delayed
due to code of conduct was in force, as confirmed by the dealer.

M/s HPCL also have states that delay in work completion is regretted and
requested for issuance of completion certificate and agreement. In this regard, it is to
state that M/s HPCL has carried the work of construction of permanent access for the
above ROL as per the approved drawings. Hence, it is recommended that the
approval for permanent access permission and completion certificate may please be
accorded & issued to M/s HPCL.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

(P. S. Dodamani)

DGM (Tech) & PROJECT DIRECTOR

Annexure - V



भारतीय राष्ट्रीय राजमार्ग प्राधिकरण
(सडक परिवहन और राजमार्ग मंत्रालय)

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No.NHAI/PIU-GLB/NH-9/Km.382.124/42/2016/ 539

ate:18.07.2016

To,
The Superintending Engineer(civil),
Regional Office,
Ministry of Road Transport & Highways(MORT&H),
PWD Annex Building,
K. R. Circle, Bangalore-560001

Sub: Issue of NOC for installation of Diesel/Petrol Retail Outlet abutting on NH-9(RHS) at Km. 382.124 in Sy.No.229/1 of Gadawanti Village, Humnabad Taluk, Bidar District, Karnataka State by M/s Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Limited, Belgaum- **Request for grant of permanent access permission-Reg.**

Ref: 1.RO, MORT&H, BNG letter No.RW/BNG/N-9/NOC/Km.382.124/42/2013/592 dtd.10.06.2016
2. PIU letter No.NHAI/PIU-GLB/NH-9/Km.382.124/42/2016/192 dtd.12.05.2016
3. M/s HPCL letter No.SDO/NEW RO/2015 dtd.08.02.2016

Sir,

This is in reference to your letter cited above at 1, vide which it is stated that the proposal which was recommended by this office for according permanent access permission to M/s HPCL retail outlet, the construction work has not been completed in one year's time so the provisional approval given shall deemed to be cancelled unless renewed by the Highway Administration. Accordingly the proposal has been returned unapproved. Further, it is informed that the retail outlet shall not be energized till the signing of license deed.

In this regard, it is informed that M/s HPCL vide their letter cited 3rd above, wherein have requested for completion certificate and agreement clearly indicating that the work completion was delayed only due to unavoidable circumstances like labour problem, general elections, NOC from District Magistrate/DC and due to code of conduct which was delayed beyond their control.

In view of the above, it is submitted that the work has been completed in all respects and the provisional approval issued to M/s HPCL may please be renewed and fresh approval may please be accorded at the earliest please.

Thanking you,

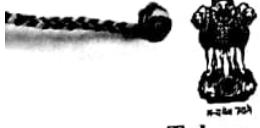
Approved & put up

Yours faithfully,

(P. S. Dodamani)

DGM (Tech) & PROJECT DIRECTOR

Annexure - VI



GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT & HIGHWAYS

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O/o the Superintending Engineer (C),
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K.R. Circle, Bangalore - 560001.

No. RW/BNG/KNT/N-9 /NOC/Km 382.124/2013

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Date: 04.08.2016

To
DGM (Tech) & Project Director,
NHAI, PIU, Kalaburgi
Plot No.65, Kothari Layout
Venkatesh Nagar, Kalaburgi -585103.

Subject: Issue of NOC for construction of access road to new MS/HSD retail outlet abutting on RHS boundary of NH - 9 (Sholapur - Hyderabad Section) at Km 382.124 (DE.Ch. 382.194) in Sy. No.229/1 of Gadawanti village, Humnabad Hobli, Humnabad Taluk, Bidar District, Karnataka State -Final NOC-Regarding.

Ref: Your letter No. NHAI/PIU-GLB/NH-9/Km 382.124/42/2016/539 dated 18.07.2016.

Sir,

Please refer to your letter cited under reference requesting to renew the above mentioned proposal for delay in construction and to issue final NOC. The same is examined and following are observations:-

- (i) The provisional NOC for construction of access road to NH from the ROL along with signed copy of layout plan was issued vide this office letter of even no. dated 10.02.2014, subject to condition that, in case the construction is not done in one year, the provisional approval shall be deemed to cancelled unless renewed by the Highway Administration.
- (ii) However it is noticed, that more than 2 years has lapsed since the issue of layout plan. In this connection, it is informed by PD, NHAI that the construction work was delayed due to unavoidable circumstances like labor problem etc. As such the detailed calendar of events leading to delay in construction with due justification may be submitted for appraising the proposal.
- (iii) Further Ministry vide letter no. RW/NH-33023/19/99-DO-III dated 16.03.2016 has laid down guidelines for accepting the cases involving relaxation from the Ministry's guidelines dated 24.07.2013. As such the applicant/ Oil Company may be directed to submit the proposal for seeking relaxation in completing the work as per Ministry's guidelines dated 16.03.2016 for taking further necessary action in this regard.
- (iv) It is reiterated that ROL shall not be energized till signing of the license deed.

Yours faithfully,

(MK Chowdary)
Executive Engineer
for Superintending Engineer (C)

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Copy to: The Chief Regional Manager, Retail, Hindustan Petroleum Corporation Ltd., Sambhaji Road, Rani Chennamma Nagar, Box No.529, Belgaum – 590006 for information and necessary action as above and also not to energize the ROL till signing of License deed.



(MK Chowdary)
Executive Engineer
for Superintending Engineer (C)

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P. S. S. M.

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Annexure - VII



हिन्दुस्तान पेट्रोलियम कार्पोरेशन लिमिटेड

(भारत सरकार उपक्रम) पंजीकृत कार्यालय : 17, जमशेदजी टाटा रोड, मुंबई - 400 020.

HINDUSTAN PETROLEUM CORPORATION LIMITED

(A GOVERNMENT OF INDIA ENTERPRISE) REGISTERED OFFICE : 17, JAMSHEDJI TATA ROAD, MUMBAI - 400 020.

फ्लैट सं. 1-बि, शेख साब फातीमाबी कॉम्प्लेक्स, बसवेश्वरा डायग्नोस्टिक सेंटर के पास, गांधी नगर, 2 क्रॉस, बेल्लारी - 583 103.
Flat No. 1-B, Shaik Saab Fatheema Bee Complex, Beside Basaveshwara Diagnostic Center, Gandhi Nagar, 2nd Cross, Bellary - 583 103.
दूरभाष / Phone : 08392-257773 सी.आई.एन. / C.I.N.: L23201MH1952GOI008858

Date: 19.01.18

To
The Superintendent Engineer
Regional Office
Ministry of Road Transport & Highways (MORT&H)
PWD Annexe Building
K R Circle
Bangalore - 560 001

Sub: Time extension for the MS/ HSD Retail Outlet on the RHS Boundary of NH 9 (Sholapur - Hyderabad Section) at KM stone 382.124 (DE.Ch. 382.194) in Sy. No. 229/1 of Gadawanti Village, Humnabad Hobli, Humnabad Taluk, Bidar District, Karnataka State - Regarding : Final NOC

Ref:

- Letter No. RW/BNG/KNT/N-9/NOC/Km 382.124/2013/1372-73 dated 23.09.16
- Letter No. NHAI/PIU-GLB/NH-9/Km 382.124/42/2016/1031 dated 03.11.16
- Letter No. RW/BNG/N-9/NOC/KM 382.124/42/2013/1807 dated 29.11.16
- Letter No. RW/BNG/N-9/NOC/KM 382.124/42/2013/2563 dated 31.01.17

Respected Sir,

With reference to the above mentioned letters, the undersigned would like to express gratitude for your kind consideration towards resolving the delay in the process for renewal of the approval.

Based on the initial approval and provisional NOC, HPCL had initiated the tendering process. However, the work completion was extended up to September 2015 due to stoppage of work caused by labour problems. The NOC from the District Magistrate was delayed due to the enforcement of the Code of Conduct which was in place because of the declaration of general election by the Government of India.

In the view of the above facts, we would like to request you to kindly extend the validity of your letter up to 31st of September, 2015. Hence, we request your good self to kindly issue the Final NOC considering the same for the above mentioned Retail Outlet.

Thanking You,
Yours faithfully,

M.R. Kumar,
Chief Regional Manager,
HPCL - Bellary Retail Regional Office

Annexure - VIII

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ROAD TRANSPORT & HIGHWAYS

Parivahan Bhavan,
1, Sansad Marg
New Delhi-110001

F. No. RW/NH-33023/19/99-DO III

Dated: the 16th March, 2016

To

1. The Chief Secretaries of all the State Governments/UTs
2. The Principal Secretaries/Secretaries of all States/UTs Public Works Department dealing with National Highways, other centrally sponsored schemes.
3. All Engineers-in-Chief and Chief Engineers of Public Works Department of States/UTs dealing with National Highways, other centrally sponsored schemes.
4. The Director General (Border Roads), Seema Sadak Bhawan, Ring Road, New Delhi-110010.
5. The Chairman, National Highways Authority of India, G-5&6, Sector-10, Dwarka, New Delhi-110075.
6. The Managing Director, NHIDCI, P.T.I. Building, New Delhi-110001.

Sub: Guidelines/norms for access permission to Fuel Stations, Private Properties, Rest Area Complexes and such other facilities along National Highways- reg.

The power to give for access to National Highways lies with the Highway Administration as per the Highway Administration Rule, 2004 under the control of National Highways (Land and Traffic) Act, 2002. While exercising this power, the Ministry issued the general guidelines/norms for access permission to fuel stations, private properties, rest area complexes and other facilities vide Ministry's Circular No. RW/NH-33023/19/99-DO-III dated 24.7.2013. The norms and guidelines were issued as per enclosures of the Circular at Appendix-I (along with Annex-I, II & III to Appendix-I) and Appendix-II (along with Annex-I, II and III to Appendix-II).

2. The Ministry has been receiving many cases of relaxation from the Ministry's norms stipulated in the Circular under reference. It has been observed that many cases of deviations from the extant guidelines, specifically distance from intersection, gap in central median, distance from nearest fuel station, distance from toll plaza and non-fulfillment of the criteria of construction within a year of issuing NOC have been received for relaxation by the Ministry. Further, many complaints and RTI applications against relaxation have also been received in the Ministry.

3. In view of the above, it has been decided that the application for relaxation in the guidelines/norms for access permission to fuel stations, private properties, rest area complexes and other such facilities along National Highway will be filled up by the applicants through online forms and will be submitted to the concerned Highway Administrator. Before the issue of provisional NOC and in principle approval, the Highway Administrator will make available in the Ministry's website (morth.nic.in) the complete application for public comments, thereby bringing out the relaxation sought by the applicant. Comments will be invited within 60 days

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from day of uploading and will be in the format as enclosed as Form-A. The Highway Administrator will subsequently take the decision on the application in a speaking order for accepting or rejecting the relaxation sought and taking into consideration the objections received on the matter. The applicant may have a further period of 30 days for appealing against the Highway Administrator to the Appellate Authority who will be the Chief Engineer of the respective Project Zone in Ministry of Road Transport & Highways. Chief Engineers will take into consideration the application of the applicant seeking relaxation, the objections received from the general public and the speaking order of Highway Administrator to decide on the appeal. The order of the Appellate Authority shall be final.

4. The Highway Administrator will issue the 'in principle' approval and the Provisional NOC for the applications, where relaxation of norms has been sought, only after the completion of the process illustrated in the preceding paragraph.

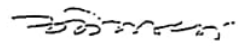
5. This circular will be read in continuation with circular of Ministry dated 24.7.2013 mentioned in first paragraph. The other provisions of the earlier circular will remain applicable.

6. The competent authority in the Ministry shall notify the Appellate Authorities for their respective Highways Administration. The contents of this Circular may be brought to the notice of all the concerned in your organization.

7. This issues with the approval of the competent authority.

Yours faithfully,

Encls. As above.


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Form-A

Form for inviting public comments on the application for relaxation in the guidelines/norms for access permission to fuel stations, private properties, rest areas complexes and other such facilities along National Highways

The comments by the general public needs to be given within 60 days of uploading the online application for comments.

<u>Sl. No.</u>	<u>Item</u>	<u>Details</u>
1.	Name of the person who is desiring to give comments	
2.	Address of the person	
3.	Details of the application for access permission against which comments are being given (name of applicant and other details like site address etc.)	
	a) Application No.	
	b) Name of Applicant (who applied to access permission)	
	c) Details of Application	
4.	Whether the specific permission, if given, shall cause any damage to Highways? If yes, please give details.	
5.	Whether specific permission, if given, shall adversely affect safety and convenience of the traffic on the Highways? If yes, please give the details.	
6.	Whether specific permission, if given, shall adversely affect hygiene or cause nuisance and pollution on the Highways? If yes, please give the details.	

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