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Government of India
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change
(IFS- I Section)

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Date: 24th February, 2026

To

The Chief Secretary
Government of Himachal Pradesh
Department of Forest
Shimla

Subject : Appointment of Shri Vasanta Kiran Babu, IFS (HP: 2008) to the post of Deputy Inspector General of Forests (DIGF), Regional Office, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Bhubaneshwar on deputation basis under the Central Staffing Scheme of Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (CSS-MoEFCC) – regarding – a

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the Government of Himachal Pradesh letter No. FEFA-B003/95/2021 dated 17.12.2025 and to inform that with the approval of the Competent Authority, Shri Vasanta Kiran Babu, IFS (HP: 2008) has been selected for appointment to the post of Deputy Inspector General of Forests (DIGF), Regional Office, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, Bhubaneshwar on tenure deputation basis under the Central Staffing Scheme of this Ministry on the following terms and conditions:

- A. He will draw pay as per the scale allowed by the Cadre Controlling Authority plus allowances as applicable to that grade.
- B. The central deputation tenure of the officer will be for 05 years from the date of joining to the post.
- C. The headquarters of the post will be at Bhubaneshwar, however, the services of the officer can be utilized anywhere in India.
- D. Other terms and conditions will be the same as applicable to the other officers of his grade on deputation to the Central Government and as per CSS-MoEF&CC.

2. The Government of Himachal Pradesh is, therefore, requested to relieve the officer at the earliest with the direction to take up the new assignment.

Yours faithfully,



(Prem Prakash Maurya)

Under Secretary to the Government of India
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1. PS to Hon'ble Minister, Environment, Forest and Climate Change.
2. PS to Hon'ble Minister of State, Environment, Forest and Climate Change.

3. PPSs to Secretary (EF&CC)/ DGF&SS/ ADGF (WL)/ ADGF (FC)/ ADGF (NTCA)/ CEO (CAMPA)
4. PCCF & HoFF, Government of Himachal Pradesh, Talland, Shimla.
5. Additional Chief Secretary (Forest), Government of Himachal Pradesh, Shimla.
6. DDGF, Regional Office, MoEF&CC, Bhubaneshwar.
7. Shri Vasanta Kiran Babu, IFS (HP: 2008), Conservator of Forest (T), Nahan, Himachal Pradesh.
8. NIC for uploading on the IFS website/ Guard file/ Spare copies.
