

## Site Inspection Report of The Deputy Conservator of Forests, Dharwad Division, Dharwad

On 07-10-2023 along with the Assistant Conservator of Forest, Dharwad and jurisdictional Range Forest Officer of Dharwad ranges along with other concerned field staffs of Dharwad range of Dharwad Forest Division and representatives of User Agency, I have inspected the proposed sites for Diversion of 174.652 (Old 177.091) hectare of revised Forest land in Dharwad, Haliyal, Dandeli Wildlife and Belagavi forest divisions for laying of Goa-Tamnar 400 KV D/C Quad Transmission line (LILO Project) in favour Of Manager, Goa-Transmission Project Limited. (Proposal No: FP/KA/TRANS/37754/2018).

**During the inspection of revised forest area 7.758 ha (1<sup>st</sup> proposed forest area 4.786 ha and additional forest area 2.972 ha) of Dharwad division proposed for Goa-Tamnar 400 KV D/C Quad Transmission line (LILO Project) passing through Reserve Forest following points were observed.**

The present revised project of Goa-Tamnar 400 KV D/C Quad Transmission line (LILO Project) passes through in Dharwad District in the different reserve forest area falling under jurisdiction of Dharwad Ranges of Dharwad Forest Division. The village wise details of the forest areas proposed to be diverted is as follows:


SL No	Range	Village Name	F Sy No	Total area (in ha)		No of trees proposed to be cut		GPS co-ordinates verified	
				old (4.786 ha)	Additional (2.972 ha)	old (4.786 ha)	Additional (2.972 ha)	Starting point	Ending point
1	Dharwad	Guledkoppa	130	2.295	0.002	1481	—	N 15° 32' 2.49" E 74° 50' 38.11"	N 15° 31' 59.47" E 74° 50' 55.31"
2	Dharwad	Kotur	696	2.408	0.042	195	—	N 15° 31' 50.86" E 74° 52' 33.03"	N 15° 31' 50.97" E 74° 52' 48.81"
3	Dharwad	Kotur	696					N 15° 31' 49.35" E 74° 52' 50.16"	N 15° 31' 49.06" E 74° 52' 53.35"
4	Dharwad	Niralakatti	257	0.083	0.417	189	54	N 15° 32' 16.34" E 74° 56' 8.16"	N 15° 32' 12.81" E 74° 56' 57.06"
5	Dharwad	Guledkoppa Madhikoppa	188	—	1.322	—	189	N 15° 31' 52.56" E 74° 52' 13.67"	N 15° 31' 53.12" E 74° 52' 24.37"
6	Dharwad	Guledkoppa Madhikoppa	129	—	1.106	—	10	N 15° 31' 53.13" E 74° 52' 7.23"	N 15° 31' 52.85" E 74° 52' 10.47"
7	Dharwad	Guledkoppa Madhikoppa	129	—	0.083	—	183	N 15° 31' 53.05" E 74° 52' 25.21"	N 15° 31' 51.55" E 74° 52' 25.22"
<b>Total Dharwad division diversion forest area</b>				<b>4.786</b>	<b>2.972</b>	<b>1865</b>	<b>436</b>		
<b>Grand Total Dharwad division diversion forest area</b>				<b>7.758</b>		<b>2301</b>			



- No Rare/endangered/RET/Unique Species are found in the proposed area.
- No Wildlife/ Corridor activities are going in and around the proposed area.
- Proposed area does not fall under any Archaeological/Heritage site/defence establishment or any other important monument of protected area.
- Proposed area does not fall under any Eco Sensitive Zone (ESZ) of the protected area.
- The diversion Proposal involve/ will lead to felling of 2301 number of trees of mixed Species like Tectona grandis, Acacia, Eucalyptus, etc ..... and Spotted deer, Barking Deer, Jackal, Hare, Pangolin, Wild boar, Porcupine, Civet cat, rock python Peacock Russel's viper, Wood packer, Hornbill, Owls, Kingfisher, Fly catcher, etc.....Fauna's found in proposed area.

Diversion of revised forest land 7.758 ha of Dharwad Forest division as proposed by the User Agency is unavoidable and bare minimum of requirements. Hence proposal may be recommended for the 7.758 ha forest land area of Dharwad Forest division for the Diversion of 174.652 (Total) hectare of Forest land in Dharwad, Haliyal, Dandeli Wildlife and Belagavi forest divisions for laying of Goa-Tamnar 400 KV D/C Quad Transmission line (LILO Project) (Proposoal NO: FP/KA/TRANS/37754/2018) as per the provisions prescribed in section 2 of Forest (Conservation) Act-1980.

Place: Dharwad  
Date : 09-10-2023

  
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