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**ANNEXURE - I**

**APPENDIX  
FORM – ‘A’**

Form for seeking prior approval under section 2 of the proposals by the State Governments  
and other authorities

**PART – II**

(To be filled by the concerned Deputy Conservator of Forests)

State Serial No. of proposal .....

7	Location of the Project / Scheme	:	Diversion of 7.133 ha of forest land for the proposed improvement and widening of existing road from “R & B Road to Allampally of Kaddam (M) of Nirmal District in favour of District Panchayath Raj Engineer, Nirmal”; Scheme: <b>PMGSY</b> .												
	i) State / Union Territory	:	Telangana												
	ii) District	:	Nirmal												
	iii) Forest Division	:	Khanapur Division, Kawal Tiger Reserve Circle Nirmal.												
	iv) Area of forest land proposed for diversion (in Ha.)	:	<p>Total forest Area proposed by the User agency is <b>7.133 Ha</b>, which falls in both Birsapet Range of Uttoor Forest Division and <b>Udumpur Range of Khanapur Forest Division</b></p> <table border="1" style="margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"><thead><tr><th>Length of road proposed by the UA in m</th><th>Width of road proposed by the UA in m</th><th>Total Forest Area proposed diversion by the UA in ha</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td style="text-align: center;"><b>10190</b></td><td style="text-align: center;"><b>7</b></td><td style="text-align: center;"><b>7.133</b></td></tr></tbody></table> <p>The Length of road falls in the Compt.625,626 &amp; 628 of <b>Kaddam Reserve Forest Block</b> in Chintaguda Beat of <b>Udumpur Range of Khanapur Forest Division</b> is as follows:</p> <table border="1" style="margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"><thead><tr><th>Length of road fall in Khanapur Div. in m</th><th>Width of road in m</th><th>Forest Area proposed for diversion in Khanapur Div.</th></tr></thead><tbody><tr><td style="text-align: center;"><b>3355</b></td><td style="text-align: center;"><b>7</b></td><td style="text-align: center;"><b>2.3485</b></td></tr></tbody></table> <p>The above proposed road is not passing through the <b>Right of Way</b>.</p>	Length of road proposed by the UA in m	Width of road proposed by the UA in m	Total Forest Area proposed diversion by the UA in ha	<b>10190</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7.133</b>	Length of road fall in Khanapur Div. in m	Width of road in m	Forest Area proposed for diversion in Khanapur Div.	<b>3355</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>2.3485</b>
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	v) Legal status of forest	:	The proposed area of 2.3485 Ha of Forest area falling in Compt.625, 626 & 628 of <b>Kaddam RF Block</b> ,												

		which is notified U/s. 4 of Telangana Forest Act, 1967; vide G.O.Ms. No. 17 F&RD (For.VI), Dt.08-01-1985, (falling in Chinthaguda beat of Allampally Section of Udumpur Range of Khanapur Forest Division). <b>The proposed road is not passing through the Right of Way.</b>
	vi) Density of vegetation	: 0.4 to 0.6 (the adjacent area)
	vii) Species-wise (scientific names) and diameter class-wise enumeration of trees (to be enclosed). In case of irrigation / hydel projects enumeration at FRL, FRL-2 meter & FRL-4 meter also to be enclosed)	:  No tree growth is existing in the proposed alignment.
	viii) Brief note on vulnerability of the forest area to erosion	: The proposed road is passing along the cart track, there will be no erosion due to upgradation of road.
	ix) Approximate distance of proposed site for diversion from boundary of forest.	: Passing within reserved forest. Approximate distance of the proposed road to RF boundary is about 5 km With in the RF.
	x) Whether forms part of National Park, Wildlife Sanctuary, Biosphere reserve, Tiger reserve, Elephant Corridor etc., (If so, the details of the area and comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden to be annexed).	: <b>Yes.</b> The above said proposed area <b>2.3485 Ha</b> for diversion falls under <b>Core area of Kawal wildlife sanctuary/ Kawal Tiger Reserve.</b>
	xi) Whether any rare / endangered / unique species of flora and fauna found in the area – if so details thereof.	: <b>Yes. It is a Tiger Habitat.</b> The major fauna in the area are <i>Panthera tigris</i> (Tiger), <i>Panthera pardus</i> (Panther), <i>Cuan alpinus</i> (Wild Dog), <i>Melursus ursines</i> (Sloth Bear), <i>Bpselaphus dragocamulus</i> (Nilgai), <i>Tetracerus quadricornis</i> (Fourhorned Antelope), <i>Gazelle gazelle</i> (Chinkara), <i>Cervus unicolour</i> (Sambar), etc. Detailed list of Flora & Fauna is described in Field Inspection Notes.
	xii) Whether any protected Archaeological / Heritage site / defense establishment or any other important monument is located in the area – If so, details thereof with NOC from competent authority.	: There are no protected Archaeological / Heritage site / defense establishment or any other important monument located in the forest area proposed for diversion.
8	Whether the requirement of forest land as proposed by the user agency in col.2 of Part-I is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project. If no, recommended area item-wise with details of alternatives examined	: The proposed length of the road i.e. <b>3355 m</b> with a width <b>7.00 m</b> , hence the requirement of forest land as proposed by the User Agency is <b>2.3485 Ha</b> . <b>The proposed road is connecting Allampally village to R&amp;B road (BirsaiPET)</b> and as per the field conditions this is the barest minimum and unavoidable for the project.
9	Whether any work in violation of the Act has been carried out (Yes / No). If Yes, details of the same including	: No violation carried out by the User Agency.

	period of work done, action taken on erring officials. Whether work in violation is still in progress.	
10	Details of compensatory Afforestation scheme	As per the PCCF Hyderabad Rc. No. 7365/2020/FCA2, Dt 19.03.2021, the Non Forest land is identified in Sy No. BDPP of Indapur (V) of Kerameri Mandal of Asifabad division.
	a) Details of non – forest area / degraded forest area identified for compensatory Afforestation, its distance from adjoining forest, number of patches, size of each patch	: The Non Forest land is identified in Sy No. BDPP of Indapur (V) of Kerameri Mandal of Asifabad division. The details will be furnished by the Forest Divisional Officer, Asifabad.
	b) Map showing non – forest / degraded forest area identified for compensatory Afforestation and adjoining forest boundaries.	: The details of the map will be furnished by the Forest Divisional Officer, Asifabad
	c) Detailed compensatory Afforestation scheme including species to be planted, implementing agency, time schedule, cost structure, etc	: The details of Compensatory Afforestation scheme will be furnished by the Forest Divisional Officer, Asifabad.
	d) Total financial outlay for compensatory Afforestation scheme	: The details of total financial outlay of Compensatory Afforestation scheme will be furnished by the Forest Divisional Officer, Asifabad
	e) Certificates from competent authority regarding suitability of area identified for compensatory Afforestation and from management point of view. (To be signed by the concerned Deputy Conservator of Forests).	: The Certificates regarding suitability of area identified for compensatory afforestation and from management point of view will be furnished by the Forest Divisional Officer, Asifabad
11	Site inspection report of the DCF (to be enclosed) especially highlighting facts asked in Co.7 (xi, xii) 8 and 9 above	: The field inspection report is enclosed.
12	Division / District Profile	Khanapur Division of Nirmal District
	i) Geographical area of the District	: 3734.43 Sq. Km. / 373443.02 Ha.
	ii) Forest area of the District	: 1216.60 Sq. Km. / 121660.20 Ha.
	iii) Total forest area diverted since 1980 with number of cases	: 199.35 Ha. / 06 cases
	iv) Total compensatory Afforestation stipulated in the District / Division since 1980 on	
	a) Forest land including penal compensatory Afforestation	: 46.20 Ha.
	b) Non-Forest land	: 294.59 Ha.
	v) Progress of compensatory afforestation as on (date) 01-11-2013.	

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13	Specific recommendations of the ACF for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with reasons	:	<p><b>The proposal for diversion of forest land for improvement and widening of road from "R &amp; B Road to Allampally of Kaddam (M) of Nirmal District in favour of District Panchayath Raj Engineer, Nirmal" under PMGSY scheme (with a length of 3355 m, width of 7.00 m for an area of 2.3485 Ha) falling in Compt.625, 626 &amp; 628 of Kaddam Reserve Forest Block in Chinthaguda beat of Allampally Section of Udumpur Range of Khanapur Forest Division from is recommended subject to the following conditions:</b></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(07) No's of Animal passages (map enclosed) of minimum of 30.00 m width and 2.75 m height as per the specific guidelines, designs and norms for construction of under passage as specified by the MoEF&amp;CC shall be formed by the UA in the following proposed locations which were suitable for easy crossing of animals preventing disturbance and road kills:</li> </ol> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Sl. No.</th><th>Comp. No.</th><th>Latitude in °N (WGS84 datum)</th><th>Longitude °E (WGS84 datum)</th></tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr><td>1</td><td>628</td><td>19.25419</td><td>78.76547</td></tr> <tr><td>2</td><td>628</td><td>19.25471</td><td>78.76315</td></tr> <tr><td>3</td><td>626</td><td>19.25630</td><td>78.75814</td></tr> <tr><td>4</td><td>626</td><td>19.25527</td><td>78.75287</td></tr> <tr><td>5</td><td>626</td><td>19.25370</td><td>78.74927</td></tr> <tr><td>6</td><td>626</td><td>19.25194</td><td>78.74578</td></tr> <tr><td>7</td><td>625</td><td>19.24972</td><td>78.74478</td></tr> </tbody> </table> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The chain-link shall be placed on either side of the passages on both sides of road to a length of 100m in a funnel model for diverting the wildlife towards animal passages.</li> <li>Construction of checkpost with required infrastructure and provision of checkpost watchers for 03 years at the R&amp;B – Allampally Junction as proposed in WL mitigation plan.</li> <li>Speed Breakers shall be laid by the user agency at every 500 m for controlling the speed to prevent accidental deaths of wildlife.</li> <li>UA shall place the signages at every 500 m on speed control.</li> <li>UA should ensure protection of forest and wildlife from fire.</li> </ol>	Sl. No.	Comp. No.	Latitude in °N (WGS84 datum)	Longitude °E (WGS84 datum)	1	628	19.25419	78.76547	2	628	19.25471	78.76315	3	626	19.25630	78.75814	4	626	19.25527	78.75287	5	626	19.25370	78.74927	6	626	19.25194	78.74578	7	625	19.24972	78.74478
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		7. Ensuring the culverts shall be cleaned of debris and maintained free from clogging every 4 months. 8. The user agency shall deposit funds for wildlife habitat improvement, monitoring and protection as per the Wildlife Mitigative plan enclosed.

Date:

Place: Khanapur

Signature

Name: U. Koteswara Rao

Official Seal

Forest Divisional Officer  
Khanapur

District Forest Officer  
Nirmal