

**PART – II**  
**(To be filled by the concerned Deputy Conservator of Forest)**

1. Location of the Project/ Scheme

Laying of Natural Gas Pipeline from Mumbai to Nagpur along with its OFC through Thane, Nashik, Ahmednagar, Aurangabad, Jalna, Buldhana, Washim, Amravati, Wardha & Nagpur Districts.

The route length in Ahmednagar Forest Division in Ahmednagar District shall be 29.387 Km. The Re-diversion proposal is submitted as the diversion of the said land is already taken by MSRDC for Samruddhi Mahamarg. The total area for Re-diversion in Ahmednagar Forest Division is 0.1224 ha.

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| (i)   | State / Union Territory                               | Maharashtra |
| (ii)  | District  | Ahmednagar  |
| (iii) | Forest Division                                       | Ahmednagar. |
| (iv)  | Area of forest land proposed for the Project (in ha.) | 0.1224 ha.  |


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(Details of area statement of Forest Land Required)							
Name of Village	Taluka / Range	Item of Work / Purpose	Forest Land Required				Legal Status
			Sur./ Gut No.	Length & Width	Area in		
					Sq. mtr.	ha.	
Kokamthan	Kopargaon	Laying of Natural Gas Pipeline from Mumbai to	8/1	293.07 x 3.00	879.21	0.0879	Reserved Forest
			7	24.15 x 3.00	72.44	0.0072	
Dhotre	Kopargaon	Nagpur along with its OFC	1	90.95 x 3.00	272.85	0.0273	Identified Forest / Unclass forest
Total forest area in ha.						0.1224	

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| v)    | Legal Status of Forest   | Reserved Forest       |
| (vi)  | Density of Vegetation  | Below – Less than 0.1 |
| (vii) | Species-wise (scientific names) and diameter class-wise enumeration of trees (to be enclosed, in case of irrigation / hydel projects enumeration at FRI, FRI-2 meter & FRI-1 meter also to be enclosed | Not applicable.       |

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| (viii) | Brief note on vulnerability / of the Forest area to erosion  | No Erosion.   |
| (ix)   | Approximate distance of proposed site for diversion from boundary of forest  | Proposed site is in the midst of the forest.  |
| (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)         | No.   |
| (xi)   | Whether any rare / endangered / unique species of flora and fauna founding the area of so details thereof  | No, any rare / endangered / unique species of flora & fauna found in that area.   |
| (xii)  | Whether any protected archaeological / heritage site / defiance establishment or any other important monument is located in the area If so, the details thereof with NOC from competent authority, if required   | There is no protected archeological heritage Site / defiance establishment or any other Important monument is located in the area, which is to be diverted. |
| 8.     | Whether the requirement of forest land as proposed by the user agency in col2 of Part-I is unavoidable and basic minimum for the project If no, recommended area item-wise with details of alternatives examined | Yes, required land is unavoidable and barest minimum.   |
| 9.     | Whether any work in violation of Act has been carried out (Yes/No) If Yes, details of the same including period of work done, action taken on carrying officials Whether work in violation is still in progress  | No.   |
| 10.    | Details of compensatory afforestation scheme:  |   |
|        | (i) Details of non forest area / degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation, its distance from adjoining forest, number of patches, size of each patch                                       | Not applicable  |
|        | (ii) Map Showing non-forest/degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation and adjoining forest boundaries.  | Not applicable  |



- (iii) Detailed compensatory afforestation scheme including species to be planned, implementing agency Tune schedule, cost structure etc. Not applicable
- (iv) Total Financial outlay for compensatory afforestation scheme Not applicable
- (v) Certificates from competent authority regarding suitability of area identified for compensatory afforestation and from management of point of view (To be signed by the concerned Deputy Conservator of Forest) Not applicable
11. Site inspection report of the DCF (to be enclosed) especially highlighting facts asked in col. 7 (xi, xii) 8 & 9 above Attached on Page no. **54 to 55**
12. **Division / District Profile** Division : Ahmednagar
- i) Geographical area of the district Geographical area of the Ahmednagar District is 1704800 ha.
- ii) Forest area of the division 59956.65 ha.
- iii) Total forest area devoted since 1980 with number of cases 37 Nos. and area diverted 181.44 ha.
- iv) Total Compensatory afforestation stipulated in the district division since 1980 on-
- a) forest land including penal Compensatory afforestation 162.469 ha.
- b) Non Forest Land 11.56.30 ha.
- v) Progress of Compensatory afforestation as on-
- (a) Forest Land 162.469 ha.
- (b) Non- Forest Land 1152.30 ha.
13. Specific recommendations of the Deputy Conservator of forests for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with reasons. The proposal is recommended for sanction.

  
(Suvama Mane)  
Deputy Conservator of Forests,  
Ahmednagar Forest Division

Place : **Ahmednagar**

Date : **30/05/2022**