13. Specific Recommendation of the DCF for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with reasons.

The proposal for construction of laying out open water pipeline on the ground level from the bore well of Malki land gat no. 152 from the bank of Pimpalgaon Joga Dam, insulated electric cable from Gat no. 158, aerial iron cable for cable Car from Gat no. 158 and regularization existing approach footpath from Gat no. 151 adjacent to Kalyan-Vishakhapattanam National Highway-222, of village-Karanjale, Tal-Junnar, Dist-Pune.

It is observed that the alignment of the proposed water pipeline, insulated electric line, and aerial iron cable for car and existing approach footpath for regularization is to be passing through the forest land Compt. no. 64, Gat no. 120. The Agro Tourism area is surrounded by high mountain ranges and the top high precipice mountain therefore no water sources, supply of electric line, proper route is not available there.

Hence there is no option to examine other alternative. Required area for proposed construction of water pipeline, insulated electric line, aerial iron cable for cable car and the existing approach footpath for regularize 0.121 hector forest land is required.

The surrounding area of the project is falls under part of Western Ghat. Surrounding area is definitely having unique species of flora and fauna but the land which is going to be diverted for the project is not going to affect the flora and fauna of the area. Insulated electric line, aerial iron cable for cable car both are aerial and the water pipeline will be laying on ground to avoid any damage to forest. Pathway is existing so no trees are required to be felled. Overall there is no trees or tree growth required to be felled. Hence the proposal is recommended for sanction.

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Place:-Junnar

Date: 25 /09/2020