## SITE INSPECTION REPORT

A proposal has been received by this office from the **Executive Engineer, PWD, Civil Division No. III (DP), DNH, Silvassa** (User Agency) for diversion (under FCA-1980) of **0.618** ha. of forest land for non-forestry purpose. The subject envisages the use of forest land for **Construction of approach road from Bedpa Kalsemal of Dadra and Nagar Haveli to the Maharastra Border**. The site inspection of the land involved in the proposal has been done by me on dated 02/06/2018 along with the representatives of the User Agency and the Range Forest Officer, Southern Range, Dadra and Nagar Haveli.

On inspection of the site, it is found that the land required by the user agency is a forest measuring 0.618 ha. The requirement of forest land as proposed by the user agency in Col. 2 of part-I is unavoidable and is barest minimum required for the project.

The status of the land is Reserved Forest of Southern Range of Dadra and Nagar Haveli. The proposed road passes through the Reserved Forest to connect the village to the Maharastra State Border. This road is required to improve the connectivity among the tribal villages. During the inspection, there was no endangered/endemic flora and fauna found in the forest proposed for diversion.

Also, the user agency has not violated the provisions of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and no work has been started without proper sanction.

Hence, this proposal for diversion of 0.618 Ha forest land for the purpose of Construction of approach road from from Bedpa Kalsemal of Dadra and Nagar Haveli to the Maharastra Border is hereby recommended.

Place

: Silvassa.

Date

: 10/08/2018.

S.Dinesh Kannan Deputy Conservator of Forests Dadra and Nagar Haveli.