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SITE INSPECTION REPORT NOT BELOW THE RANK OF DCE

(For the forest land to be diverted under FCA)

A proposal has been received by this office from BSNL Agra for Diversion (under FCA-1980) of 1.395 hac. of Protected forest land for non-forestry purpose. The Project envisage the use of forest land for OFC Laying by BSNL Under NOFN Project in 46500 Mtr. Length from km. Ch. 44.700 to 91.200 on RHS of Agra – Bah-Kachoraghata Road SH-62 between Village Arnata to Kachoraghata in Tah Bah & District Agra (U.P.)

The site inspection of the land involved in the proposal has been done by me on dt. 25.3.23

On inspection of the site, it is found that the land required by the user agency is a Reserved Forest (RF) measuring—1.395 hac. measuring—

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.

Whether any rare / endangered / unique species of flora and fauna in the area. If so, the details thereof -
NIL

Whether any protected archaeological/heritage site/defence establishment or any other important monument is located in the area. if so, the details thereof with NOC from competent authority, if required.-NIL

(a) The user agency has not violated the provisions of forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and no work has been started without proper sanction. —

(b) It has been found that the user agency has violated the Forest (conservation) act, 1980 provisions.

A detail report as per para 1.9 of chapter-1, para C of Handbook of forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 is attached. -
(NA)

Recommended for acceptance of the proposal.

Place: Agra

Agra
Divisional Director
Social Forestry Division,
Agra

N.8. x. State the purpose for which the forest land is proposed to be diverted.

xx. out of (a) and (b) tick the option which is applicable and cross the option which is not applicable.

As per letter number- 2-2/2000-FC dated 16-10-2000 from Ministry of Environment & Forests, Government of India for proposal involving less than 40 hectare of forest land, the site inspection report from OCF is required and for proposal involving more than 40 hectare of forest land site inspection report from the Conservator of Forests is required