

Site Inspection By the DFO KHARGONE
Damkheda Tank Project
Division Khargone, Range Chiriya

Sr. No	Particular	Inspection Report by DFO (T) KHARGONE
1	Extent in hectares.	74.430 Ha.
2	Location (Lat-Long) of the forest land proposed for diversion.	Enclosed In Annexure.
3	Legal status of the forest land(Protected forest, reserved forests, revenue forest lands or any other forest land)	Reserved Forest –Range Chiriya Compartment No. 744, 742, 897, 898, 894, 900, 908, 914, 916 & 761 Proposed Area in Khargone Division 74.430 Ha.
4	Demarcation of the area with temporary cairns etc.	Area is Demarcated.
5	Any signs of encroachment.	Nil
6	Any activity already taken up within the forest land or adjoining non forest land as part of the proposed project by the user agency. Details of action taken against the user agency in case of violation of the FC act and guidelines there under.	Nil
7	Status of vegetation, site quality, species composition etc.	The proposed area is in compartment no. Range Chiriya Compartment No. 744, 742, 897, 898, 894, 900, 908, 914, 916 & 761 have density up to 0.02 Quality- V b (type of forest- II Dry Tropical Forests) Group-5 with Tectona Grandis & etc Species.
8	Importance of area from wildlife point of view, Status of wildlife (density and abundance of important species, bird life reptiles, butterflies and other scheduled animals any endangered wildlife).Any latest census of wildlife in this area.	No endangered scheduled wild animal as mentioned in Wild Life Protection Act 1972, is observed in proposed area. As per the wildlife census 2018, wild animal was not found in proposed area.
9	Endemism of flora/fauna or any other unique ecosystem in the area	Nil
10	Current land use. Is this area managed as per prescriptions in the working plan and if not, why?	The compartment are in following working circle- Fuel and fodder Development working circle, RDF Working circle, Enchroachment Area Rehabilitation working circle Forest village and Setteled Enchroachment centre working circle.
11	Importance of the area from historical or religious point of view.	Nil
12	Any dependent persons/families on this land.	In the proposed Damkheda Tank Project, 35.840 hectares of 31 Patta holders of Forest Settelement Center Damkheda are being affected.
13	Any displacement of persons proposed.	Nil
14	Is there any Rehabilitation and resettlement Plan for the persons to be affected? Is there any dissenting voice among the persons proposed to be displaced?	Nil
15	Compensatory afforestation proposed is on forest land or non-forest land. Location of this area, suitability of the area for CA.	Compensatory Afforestation will be done on Village Khamkheda, KH.No-209 Paiki Area 43.160 Ha. & KH.No-195 Paiki Area 31.270 Ha. Teshil- Segaon

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	if in the degraded forest land then what is the current working plan prescription for the area? Distance of the non-forest land for CA from the nearest forest area. Number of patches in case the area should be more than 10 Kms.	Collector Dist. Khargone Transfer Order No. 4796 Dated 03-02-2022 Atteched.
6	Proposal area should not be part of any protected area. Also distance from the boundary of the nearest protected area should be more than 10 Kms.	Proposed area is not a part of any Protected area and there is no Protected area within 10 KM from the Boundary of proposed area.
7	Dependence of tribals in the area. Whether the rights of the tribals have been recognized in this area.	N/A
8	Utility of the project, including the people living in close vicinity of the project.	Damkheda Tank Project Temporary/Permanent employment will be generating for people living close vicinity of the project.
9	In case of renewal whether all the conditions stipulated in the earlier sanction order have been complied with.	N/A
10	Alternatives examined by the user agency in case of non-site specific projects.	Proposed Damkheda Project Constructed 74.430 Hectare is shortest and the suitable for the Project.
21	A certificate by the user agency that the forest land requested for diversion for non-forestry purpose is bare minimum.	Certificate Atteched
22	Any scope of saving tree growth while ensuring that the purpose for which the forest land is being diverted is also not adversely affected.	There is no adversely affect on forest area. There are 896 trees of various species will be felled due to erection work of proposed in Damkheda Tank Project.
23	Any other issue of significance.	Nil
24	Specific recommendations of the DFO with reason for approval of the project.	Recommended for providing Irrigation facility to Farmers.

Date:

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—:स्थल निरीक्षण प्रतिवेदन:—

जल संसाधन संभाग खरगोन की प्रस्तावित "दामखेडा तालाब योजना" के प्रस्ताव में खरगोन वनमण्डल के प्रशासकीय नियंत्रण में आने वाली वन परिक्षेत्र चिरीया के आरक्षित वनखण्ड मुख्य सतपुडा के कक्ष क्रमांक—744, 742, 897, 898, 894, 900, 908, 914, 916 एवं 761 प्रभावित वनभूमि 74.430 हे. का दिनांक 30.11.23 को मेरे द्वारा निरीक्षण किया गया। प्रस्तावित क्षेत्र में 74.430 हे. वनभूमि की मांग न्यूनतम है तथा इसके अतिरिक्त अन्य कोई विकल्प नहीं है।

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