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Prescribed vide PCCF (HoFF) No.Desk-17-4/1445, Dated 5/11/2015

Sr. No	Items	Observations and remarks
1	Name of the Project and location (Range, Round, Beat)	Proposal for use of 0.34 Ha. of forest land for non- forest purpose i.e. Widening of existing Narayangaon-Ozar-Otur road passing through Forest Comptt. no. 45, Gat no. 136 (Old Survey no. 146) and Gat no. 147 (Old Survey no.35) village-Dhalewadi Tarf Haveli, Pune. Range- Junnar Round- Narayangaon Beat- Ozar
2	Name of User Agency	S.S. Nagarare, Assistant Engineer, Gr.I, P.W.D. Sub Division (East), Division No. 4 Pune-1
3	Date of site inspection	11-07-2020
4	Extent (ha) and legal status of forest land proposed for diversion	0.34 Ha. "Reserved Forest"
5	<ul> <li>a) Detail of forest land proposed for diversion and activity-wise breakup of forest land.</li> <li>b) Density and Eco-value</li> </ul>	Attached on page no. 2_2_  0.4 and Eco-Value class-III
6	class Whether the requirement of forest land as proposed by the User Agency in col.2 of Part-1 is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project. If no, recommended area item-wise details of alternative examined.	Yes.
7	Whether the proposal involves any construction of building (including residential) or not? If yes details thereof.	No construction of building is involved in the proposal.
8	<ul> <li>a) Whether forest area proposed for diversion is important from wildlife point of view or not.</li> <li>b) Details of any rare or endangered or unique species of flora and fauna found in proposed forest land. If so, the details thereof.</li> </ul>	No, Forest area proposed for diversion is not much important from wildlife point of view.  No any rare or endangered or unique species of flora and fauna found in proposed forest land.

	c) Areal distance from nearest boundary of any Protected Area (km) d) Remark about sensitivity of the forest area likely to be affected due to project. e) Whether wildlife mitigation plan is required? If yes, reasons thereof.	18 kilometers from Protected area i.e. Kalsubai Wildlife Sanctuary.  Forest Area is not sensitive affected due to project.  Not required.
9	Details of vegetation:  a) Total number of trees to be felled: b) Number of trees to be felled of girth below 60 cm: c) Number of trees to be felled of girth above 60 cm: d) Effect of removal of trees on the general ecosystem in the area.	No trees required to be felled.
10	Background note on the proposal (Short summary)	Narayangaon-Ozar-Otur road widening at village-Dhalewadi Tarf Haveli Tal-Junnar, Dist-Pune. The Government of Maharashtra decided to connect all Ashtavinayak Ganapati Devasthan road in the premises of Pune District. This Narayangaon-Ozar-Otur road is the one part of this plan and sanctioned 89 Crore Amt. for widening and strengthening this road.  The existing Narayangaon-Ozar-Otur road is passing through Reserved Forest land Forest Comptt. no. 45, Gat no. 136 (Old Survey no. 146) and Gat no. 147 (Old Survey no.35) village-Dhalewadi Tarf Haveli, Tal-Junnar, Dist-Pune. But in this road at the site of Dhalewadi Tarf Haveli, Tal-Junnar there is an accidental spot. While passing through the road at chainage no. 61/250 to 61/675 the spot in Forest area is a hill track, blind corner and the front side cannot be sighted, which creates an accident prone zone.  Due to the above circumstances it is very necessary to widen this road which is to be passing through the Reserved forest area of Forest Comptt. no. 45, Gat no. 136 (Old Survey)

		no. 146) and Gat no. 147 (Old Survey no.35) village-Dhalewadi Tarf Haveli, Tal-Junnar, Dist-Pune.  The road is existing before 1980 which is shown in the Survey of India Topo-sheet no.47 E-16, hence there is no option to examine other alternative. For widening of road 0.34 hector forest land is required.  The forest area is to be diverted is not sensitive for any flora and fauna. The proposed work in forest is will not have any adverse effect on the ecology of the area and no trees required to be felled. Hence the proposal is recommended for sanction.
11	Whether the proposal involves any violation of Forest (Conservation) Act 1980? If yes, a detail report of violation including action taken against the concerned officials to be attached.	No, there is no violation of FCA 1980.
12	Whether the proposal involves rehabilitation of displaced person. If yes, whether rehabilitation plan has been approved by the State Government?	No.
13	Details of catchment and cultivable command area under the project (if applicable)  Status of catchment area treatment plan to prevent siltation of reservoir (if applicable)	Not applicable.
14	Utility of the project	The proposal for construction of existing Narayangaon-Ozar-Otur road widening at village-Dhalewadi Tarf Haveli Tal-Junnar, Dist-Pune. The Government of Maharashtra decided to connect all Ashtavinayak Ganapati Devasthan road in the premises of Pune District.
15	Whether land being diverted has any socio-cultural/religious values? Whether any sacred groves or very old growth trees/ forests exist in the areas proposed for diversion?	No.



16	Any other important information related to project (Separate note may be attached, if required)	No.
17	Details of documents and photographs enclosed:	Photographs are attached on page no.
18	Recommendation of the Inspecting officer (CCF/CF/DCF/RFO)	The proposed road is already an existing road. It is mentioned in toposheet (existing before 1980) The present proposal is for extension of existing road. The area which is going to diverted is not sensitive and does not have any adverse impact of the ecology of the area and no trees required to be felled, and the project is for public purpose. Hence it is recommended for approval.

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Place:-Junnar

Date: 03/09/2020