

Check list for site inspection by the DFO


Proposal No : FP/MP/ROAD/156164/2022
Proposal Name : Sitapala, Tattikala to Kosamdehi Road Construction Under RCPLWEA Scheme
Forest Land Proposed for diversion : District - Balaghat, Division - South Balaghat (T) Division,
Range - West lanji, East lanji, Forest Block - Sitapala, Baghsur North, Dhirimangli
Compartment No- 291A, 641, 634, 639, 636, 637, 621, 344, 345, 343A, 343B, 342, 346
in area 12.690 hac.
Name of the Applicant : General Manager, M.P.R.R.D.A. PIU-1, Balaghat (M.P.)

Sl. No.	Particular	Inspection Report by DFO (T)
1.	Extent is hectares.	12.690 hac.
2.	Location (lat-long) of the forest land proposed for diversion.	Location :- Division :- South Balaghat (T) Division, Forest Range :- West lanji, East lanji, Forest Block :- Sitapala, Baghsur North, Dhirimangli Compartment No. :- 291A, 641, 634, 639, 636, 637, 621, 344, 345, 343A, 343B, 342, 346 (lat-long) Area Boundary Co-Ordinates Point No. Latitude(N) Longitude(E) 1. 21° 23' 42.94" 80° 39' 40.68", 2. 21° 24' 25.91" 80° 40' 09.09", 3. 21° 24' 56.39" 80° 40' 33.75", 4. 21° 25' 25.59" 80° 41' 10.96", 5. 21° 25' 57.65" 80° 41' 32.39", 6. 21° 26' 23.33" 80° 42' 06.30", 7. 21° 26' 57.59" 80° 42' 18.82", 8. 21° 26' 57.19" 80° 42' 34.21", 9. 21° 26' 44.77" 80° 42' 54.60", 10. 21° 27' 13.22" 80° 42' 58.40", 11. 21° 27' 40.13" 80° 43' 04.51", 12. 21° 28' 28.96" 80° 43' 27.50",
3.	Legal status of the forest land (Protected forest, reserve forests, revenue forest lands or any other forest land)	Protected forest, Reserve Forest
4.	Demarcation of the area with temporary cairns etc.	Yes
5.	Any signs of encroachment.	No
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.	No



7.	Status of vegetation. Site quality, species composition etc.	<p>Mixed Forest</p> <p>Site Quality :- III, IV A</p> <p>Forest Density :- 0.5, 0.6</p> <p>Species:- <i>Anogeissus Latifolia</i>, <i>Lannea Coromandelica</i>, <i>Tectona Grandis</i>, <i>Lagerstroemia Parviflora</i>, <i>Xylia xylocarpa</i>, <i>Casearia graveolens</i>, <i>Cassia Fistula</i>, <i>Bauhinia Malabarica</i>, <i>Terminalia Tomentosa</i>, <i>Miliusa Tomentosa</i>, <i>Mitragyna parvifolia</i>, <i>Madhuca Indica</i>, <i>Kydia Calycina</i>, <i>Bridelia Retusa</i>, <i>Ougeinia oogeinensis</i>, <i>Terminalia Chebula</i>, <i>Dalbergia Latifolia</i>, <i>Careya Arborea</i>, <i>Buchanania Lanza</i>, <i>Syzygium Cumini</i>, <i>Dalbergia Paniculata</i>, <i>Diospyros Melanoxylon</i>, <i>Semecarpus anacardium</i>, <i>Stereospermum Chelonoides</i>, <i>Pterocarpus Marsupium</i>, <i>Casearia elliptica</i>, <i>Aegle Marmelos</i>, <i>Schleichera Oleosa</i>, <i>Terminalia bellirica</i>, <i>Emblica Officinalis</i>, <i>Bombax Ceiba</i>, <i>Mangifera indica</i>, <i>Soymida Febrifugu</i>, <i>Radermachera Xylocarpa</i>, <i>Ficus Religiosa</i>, <i>Chloroxylon Swietenia</i>, <i>Terminalia arjuna</i>, <i>Adina cordifolia</i> etc.</p> <p>Total number of Trees - 513</p>
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 the area.	Spotted deer, langur, wild boars and varieties of birds etc.
9.	Endemism of flora/fauna or any other unique ecosystem in the area.	Not seen
10.	Current land use. Is this area managed as per prescriptions in the Working Plan and, If not, why ?	<p>Forest Range :- West Lanji, East lanji,</p> <p>Forest Block :- Sitapala, Baghsur North, Dhirimangli</p> <p>Compartment No. :- 291A, 641, 634, 639, 636, 637, 621, 344, 345, 343A, 343B, 342, 346</p> <p>Current land use:- This area is under Selection cum Improvement working Circle and Redegraded forest is being managed as per prescriptions in the Working Plan.</p>
11.	Importance of the area from historical or religious point of view.	Nil
12.	Any dependent persons/families on this land.	NO
13.	Any displacement of persons proposed.	NO
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 ?	Not Applicable

15.	Compensatory afforestation proposed is on forest land or non-forest land. Location of this area, suitability of the area for CA. 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 to kms.	<p>Division – North Balaghat (T) Dn. Village- Ghummur (Revenue Land) Teh.- Birsa, Distt. – Balaghat, PC No. – 63, Kh. No. – 25/17/1, Area – 82.00 hac.</p> <p>Division – North Balaghat (T) Dn. RDF Land</p> <table> <tr> <th>Range</th><th>Comptt. No.</th><th>Area</th></tr> <tr> <td>Birsa Damoh</td><td>1713</td><td>38.00 hac</td></tr> <tr> <td>Birsa Damoh</td><td>1706</td><td>22.00 hac</td></tr> <tr> <td><u>Birsa Damoh</u></td><td><u>1749</u></td><td><u>22.00 hac</u></td></tr> <tr> <td colspan="2">Total-</td><td>82.00 hac</td></tr> </table>	Range	Comptt. No.	Area	Birsa Damoh	1713	38.00 hac	Birsa Damoh	1706	22.00 hac	<u>Birsa Damoh</u>	<u>1749</u>	<u>22.00 hac</u>	Total-		82.00 hac
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16.	Proposed 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.	N.A.															
17.	Dependence of tribals in the area. Whether the rights of the tribals have been recognized in this area.	N.A.															
18.	Utility of the project, including the people living in close vicinity of the project.	-															
19.	In case of renewal whether all the conditions stipulated in the earlier sanction order have been complied with.	N.A.															
20.	Alternatives examined by the user agency in case of non-site specific projects.	-															
21.	A certificate by the user agency that the forest land requested for diversion for non-forestry purpose in bare minimum.	-															
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.	-															
23.	Any other issue of significance.	-															
24.	Specific recommendations of the DFO with reasons for approval of the project.	Recommended.															


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Place:- Balaghat
Date :- 12-03-2023