

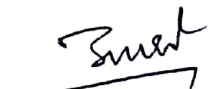
Site Inspection Report

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Sr. No.	Items	Observations and Remarks
1	Name of the Project and location (Range, Round, Beat)	Development and Operation of Four/Six laning of Bodhre (km.390.000) to Dhule (Km.452.800) Section NH-211 (New NH No.52) (Existing length 62.800 km; Design Length 67.231 km) in the State of Maharashtra under NHDP phase IV on Hybrid Annuity Mode (Package II). Range -Dhule Round - Borvahir Beat - Borvahir Comptt. No. - 308, 309 & 310 Gut No. - 172 & 196
2.	Name of the User Agency	National Highways Authority of India
3.	Date of Site inspection	17.08.2018
4.	Extent (Ha.) and legal status of forest land proposal for diversion	7.65 Ha. Reserved Forest
5.	a) Details of forest land proposed for diversion and activity wise break up of forest land b) Density and Eco-Value class	Construction of NH-211 forest area required 7.65 Ha. in village Borvahir & Narvhal, Tal. & Dist. Dhule. Below 0.4 & Class - III Tropical Deciduous Dry forest
6.	Whether the requirement of forest land as proposed by user agency in col. 2 of Part-I is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project. If no, recommended area item wise with details of alternative examined.	Yes the requirement of the proposed forest land in Col. 2 of Part-I is (linear project) unavoidable and barest minimum.
7.	Whether the proposal involves any construction of building (including residential) or not? If yes details thereof	No
8.	a) Whether forest area proposed for diversion is important from wildlife point of view or not. b) Details of any rare or endangered or unique species of flora and fauna in proposed land. If so, the details thereof c) Aerial distance from the nearest boundary of any Protected Area (Km) d) Remarks about sensitivity of the forest area likely to be affected due the project e) Whether wildlife mitigation plan is required? If yes, reasons thereof:	Damage due to diversion of this forest area would be compensated as per scheme enclosed. No any rare or endangered or unique species of flora and/or fauna is reported to be existing in this area. More than 10 Km. -- No

9.	Details of vegetation:	
	a) Total number of trees to be felled	1518
	b) Number of trees to be felled of girth equal to or below 60 cm	1088
	c) Number of trees to be felled of girth above 60 cm	430
	d) Effect of removal of trees on the general ecosystem in the area	No considerable effect
10	Background note on the proposal (Short summary)	The NHAI has been entrusted or development, maintenance and Operation of Highway by "Govt. of India" under NHDP 5Phase IV. The Govt. of India has decided to convert some of existing 2 lane highways to 4 lane highways. The proposed work is up-gradation of existing 2 lane highways to 4 lane highway from Bodhre to Dhule. (Km 390.000 to Km 452.800)
11	Whether the proposal involves any violation of Forest (Conservation) Act 1980? If yes, a detailed report on violation including action taken against the concerned officials to be attached.	No
12	Whether the proposal involves rehabilitation of displaced person? If yes, whether the rehabilitation plan has been approved by the State Government?	N.A.
13	Details of catchment and culturable command area under the project (if applicable) Status of the catchment area treatment plan to prevent siltation of reservoir (if applicable)	N.A.
14	Utility of the project	The four laning Project road will accelerate regional economic development in terms of industry, tourism, agriculture & reduce vehicle operating & maintenance cost by improving road conditions.
15	Whether land being diverted has any Socio - Cultural/religious values? Whether any sacred grove or very old growth trees/forests exist in the areas proposed for diversion?	No
16	Any other important information related to the project (Separate note may be attached, if required).	No.
17	Details of documents and photographs enclosed:	Copy of Gazette of India for entrustment of project to NHAI, location map showing Reserved forest area along with existing alignment of road, Toposheet, executive summary and photographs are attached herewith.
18	Recommendations of the Inspecting Officer (DCF)	Recommended for approval.

Place: Dhule
Date: 17/08/2018


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