Inspection Note, Finding & Recommendation with reason.

The proposed site was inspected on 28.06.2019. The Deputy Conservator of Forests & subordinate staffs assisted during inspection. The factual details are stated below:-

- 1. The proposal is for laying 24" dia natural gas pipeline along with OFC from Barauni to Guwahati crossing Begusarai, Saharsa, Purnea & Araria Forest Division. In Purnea Division it passes through various notified Road side, SH-77,SH-65, & Canal side P.F. Which is notified as protected Forest by Govt. Notification No. 1441 E dated 16.11.1994 for canal side & 190 E dated 16.02.1994 for road side P.F. The total area required in Purnea Forest Division is 0.2170 Hac.
- 2. There are 105 trees of various species & girth classes present on the proposed side in which 98 trees have girth less than 90 cm. & 07 trees more than 90 cm. The trees girths are less which can be translocated with due care on other side of proposed site. Further the user agency has to take all care for the survival of the translocated plants.
- 3. There are no rare/endangered/unique species of flora & fauna found in the proposed site. Also, no archaeological site, defence establishment are present on the area concern.

On the basis of recommendation of the Deputy Conservator of Forests & the inspection done by undersigned the proposal may be accepted on the following reasons.

- (a) As the Project is for the purpose of providing clean fuel energy which is also ecofriendly in order to reduce air pollution.
- (b) The requirement of Forest land is very less. The acceptance of the proposal, as it entails, provision of compensatory afforestation along the road/canal side, as it customary, may help to increase forest density & green cover.

Place- Purnea. Date- 28.06.2019

> (Manoj Kumar Singh IFS) Conservator of Forests,

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Inspection Note, Finding & Recommendation with reason.

The proposed site was inspected on 23.07.2019. The Deputy Conservator of Forests & subordinate staffs assisted during inspection. The factual details are stated below:-

- 1. The proposal is for laying 24" dia natural gas pipeline along with OFC from Barauni to Guwahati crossing Begusarai, Saharsa, Purnea & Araria Forest Division. In Araria Division it passes through various notified Road side, SH-77,SH-65, & Canal side P.F. Which is notified as protected Forest by Govt. Notification No. 1441 E dated 16.11.1994 for canal side & 190 E dated 16.02.1994 for road side P.F. The total area required in Araria Forest Division is 0.0930 Hac.
- 2. There are 20 trees of various species are present on the proposed site. In which 11 trees can be translocated at suitable place. The user agency has to take all care for the survival of the translocated plants. Rest 09 trees need to cut.
- 3. There are no rare/endangered/unique species of flora & fauna found in the proposed site. Also, no archaeological site, defence establishment are present on the area concern.

On the basis of recommendation of the Deputy Conservator of Forests & the inspection done by undersigned the proposal may be accepted on the following reasons.

- (a) As the Project is for the purpose of providing clean fuel energy which is also ecofriendly in order to reduce air pollution.
- (b) The requirement of Forest land is very less. The acceptance of the proposal, as it entails, provision of compensatory afforestation along the road/canal side, as it customary, may help to increase forest density & green cover.

Place- Purnea. Date- 23.07.2019

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Inspection Note, Finding & Recommendation with reason.

The proposed site was inspected on 20.11.2019. The Deputy Conservator of Forests & subordinate staffs assisted during inspection. The factual details are stated below:-

- 1. The proposal is for laying 24" dia natural gas pipeline in Madhepura District in Bihar from Barauni to Guwahati crossing Begusarai, Saharsa, Purnea & Araria Forest Division. In Saharsa Division it passes through various notified Road side, NH 107 & Canal side P.F. Which is notified as protected Forest by Govt. Notification No. 1441 E dated 16.11.1994 for canal side & 190 E dated 16.02.1994 for road side P.F. The total area required in Saharsa Forest Division is 0.1295 Hac.
- 2. There are 90 trees of various species are present on the proposed site.
- 3. There are no rare/endangered unique species of flora & fauna found in the proposed site. Also no Archeological/Heritage site/ Defense establishment or any others important monuments were found located inside the proposed area.

On the basis of recommendation of the Deputy Conservator of Forests & the inspection done by undersigned the proposal may be accepted on the following reasons.

- (a) As the Project is for the purpose of providing clean fuel energy which is also ecofriendly in order to reduce air pollution.
- (b) The requirement of Forest land is very less. The acceptance of the proposal, as it entails, provision of compensatory afforestation along the road/canal side, as it customary, may help to increase forest density & green cover.

Place- Purnea. Date- 20.11.2019

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