

## RECOMMENDATION

1. The proposed area of 0.10 Ha is a part of Reserve Forest in RS No.9/2 of Pinarayi with an extent of 0.61 Ha. The mangroves are only found along the edge of the road side. Since the area is proposed is to small in extent and mangroves are only in a small strip, it is recommended the proposed bridge and approach road can be constructed diverting the land.
2. There are 26 Nos of various miscellaneous trees, 26 Nos. clumps of miscellaneous Mangroove and 38 Nos of miscellaneous Mangrove trees are seen in the proposed land. Only the trees that are obstructing for the construction of road and bridge may be felled and rest of the trees may be retained as such so that some green cover remains in the road side area.
3. Bridges division shall support planting activity of mangroves for twice the area (0.20Ha) near the bridge as it will help in stopping erosion and provide proper replacement for the ecosystem service lost in the diversion of this area.
4. The user agency shall pay net present value as per guidelines issued by Government of India.
5. The user agency shall make payment of compensatory levies as directed by the authorities.

  
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