

## Site Inspection Report

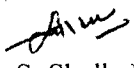
Prescribed vide PCCF (HoFF) No. Desk-17-4/1445, dated 5/11/2015

Sr. No.	Items	Observations and remarks	
1.	Name of the Project and location (Range, Round, Beat)	Proposal of diversion of Forest land required for Construction of 800 KV HVDC Raigarh- Pugalur Transmission Line. <b>Range</b> - South Bramhapuri <b>Round</b> - Awalgaon, Bhuj <b>Beat</b> - Awalgaon, Halda, Padmapur, Bodhegaon.	
2.	Name of the User Agency	M/s Power Grid Corp. of India Ltd., Bramhapuri	
3.	Date of site inspection	23/01/2018	
4.	Extent (ha.) and legal status of forest land proposed for diversion	Protected Forest	45.3940 ha.
Zudpi Jungle		0.3353 ha.	
Unclassified Forest		0.4998 ha.	
<b>TOTAL :-</b>		<b>46.2291 ha.</b>	
5.	a) Details of forest land proposed for diversion and activity-wise break-up of forest land  b) Density and Eco-value class	Details of forest land proposed for diversion and activity-wise break-up of forest land are attached on Page No.  Density 0.1 to 0.4 Eco - value class - III	
6.	Whether the requirement of forest land as proposed by the User Agency in col. No.2 of Part-I is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project. If no, recommended area item-wise with details of alternative examined	Yes,	
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	Yes, Its falls under Tadoba-Nagzira & Tadoba-Indravati corridor of tiger .as per Tiger Covservation plan of TATR for the period 2016-17 to 2025-26.	

	<p>b) Details of any rare or endangered or unique species of flora and fauna found in proposed forest land. If so, the details thereof</p> <p>c) Aerial distance from the nearest boundary of any Protected Area (km.)</p> <p>d) Remarks about sensitivity of the forest area likely to be affected due to project.</p> <p>e) Whether wildlife mitigation plan is required ? If yes, reason thereof</p>	<p>No, rare or endangered or unique species of flora and fauna found in proposed forest land.</p> <p>20.46 Km. from TATR 11.00 Km. from Buffer Zone.</p> <p>Area will not be affected in the point of flora and fauna.</p> <p>Proposed area falls under Tadoba-Nagzira &amp; Tadoba-Indravati corridor of tiger, as per Tiger Conservation plan of TATR for the period 2016-17 to 2025-26.</p>
9.	<p>Details of vegetation :</p> <p>a) Total number of trees to be felled</p> <p>b) Number of trees to be felled of girth below 60 cm.</p> <p>c) Number of trees to be felled of girth above 60 cm.</p> <p>d) Effect of removal of trees on the general ecosystem in the area</p>	<p>7111 No.</p> <p>6434 No.</p> <p>677 No.</p> <p>Not much . ( linear, that too in patches)</p>
10.	<p>Background note on the proposal (Short summary)</p>	<p>This Project has great National Importance for evacuating the bottled-up power surplus States to power deficit States and will also support to provide additional system strengthening of National Grid.. Strengthening of Transmission Network across various States of India.</p>
11.	<p>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</p>	<p>No</p>
12.	<p>Whether the proposal involves rehabilitation of displaced person. If yes, whether rehabilitation plan has been approved by the State Government?</p>	<p>No</p>

13.	Details on catchments and culturable command area under the project (if applicable)	NA
	Status of catchment and treatment plan to prevent siltation of reservoir (if applicable)	NA
14.	Utility of the project	Strengthening of Transmission Network across various States of India.
15.	Whether land being diverted has any socio-culture / 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	As per attached with the proposal
18.	Recommendations of the inspecting Officer (CCF/CF/DCF)	The proposal is recommended for sanction under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.

Place : Chandrapur  
Date :- 24/01/2018

  
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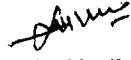
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2.	Name of the User Agency	M/s Power Grid Corp.of India Ltd. , Bramhapuri	
3.	Date of site inspection	23/01/2018	
4.	Extent (ha.) and legal status of forest land proposed for diversion	Reserve Forest	20.9660 ha.
Protected Forest		20.3190 ha.	
Zudpi Jungle		11.5360 ha.	
<b>TOTAL :-</b>		<b>52.8210 ha.</b>	
5.	a) Details of forest land proposed for diversion and activity-wise break-up of forest land  b) Density and Eco-value class	Details of forest land proposed for diversion and activity-wise break-up of forest land are attached on Page No.  Density < 0.4 Eco - value class - III	
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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 found in proposed forest land. If so, the details thereof	Yes, Its falls under Tadoba-Nagzira & Tadoba-Indravati corridor of tiger .as per Tiger Covservation plan of TATR for the period 2016-17 to 2025-26.  No rare or endangered or unique species of flora and fauna found in proposed forest land. However, Tiger (Panthera tigris), is found in the area	

	<p>c) Aerial distance from the nearest boundary of any Protected Area (km.)</p> <p>d) Remarks about sensitivity of the forest area likely to be affected due to project.</p> <p>e) Whether wildlife mitigation plan is required? If yes, reason thereof</p>	<p>More than 10.00 Km.</p> <p>Area will not be affected in the point of flora and fauna.</p> <p>Proposed area falls under Tadoba-Nagzira &amp; Tadoba - Indravati corridor of tiger, as per Tiger Conservation plan of TATR for the period 2016-17 to 2025-26.</p>
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10.	<p>Background note on the proposal (Short summary)</p>	<p>This Project has great National Importance for evacuating the bottled-up power surplus States to power deficit States and will also support to provide additional system strengthening of National Grid.. Strengthening of Transmission Network across various States of India.</p>
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