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Diversion of 0.2498 ha. of Forest land Permission for laying Optical fiber Cable along the route From Valtoha to Amarkot road (SLD Ch. 0 to 335) & from Amarkot to Rajoke road (SLD Ch. 5213 to 10415) Total length = 5537 Mtr. on route Valtoha-ke Uttar Via Dholan (Link 1.2.29) for Army Project ASCON PH-IV under Forest Division , Amritsar.

File No. _____

Date of Proposal : _____

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SITE INSPECTION REPORT NOT BELOW THE RANK OF DCF

(For the Forest land to be diverted under FCA)

A proposal has been received by this office from **M/S Directorate General of Signals.** for diversion (under FCA-1980) of **0.2498** ha. of forest land for non forestry purpose. The subject envisages the use of forest for **laying Optical fiber Cable along the route From Valtoha to Amarkot road (SLD Ch. 0 to 335) & from Amarkot to Rajoke road (SLD Ch. 5213 to 10415) Total length = 5537 Mtr. on route Valtoha-ke Uttar Via Dholan (Link 1.2.29) for Army Project ASCON PH-IV under Forest Division , Amritsar.** The site inspection of the land involved in the proposal has been done by me on dated 11.8.2022

On inspection of the site, it is found that the land required by the user agency is a forest measuring **0.2498** ha.

The requirement of forest land as proposed by the user agency in Col. 2 of part-I is unavoidable and is barest minimum required for the project. : **(Yes)**

Whether any rare/ endangered/ unique species of flora and fauna found in the area. If so, the details thereof. : **(No)**

Whether any protected archaeological/ heritage site/ defence establishment or any other important monument is located in the area. If so, the details thereof with NOC from competent authority, if required. : **(No)**

(a) **The user agency has not violated the provisions of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and no work has been started without proper sanction.**

(b) It has been found that the user agency has violated the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 provisions. A detailed report as per para 1.9 of Chapter 1, Part C of Hand book of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 is attached).

**(Note : Whichever of the above is applicable should be shown bold letters)
Specific recommendation for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal.**

Recommended for approval

Place : ASR

(Signature)

Date: 4/8/22

Name Divisional Forest Officer
Designation Amritsar Forest Division
Office Seal Amritsar