

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 kandla-Gorakhpur LPG Pipeline (KGPL) Project, (Unnao-Gorakhpur Section): Diversion of total 1.773 Ha. Land in lucknow Divison for laying of underground LPG pipeline along with Optical Fiber Cable (OFC) from kandla in Gujarat State to Gorakhpur in Uttar Pradesh state-Lucknow Forest Division in the State of uttar Pradesh. The site inspection of the land involved in the proposal has done by me on dated 4/2/22..

On inspection of the site, it is found that the land required by the user agency is a Protected forest land measuring 0.0350 ha. & Reserved forest land measuring 1.7380 Ha. Therefore total forest land is 1.7730 Ha.

The requirement of forest land as proposed by the user agency in col.2 part-1 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 there of :- No

Whether any protected archeological/heritage site/defense establishment or any other important monuments is located in the area, if, so the details there of with NOC from competent authority, if required :- No

- (a) The user agency has not violated the provisions of forest (Conversation), Act 1980 and no work has been started without proper sanction. (Yes)
- (b) It has been found that the user agency has violated the forest (Conservation), Act 1980 provisions. A detail report as per para 1.9 of chapter 1, Para C of Handbook of forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 is attached. (No)

Specific recommendation for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal. Recommended the proposal for sanction please.

Place : Lucknow

Date : 4/2/22


(Dr. Ravi Kumar Singh)

Divisional Forest Officer,

Awadh Forest Division, Lucknow.

N.B X state the purpose for which the forest land is proposed to be deliveredxx out of (a) and (b) tick the option which is not applicable and cross the option which is not applicable.