

SITE INSPECTION REPORT

Sr. No.	Items	Observation and Remarks
1	Name of Project	Wildlife Clearance proposal for renewal of forest clearance of 80.77 ha. forest land for Durgapur Open Cast Project, Western Coalfields Limited, Chandrapur Area under Chandrapur Forest Division.
2	Forest area involved	80.77 ha.
3	Location <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Division • Range • Round • Beat • F.S. 	Chandrapur Forest Division, Chandrapur. Chandrapur Durgapur Durgapur Improvement Working Circle
4	Date of Site Inspection	27/03/2024
5	Details of forest type and flora of existing crop, with botanical name of species.	The vegetation according to Champion and Seth's classification belongs to the Sub group - Tropical dry deciduous forest and sub-group 5A/C3 southern tropical dry mix deciduous forest type having Teak as dominant species. The main associates of Teak (<i>Tectona grandis</i>), Ain (<i>Terminalia tomentosa</i>), Bamboo (<i>Dendrocalamus strictus</i>), Bija (<i>Pterocarpus marsupium</i>), Dhaoda (<i>Anogeissus latifolia</i>), Haldu (<i>Adina cordifolia</i>), Salai (<i>Boswellia serrata</i>), Tendu (<i>Diospyros melonoxylon</i>), etc.
6	Density of the forest area	Mined out Area. The density is below 0.01.
7	Details of fauna including their population and distribution from Wildlife Sanctuary, National Park or Reserve	Fauna Vertebrates :- (1) Mammals 80 species, (2) Aves 280 species, (3) Reptiles 54 species, (4) Amphibians 11 species, (5) Pisces 84 species, (6) Snakes 28 species, (7) Birds 280 species Invertebrates :- (8) Millusca 37 species, (9) Dragonflies 41 species, (10) Muntoidea 51 species, (11) Hemiptera 25 species, (12) Lepidoptera 68 species, (13) Scolopendridae 3 species & (14) Scorprionida 34 species etc.
8	Other aspects of importance	
	• Historical / Archaeological	--
	• Geographical	--
	• Religious	--
	• Geological	--

9	Remarks regarding sensitivity of area likely to be affected due to project.	The proposed 80.77 ha. area was already mined out. Hence, no major negative impacts to be seen due to diversion of the area.
10	No. of Photographs (is enclosed)	No
11	Whether violation of the act has been noticed anywhere.	No

Date :- 28/03/2024

Place :- Chandrapur


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