

APPENDIX

(See Rule 6)

FORM - A

Form for seeking prior approval under section 2 of the proposals by the State Governments and other authorities

PART - II

(To be filled by the concerned Deputy Conservator of Forests)

7. Location of the project/Scheme:

i	State / Union Territory:	Andhra Pradesh
ii	District	SPSR Nellore
iii	Forest Division.	Nellore
iv	Area of forest land proposed for diversion (in ha.)	0.75 Ha
v	Legal status of forest.	Reserved Forest
vi	Density of vegetation,	0.50
vii	Species-wise (scientific names) and diameter class-wise enumeration of trees (to be enclosed,. In case of irrigation/hydel projects enumeration at FRL, FRL-2 meter & FRL- 4 meter also to be enclosed)	The RF area proposed for diversion falls in Ambapuram RF area which is leased out to APFDC Ltd.,Nellore. The plantation raised by the APFDC Ltd., is existing in the above RF area. The species wise and diameter wise enumeration of trees and assessment of value of plantation as furnished by APFDC ltd., is enclosed.
viii	Brief note on vulnerability of the forest area to erosion	This area is not vulnerable to erosion. A certificate is enclosed.
ix	Approximate distance of proposed site for diversion from boundary of forest.	The proposed approach CC road is linear in nature. It enters the Ambapuram RF boundary from one side and leaves the RF boundaries in another side.
X	Whether forms part of National Park, wildlife sanctuary, biosphere reserve, tiger Reserve, elephant corridor, etc., (If so, the details of the area and comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden to be annexed).	The alignment of the approach CC road does not form a part of National park, Wild life sanctuary, Biosphere reserve, tiger reserve, elephant corridor etc. A certificate is enclosed.
Xi	Whether any rare/endangered/unique species of flora and fauna found in the area - if so details thereof	There is no rare/endangered/unique species of flora and fauna found in the area proposed for diversion. Wild boar, Spotted deer, Rabbit, Reptiles and Bird speices are found in the Reserve Forest.
xii	Whether any protected archaeological/heritage site/defense establishment or any other important monument is located in the area - If so, details thereof with NOC from competent authority.	There is no protected archaeological/heritage site/defense establishment or any other important monument is located in the area proposed for diversion.

8	Whether the requirement of forestland as proposed by the user agency in col.2 of Part - I is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project. If no, recommended area item-wise with details of alternatives examined.	The requirement of the forest land is 0.75 Ha as proposed by the user agency in col.2 of the part-I is un-avoidable and barest minimum. Accordingly, a certificate is enclosed.
9	Whether any work in violation of the Act has been carried out (Yes/No). If yes, details of the same including period of work done, action taken on erring officials. Whether work in violation is still in progress.	There is no violation of the Forest Conservation Act 1980 and Wild life Act, 1972 in the area. Accordingly, a certificate is enclosed.
10	Details of Compensatory Afforestation scheme:	
i	Details of non-forest area/degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation, its distance from adjoining forest, number of patches, size of each patch.	Does not arise, since, the proposal is linear in nature and the requirement of forest is below 1 Ha.
ii	Map showing non-forest/degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation and adjoining forest boundaries.	As above
iii	Detailed compensatory afforestation scheme including species to be planted, implementing agency, time schedule, cost structure, etc.	As above
iv	Total financial outlay for compensatory afforestation scheme.	As above
v	Certificates from competent authority regarding suitability of area identified for compensatory afforestation and from management point of view. (To be signed by the concerned Deputy Conservator of Forests).	As above
11	Site inspection report of the DCF (to be enclosed) especially highlighting facts asked in Co. 7 (xi, xii) 8 and 9 above.	Enclosed
12	Division/District profile.	
i	Geographical area of the district.	13,07,600 Ha
ii	Forest area of the district.	2,79,138.51 Ha
iii	Total forest area diverted since 1980 with number of cases.	Number of cases : 38 RF area diverted: 4756.31 Ha
iv	Total compensatory afforestation stipulated in the district/ division since 1980 on	<u>C.A stipulated in</u> (1) Reserved Forest : 1031.24 Ha (2) Non-Forest : 7260.46 Ha.
a	Forest land including penal compensatory afforestation,	RF Area: 1031.24 Ha
b	Non - forest land.	Non-Forest area : 7260.46 Ha

v	Progress of compensatory afforestation as on (date)...on	
a	Forest land.	1031.24 Ha
b	Non-forest land.	7260.46 Ha
13	Specific recommendations of the DCF for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with reasons.	Since the diversion is required for irrigation purpose, the same is recommended.

Date: -10-2018

Place: Nellore

Signature

Name. (C. Venu Gopala Rao)

Official seal----

Divisional Forest Officer

Sri Potti Sriramulu Nellore Division.