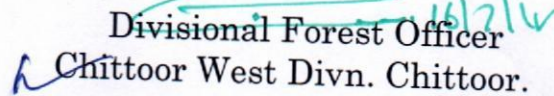


**Field Inspection notes of Sri T. Chakrapani, M.Sc., Ed., Divisional Forest Officer, Chittoor West Division, Chittoor on C.A.Land for construction of Somasila Swarnamuki Canal applied by Irrigation Department Nellore District on 01.07.2018.**

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Inspected the Revenue land offered for Compensatory Afforestation in lieu of forest land proposed for diversion for construction of Somasila Swarnamuki Canal duly connecting to Mannasamudram tank near Yerpedu village and other connecting works in Nellore & Chittoor District applied by Executive Engineer, Irrigation Department, SSLC&SB Division No.3, Kothuru, Nellore District along with the Forest Range Officer, Palamaner, Dy. Forest Range Officer, V.Kota and beat staff. The non forest land in Sy.No.107 & 109/3 (carved from old Sy.No.85) extent 52.43 Acres or 21.213 Ha of Kaigallu village of Baireddipalle Mandal in two bits is on river bank adjoining to the Compartment No. 247 & 246 of Thotakanuma RF & Beat, Palamaner Range of Chittoor West Division which is proposed for allotment to the Forest Department vide District Collector, Chittoor Rc.No. REV-3ic0GLM(LM)/87/2016-JA(3I cell), dt.14.05.2018 & 26.06.2018 and is convenient/suitable for afforestation from the Management protection point of view.

Further the area is having natural tree growth of more than 5-8 mtrs comprising of chigara as dominant species followed by Nerrudi, soap nut etc., and the tree growth can be further boosted with strict protection followed by SMC works.

  
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