SITE INSPECTION REPORT NOT BELOW THE RANK OF DCF (For the Forest land to be diverted under FC Act. 1980) Proposal No-FP/UP/Roads/13414/2015

A proposal has been received by this office from Chief Engineer. Word Bank Project, PWD, Lucknow (Externally Aided Project) for Diversion under Forest (Conservation) Act. 1980 of 49.098 hectare (47.10 hectare for protected forest and 1.998 hectare for reserved forest) forest land for non-forest purpose in south Kheri Division of Lucknow Zone, Uttar Pradesh. The project envisages the use of protected forest land for widening of road, bridges and culverts of Gola-Shajahanpur SH-93.

The site inspection of the land involved in proposal has been done by me on dated 21.07.2017. On inspection of the site, it is found that the land required by user agency is forest measuring 49.098 hectare (47.10 hectare of protected forest and 1.998 hectare of reserve forest).

The requirement of forest land as proposed by user agency i.e. 49.098 hectare (47.10 hectare of protected forest and 1.998 hectare of reserve forest) in south Kheri, Forest Division 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 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. (Not Present)

The user agency has not violated the provisions of forest (Conservation). Act.-1980 and no work has been started without proper sanction. (Yes)

It has been found that the user agency has violated the forest (Conservation). Act.-1980 provision, A detail report as per Para 1.90 of chapter 1, Para C of Handbook of forest (Conservation) Act.-1980 is Attached. (Not Applicable)

Specific recommendation for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal.

The proposal is <u>recommended</u> accordingly.

Place: Lucicness.
Date: 21:07-2017

Your's faithfully

(K.Praveen Rao)
Chief Conservator of Forest
Lucknow Zone, U.P. Lucknow