

Reference: Index Sr. NO 30

(Site inspection Report from Deputy Conservator of Forests Satara.)

(Prescribed vide PCCF (HOFF) No Desk - 17 - 4 / 1445. Dated 5/11/2015)

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1	Name of Project and location (Range, Round Beat)	<p>Proposal for diversion of forest land for laying of underground OFC duct & cable within the ROW of existing road width in village - Dalimb, Bori-Aindi, Tamhanwadi, Tal.- Daund, Dis.- Pune ,</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>S.R. no</th><th>Range</th><th>Round</th><th>Beat</th></tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>1</td><td>Daund</td><td>Yavat</td><td>Khamgaon</td></tr> </tbody> </table>	S.R. no	Range	Round	Beat	1	Daund	Yavat	Khamgaon																						
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2	Name of User Agency	Reliance JIO Infrocomm Ltd. (JIO) Pune, The Vice president, Reliance JIO Infrocomm Ltd. (JIO), Reliance Corporate I T Park Ltd, Down town 2 nd . & 3 rd . Floor, S. no 8+13 /1/2 , Off. Karve road, Mhatre Bridge, Erandwane, Pune 411,004.																														
3	Date of site Inspection	12/06/2021																														
4	Extent (ha) and legal status of forest land proposed to diversion.	Forest land Required 0.2895 ha. Legal status of forest land is Reserved Forest.																														
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6	Whether the requirement of forest land as proposed by the User Agency in col. of Part I is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project. If no recommended area item-wise with details of alternative examined.	Yes, the requirement of forest land as proposed by U. A. is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project. As the work is proposed within Right of Way of road there is no need to examined three alternative ,
7	Whether the proposal involves any construction of building (including residential) or not? If Yes , details thereof	No, this proposal doesn't involves any building construction.
8	<p>a) whether forest area proposed for diversion is important form wildlife point of view or not.</p> <p>b) Details of any rare or endangered or unique species of flora and fauna found in proposed forest land. If so the details thereof.</p> <p>c) Aerial distance from the nearest boundary of any Protected Area (Km).</p> <p>d) Remarks about sensitivity of the forest area likely to be affected due to project.</p> <p>e) Whether wildlife mitigation plan is required? If yes, reasons therefor.</p>	<p>Forest area Proposed for diversion is not importance from Wildlife point of view.</p> <p>There is no any rare or endangered unique species of flora and fauna found in proposed forest land.</p> <p>The proposed forest land at Tamhanwadi falling 18 km from boundary of Mayureshwar Wild life Sanctuary</p> <p>There is no adverse effect due to this project as project is laying of underground OFC duct & cable within Right of Way of existing Road, passing through forest.</p> <p>No</p>
9	<p>Details of vegetation:</p> <p>a) Total no of trees to be felLtd.</p> <p>b) Number of trees to be felLtd of girth below 60 cm.</p> <p>c) Number of trees to be felLtd of girth above 60 cm.</p> <p>d) Effect of removal of trees on the general ecosystem in the area.</p>	<p>No tree felling is required.</p> <p>Nil</p> <p>Nil</p> <p>Question doesn't arise.</p>
10	Background note on the proposal (short summary)	Reliance Industries Ltd. has launched broadband service named as Gigafiber in year 2018 .The main aim of company to provide the mobile service & 4

		<p>G Internet data service in all over Indian villages. To provide network, there is need network of Towers connected by OFC duct & cable, For laying of underground the OFC duct & cable within Right of Way of road, where the maximum area will be covered for mobile network and also easy maintain for long period. P. A has submitted application to the Exicutive Engineer Public Works Dept. Pune & Z. P. Pune. for sanction permission for laying of underground OFC duct & cable within the Right of Way of existing road. As same part of existing road passing through the forest land, and there need the prior permission from competent authority for laying of underground OFC duct & cable within the Right of Way of the existing road. There is no other alternative other than the use of forest land. Hence this proposal is being submitted for approval under section 2 (ii) of F. C. Act, 1980</p>
11	Whether the proposal involves any violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980? If yes, a detail report on violation including action taken against the concerned officials to be attached	No violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.
12	Whether the proposal involves rehabitaions of displaced person, If yes, whether rehabitaions plan has approved by the State Govt.?	No involves rehabitaions of displaced person
13	Details of catchment and culturabale command area under the project (If applicable) Status of catchment area treatment plan to prevent siltation of reservoir (If applicable)	Not applicable. Not applicable.
14	Utility of Project	To provide network, there is need network of Towers connected by OFC duct & cable, For laying of underground the OFC duct & cable within Right of Way of road, where the maximum area will be covered for mobile network and also easy maintain for long period. This project is useful to

		rural peoples /Offices far away from the developed urban area.
15	Whether land being diverted has any socio-cultural/ religious values? Whether any scared grove or very old growth tree/ forests exist in the areas proposed for diversion	No. No.
16	Any other importance information related to the project (separate note may be attached, (If required)	Project authority submits that, cost of C.A. may not be levied in this proposal as the proposed laying of OFC cable within RoW of existing road passing outside National Park & WL. Sanctuary area & no need to cutting of trees, which fulfil the conditions given in MoEF guideline vide letter no FC-11 /165/2019- FC, Dt. 27 th . July 2020
17	Details of documents and photographs enclosed	1) Permission from PWD Authorities. 2) Authority letter 3) Photographs of proposed area.
18	Recommendation of the Inspecting Officer.	The proposal is recommended for acceptance & may not be levied cost of C.A.in this proposal. the proposed work will be useful to rural peoples /Offices far away from the developed urban area.

Place - Pune

Date- 6 /10 /2022

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