## **Site Inspection Report**

Inspected the site on 14.08.2021 along with Divisional Forest Officer, Ranni, Range Forest Officer, Goodrical and Assistant Executive Engineer, Kerala Water Authority. The site is located at Pampa which is proposed for diversion under FC Act and is uploaded in Parivesh portal by the Assistant Executive Engineer, Kerala Water Authority (PH subdivision ), Ranni. The proposal is for diversion of 0.07 Ha of forest land at Pampa for constructing 10 lakh litres capacity overhead service reservoir. The site lies in Konni reserve under Plappally Forest Station in Goodrical Range of Ranni Forest Division. The site is located adjacent to the area leased for KSRTC Bus Station. The site at present has heaps of sand debris which is removed from Pampa river by the District Disaster Management Authority. The proposed site is devoid of any tree growth and the surrounding area is semi evergreen forest. On verification with field the requirement of land is bare minimum and no other alternate options are available. The area does not have any rare/endangered/threatened species of flora and fauna found in the area. The requirement of forest land for present use by the user agency is unavoidable and bare minimum. Hence the proposal can be considered positively. Hence the project is recommended.



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