


SITE INSPECTION REPORT

This is to certify that I have inspected the forest area proposed for diversion for Doubling of Yelahanka-Penukonda Section-Formation of Railway line traversing through S.S. Ghati 'B' Block State Forest of Doddaballapura Taluk, Bangalore Rural District. The proposed area comprises of following areas, i.e., Hadonahalli Sy.No. 113, Kelaginayakanahalli Sy. No. 6 and Thirumagondanahalli Sy No. 41 & 204. The total area proposed for diversion is 3.5062 hectares. I have visited the proposed forest area on 17-10-2016 along with ACF. The Forest area in which doubling of Broad Gauge line is proposed runs through Dry deciduous forest with undulating rocky terrain. There are few trees of *Eucalyptus* hybrid, *Cassia siamea*, *Acacia catechu*, *Acacia leucophloea*, *Azadirachta indica* etc., scattered in the proposed site. No protected archeological/heritage site/defense establishment or any other important monuments are located in the site. No endangered flora and fauna is found in the proposed site. There is no violation of the act is carried out. The proposal for diversion is recommended for approval as the requirement is unavoidable, barest minimum and the project is also helpful for improving transportation and reduced travel time between Penukonda and Yelahanka.


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