

Enclosure 2

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For the proposal for Diversion of Forest Lands for non-Forestry purpose under the Forest Conservation Act, 1980 for
Linear Projects: Railway/UG Gas Pipeline/Water Pipeline/Optical Fibre/Electricity Lines etc.

State S. No. of Project:				
Date of receipt in NO-PCCF's office:				
Name of the Project:		"Execution of National Optical Fiber Network (NOFN) Project. Vishakapatnam District, Andhra Pradesh State."		
Area proposed for diversion, in Ha:		2.9 Ha		
Name of the Forest Division:		NARSIPATNAM		
Whether area proposed falling in WLS / NP / ESZ / Biosphere Reserve or WL Corridor?		No		
Whether situated in Scheduled Area		No		
S. No.	Name of Document/Information	Provided or Not (Yes/No)	Page No.	Remarks
A	PART-I			
1	Main application Form from Part-I to V with all its col- umns duly filled up and signed by the competent authority with date, place and their official seal.	Yes	1-8	
2	Detailed note on the project.	Yes	18	
3	Full Justification for locating the project in forest area (un-avoidance of the forest area for the purpose)	Yes	17	
4	Certificate for minimum use of forest land giving details of the alternatives examined and reasons for their rejection.	Yes	22	
5	Map of the project site forest area demanded on original Survey of India topo-sheet in 1:50000 or any other suit- able scale; clearly showing forest boundaries and adjoining areas with their land use in distinct colors.	Yes	41-51	
6	Index Map, if the area is very small, showing forest boundaries and a location map on a larger scale with land use of the area required.	Yes	41-51	
7	Geo-referenced digital data (e00 format, Geographic co-ordinate system WGS 84 datum, readings up to 8 decimal places in degrees) of the boundary/ies of the proposed FL for diversion in Shape file (Soft copy in a DVD along with RAW & post-processed data) and digital map in hard copy duly authenticated by competent authority. *The survey shall be performed using DGPS in real-time or post-processed mode. However the survey may be performed using TS in GPS shadow areas, and data shall be duly geo-referenced using GCPs collected by dual frequency DGPS receivers.	Yes	29-40	
8	Make & Model of the DGPS equipment used, Names of the Agency/persons involved in the DGPS survey, period of survey, name of the authenticating agency for the accuracy of the survey.	Yes	27	
9	Linear map or a diagrammatic map of the project site.	Yes		
10	Statement showing the details of forest area involved i.e. Division, Range, Beat, Forest Block & Compartment No. wise.	Yes	26	
11	Item wise breakup of the forest area proposed for di- version, if any.	Yes	26	
12	Cost Benefit (CB) analysis in prescribed format, where- ever required.(For projects involving area of >20 Ha in plains & >5 Ha in hills)	NA		

13	Status of clearance under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 & Rules 2006; wherever required.	No		
14	Detailed scheme for rehabilitation of project affected persons, wherever required.	No		
15	Minimum distance of the proposed site from Wildlife Sanctuary and/or National Park, if any.	No		
16	To show the existing Water body / Water channel or road, which should be identifiable.	No		
17	To show the newly proposed bridge /culvert / under- ground pass / tunnel etc. to be identify clearly.	No		
18	To enclose the cross section Plan / Map indicating dimension of (Length / Width / Height /depth etc) clearly.	Yes	28	
19	Undertaking to pay the Net Present Value (NPV), Addl. NPV of the forest land involved.	Yes	20	
20	Undertaking to pay the Extraction Charges of the trees to be removed from the forest land involved.	Yes	23	
21	Details of equivalent non-forest land identified for Compensatory Afforestation viz. Survey No., Village, Tahsil /Mandal, District etc. along with map in SOI Topo-sheet in 1:50000 or appropriate scale along with the boundaries of adjoining forest area.	NA		
22	Geo-referenced digital data of CA land (e00 format, Geographic co-ordinate system WGS 84 datum, read- ings up to 8 decimal places in degrees) of the boundary/ ies of the proposed FL for diversion in Shape file (Soft copy in a DVD along with RAW & post-processed data) and digital map in hard copy duly authenticated by competent authority. * The survey shall be performed using DGPS in real-time or post-processed mode. However the survey may be performed using TS in GPS shadow areas, and data shall be duly geo-referenced using GCPs collected by dual frequency DGPS receivers.	NA		
23	Make & Model of the DGPS equipment used, Name/s of the Agency/persons involved in the DGPS survey, period of survey, name of the authenticating agency for the accuracy of the survey.	Yes	27	
24	Certificates a, c, d, g & h under RoFR Act; where Primi- tive Tribal Groups (PTG) & Pre-Agricultural Commu- nities (PAC) are involved in the proposed FL.	NA		
B	Part II			
1	Enumeration list of trees (species and girth class wise) along with Abstract.			
2	Site inspection report, along with photographs, of the forest area involved in the project in prescribed format.			
3	Impact of proposed project on the flora & fauna in the adjoining forests.			
4	Impact of proposed project on the ecology, specially soil erosion in and around the proposed area for mining.			
5	Mitigative measures to prevent loss to flora, fauna & soil erosion in & around the proposed area for the project.			
6	Detailed scheme for Compensatory Afforestation on identified non-forest area/degraded forest area at present wage rates duly signed by DFO and counter signed by the CF concerned.			
7	Certificate from the DFO that non-forest land selected for compensatory afforestation is in a compact block and contiguous to forest area or in close proximity of forest area and suitable from the management and protection point of view.			

8	Soil Suitability Certificate from Divisional Forest Officer that the area identified for compensatory Afforestation is suitable for raising plantation.			
9	Calculation Sheet for arriving at NPV of the proposed area for diversion.			
10	Certificate that no work has been carried out in violation of the FC- & WL act.			
a	If violated, circumstances leading to violation, date of commencement of work, quantity			
b	Details of disciplinary action initiated or proposed to be initiated against the concerned staff for violation of the provisions of the Act.			
c	Names of the persons of the User Agency for violation & details of the report submitted.			
11	Specific Recommendation of the DFO.			
C	PART III (To be filled in by the CF)			
1	Site inspection report , along with photographs, of the forest area involved in the project in prescribed format, when the area is more than 40 Ha in extent.			
2	Specific Recommendation of the CF.			
3	Any other information/documents attached or conditions stipulated.			



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