

PART – II

(To be filled by the concerned Deputy Conservator of Forests)

State Serial No. of proposal _____

7	Location of the Project/Scheme	:	Diversion of 0.78 ha of Forest land for providing BT to existing WBM road from Nunaparathi to Nadimpalli of Atchutapuram Mandal, in Ravada RF in Compartment no.574 of Visakhapatnam by Executive Engineer, (PR) PIU Division, Visakhapatnam.
i)	State/Union Territory	:	Andhra Pradesh
ii)	District	:	Visakhapatnam
iii)	Forest Division	:	Visakhapatnam Division, Visakhapatnam.
iv)	Area of forest land proposed for diversion (in Ha.)	:	0.78 Ha.
v)	Legal status of forest	:	Ravada RF Notified U/s-4 of A.P. Forest Act,1967 (Act.1 of 1967) dt:22-01-1970.
vi)	Density of vegetation	:	0.20 (Eco-class –III) Southern Tropical Dry Deciduous Forests (Open Forest type).
vii)	Species wise (scientific names) and diameter class-wise enumeration of tree (to be enclosed. In case of Irrigation/Hydel projects enumeration at FRL, FRL-2 meter & FRL-4 meter also to be enclosed	:	---Nil---
viii)	Brief note on vulnerability of the forest area to erosion	:	No significant effect on soil erosion due to diversion of Forest Land for this Project.
ix)	Approximate distance of proposed site for diversion from boundary of forest	:	The proposed area is falling in Compt.no.574 of Ravada RF Pendurthi section of Visakhapatnam Range / Visakhapatnam Division.
x)	Whether forms part of National Park, Wildlife sanctuary, biosphere reserve tiger reserve, elephant corridor, etc., (If so, the details of the area and comments of the Chief Wild Life Warden to be annexed).	:	The area applied does not form part of Wildlife Sanctuary / National park, Biosphere reserve, Tiger Reserve, Elephant Corridor, Eco-sensitive zone etc.
xi)	Whether any rare/endangered /unique species of flora and fauna found in the area if so details thereof.	:	No rare/endangered/ unique endemic species of flora and fauna are found in the area.

xii)	Whether any protected archaeological/ heritage site /defense establishment or any other important monuments is located in the area. If so, the details thereof with NOC from competent authority, if required.	:	No archaeological/ Heritage site / defense establishment or any other important monument is located in the area.
8.	Whether the requirement forest land as proposed by the user agency in Col.2 of Part-1 is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project. If so, recommended area item wise with details of alternatives examined.	:	Yes. The requirement of the Forest Land as proposed by the user agency in Column No.2 of part – 1 is the barest minimum.
9	Whether any work in violation of the Act has been carried out (Yes/No), if yes, details of the same including period of work done, action taken on erring officials. Whether work in violation is still in progress.	:	The Villagers are using the fringe area gravel path for their regular commuting but the User Agency did not violate Forest Act.
10	Details of Compensatory Afforestation scheme.	:	
i)	Details of degraded forest area identified for compensatory Afforestation, its distance from adjoining forest, number of patches, size of each patch.	:	Not applicable
ii)	Map showing non-forest/degraded forest area identified for Compensatory Afforestation and adjoining forest boundaries.	:	Not applicable
iii)	Detailed Compensatory Afforestation scheme including species to be planted, implementing agency, time schedule, cost structure etc.,	:	As per the GOI, MoEF (FC Division) F.no. F.no.11-9/98-FC, dt:16-06-2011 no compensatory afforestation in lieu of the forest land diverted in accordance with the with the said general approval shall be insisted upon.
iv)	Total financial outlay for compensatory Afforestation scheme.	:	Does not arise
v)	Certificates from competent authority regarding suitability of area identified for Compensatory Afforestation and from management point of view. (To be signed by the concerned Deputy Conservator of Forests).	:	Enclosed.

11	Site inspection report of the Deputy Conservator of Forests (To be enclosed) especially highlighting facts asked in Col.7 (xi,xii) 8 and 9 above.	:	Inspected on 03.10.2017 and the site inspection report is enclosed.
12	Division / District Profile	:	Visakhapatnam Dist. / Visakhapatnam Forest Division.
i)	Geographical area of the Division	:	3,72,000 Ha.
ii)	Forest area of the Division	:	1,31,421 Ha.
iii)	Total Forest area diverted since 1980 with number of cases	:	162.165 Ha. 12 cases
iv)	Total Compensatory Afforestation stipulated in the district / division since 1980 on	:	
	a) Forest Land including penal	:	34.81 Ha.
	b) Non-forest land	:	469 Ha.
v)	Progress of Compensatory Afforestation	:	
	a) Forest Land	:	44.31 Ha.
	b) Non-Forest Land	:	469 ha
13	Specific recommendations of the DCF for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with reasons.	:	Recommended for diversion of the area for road as it is the felt need of the Villagers.

Signature

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