

**PART - II**

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

State serial No. of proposal.....

**7 Location of the project/Scheme :**

(i)	State/Union Territory.	:	Bihar
(ii)	District	:	Banka
(iii)	Forest Division.	:	Banka Forest Division, Banka
(iv)	Area of Forest Land Proposed for Diversion (in ha.)	:	0.1239 hectares.
(v)	Legal Status of Forest	:	The Proposed project area is passing through SH-19 Bhagalpur-Hansdiha road which has been notified as Protected Forest for management, Government of Bihar through vide Notification No. 921E dated 28.08.1997 <b>(Notification annexed As annexure I)</b>
(vi)	Density of vegetation.	:	0.1
(vii)	Species-wise (Scientific names) and diameter class-wise enumeration of trees (to be enclosed. In case of irrigation/ hydel projects enumeration at FRL-1, FRL-2 meter & FRL-4 meter also to be enclosed.)	:	No tree was found in the proposed site. (Annexed as Annexure ii)
(viii)	Brief note on vulnerability of the forest area to erosion.	:	Generally the project area is vulnerable to medium soil erosion due to intrinsic geological features of the substrate during rainy season.
(ix)	Approximate distance of proposed site for diversion from boundary of forest.	:	The proposed project area is passing through protected Forest area SH-19 Bhagalpur-Hansdiha road which has been notified as Protected Forest The proposed site is approximately 12 Km adjacent to forest boundary of Kaswa Mandar protected forest.
(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 Wildlife Warden to be annexed).	:	No, The proposed project area is only notified Protected and not forms part of any National Park, Wildlife Sanctuary, Biosphere Reserve, Tiger Reserve, Elephant Corridor etc.
(xi)	Whether any rare/ endangered/ unique species of flora and fauna found in the area - If so, the details thereof.	:	Animals like jackal, hair, Common Langur etc found in the nearest forest areas. The undersigned is of opinion that the instant proposed project will no way affect the distribution or movement of any wild animal found in the area where it is found.

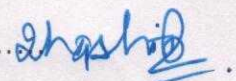


(xii)	Whether any protected archeological/ heritage site/ defence establishment or any other important monument is located in the area. If so, the details thereof with NOC from competent authority, if required.	:	As per my knowledge, the enquiry report of the Forest official and information provided user agency there is no record of any protected archeological/heritage site/defense establishment or any other important monument located in the area of the proposed project.
8	Whether the requirement of forest lands as proposed by the user agency in Col. No.2 of Part 1 is unavoidable and barest minimum of the Project. If no, recommended area item-wise with details of alternatives examined.	:	The requirement of forest land as proposed by the user agency is unavoidable and barest minimum of the Project. Actual area involved in the project is 0.1239 ha.
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 User agency has not violated the prescribed provisions of the Act.
10	Details of Compensatory afforestation scheme.		50 iron gabion plantations in the form of Green belt will be done in the SH 25 road from Bharko petrol pump to Bharko high school (Englishmore-Shambhuganj road).
	i Details of non forest area/ degraded forest area identified for compensation.		
	ii Map showing Non-Forest/degraded Forest area identified for compensation.		Map not applicable
	iii Details compensatory afforestation scheme including species to be planted, implementing agency. time schedule, cost structure, etc.		Model Scheme Attached-Annexure-III. The species to be planted will be guided by the local soil factor. The proposed Green belt-Iron gabion plantation will be implemented by Banka Forest Division. The time schedule depends on the final approval (stage II) of this project.
	iv Total Financial outlay for compensatory afforestation scheme.		Rs. 5,17,112.00 (Rs.Five lakh seventeen thousand one hundred and twelve only).
	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).		N.A
11	Site inspection report of the DCF specially highlighting facts asked in col. 7 (xi, xii), 8 and 9 above.		Attached- Annexure-IV
12	Division/District profile.		
	(i) Geographical area of the district.		301950 Ha.
	(ii) Forest area of the district.		Forest area-42442.77 Ha, Road declared as P.F-527.37 km
	(iii) Total Forest area diverted since 1980 with number of cases.		291.3785 Ha in 12 proposals
	(iv) Total compensatory afforestation stipulated in the district/ division since 1980 on (a) Forest land including penal compensatory afforestation.		Total compensatory afforestation in the Division since 1980 :- On Forest land Block plantation = 703.196 Ha. Iron gabion plantation = 1110 no. On non forest=Nil.



	(b) Non-Forest land	-
	(v) Progress of afforestation as on (31.07.2018) (a) Forest land	91.4 ha completion work in going on (2018-19). Remaining areas-Compensatory afforestation works were completed and maintenance work are going on.
	(b) Non-Forest land	Nil
13	Specific recommendations of the DCF for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with reasons.	<p>This is the bare minimum forest land require for the project. The amount realized from the user agency in the form of NPV shall be utilized for conservation, protection, and management of forest in this division. The green belt will be created through the amount realized from the user agency as Compensatory afforestation work and it will help in the increasing green cover.</p> <p>The proposed area involves diversion of 0.1239 ha in Banka Forest Division, Banka. This is the barest minimum of forest land required for the instant project and has no other laternative to bye-pass. Diversion of these forest land area for this project (non forestry activity) may not much affect the local flora of the area. The User Agency has not violated the prescribed provisions of the Act.</p> <p>In the light of the above mentioned facts, I recommend positively for the approval of this instant proposal. Therefore this instant proposal for diversion of forest land may be approved with necessary conditions and directions.</p>

Date : 20/12/2018  
Place : Banka

Signature... 

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