


**Specific Recommendation of DFO, Athgarh for Acceptance of the  
proposal with Reason**

The forest land over 4.495 ha proposed for diversion is essential for construction of 132 KV Single Circuit Power Transmission Line from 132/33 KV GIS, Sub-Station, Khuntuni OPTCL to MRSS (Main receiving sub-station) of M/s- Orissa Cement Plant (A unit of Shree Cement Ltd.) At-Chandrabalishyampur, Athgarh, Dist- Cuttack. This transmission line will supply power for running of the Cement Plant as well as water and other components of the projects. The back ground of this project is for production of PPC/ OPC & PAC Cements which will meet the public demands for construction works of buildings, roads & bridges as well as multifarious developmental activities both in Govt. & Private sectors in and out of the State. This project also provides for employment of various categories of technical and non-technical personnel's as well as periphery development of local people. However in view of enforcement of Forest Conservation Act, 1980, the Project Proposal over 4.495 ha. forest land is recommended for obtaining necessary approval from Government of India, MOEF & CC.

  
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