

SITE INSPECTION REPORT OF DFO, JHARSUGUDA

1	Name of the project	Proposal for diversion of 0.827 Ha forest land FOR MODIFICATION OF 132 KV Budhipadar-Jorabaga line from LOC/71 to 73 in Belpahar in favour of OPTCL, Jharsuguda due to MGR Railway line (OPGC-MGR)	
2	Name of the District/Division.	Jharsuguda/Jharsuguda Forest Division.	
3	Date of Inspection.	14.05.2021	
4	Name & Designation of inspecting officer.	Sri Lalit Kumar Patra, IFS, Divisional Forest Officer, Jharsuguda Forest Division.	
5	Name and Designation of the officers who attended the inspection including representative of user Agency.	(i) Sri Niraj Kumar Nayak, CM L & T (ii) Sri Anirban Chatterjee, AM L&T (iii) Sri Gouranga Sahu, Forester	
6	Legal Status of forest land with area proposed for diversion & Re-Diversion (Change of land use).	Forest Land	0.827 ha.
7	If area required for diversion has been demarcated on the ground.	The area has been demarcated on the ground.	
8	Item-wise breakup of the forest land proposed for Diversion.	The item wise break up of forest land proposed for diversion in Jharsuguda district is as follows.	
		Forest Land	0.827 ha.
9	Condition of vegetation & type of forest in applied area.	Open forest with canopy density below 40% (eco-Class-II) having species like tree species which are commonly noticed in the proposed area are Amba, Arjuna, Asana, Dimiri, Harida, Jam, Kadamb, Karanja, Mahaneem, Piasala, Sal, Simuli, Teak, Akasia, Babul, Bhada, Bheru, Chakunda, Char, Dhaura, Gambha, Kendu, Khaira, Kusum, Mahi, Neem, Palasa, Sanchakunda, Senl & Suanari etc	
10	Position of wild life in general.	Presence of wildlife already given in the proposal. Apart from the occasional movement of Elephants and Wild Boar are noticed.	
11	Whether the applied area is involved with any eco	Not falling any eco-sensitive zone, national park or sanctua within the applied area.	

	sensitive zone/national park/sanctuary .	
12	Nos of trees to be felled and its impact on the system.	Total 94 nos trees are standing within forest land of Row out which 27 nos need to be felled. The tree enumeration list enclosed in the proposal. There will be some negative impact due to felling of trees available on the proposed diversion of forest land, it can be compensated by taking Planting from the project cost of UA.
13	Details of broken up area and reclamation done if any	Nil
14	Position of displacement of people and adequacy of rehabilitation if any.	No displacement of people for this proposed.
15	Position of rare and endangered species available or importance of area eco social point of view.	Occasional movement of wild elephant is noticed.
16	Non forest land used in the project and non-forest land selected for compensatory afforestation is included in the DLC report or not.	Nil
17	Suitability of the identified non forest area compensatory afforestation.	Nil
18	Violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 if any and action taken there on.	No violation noticed under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980


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