


# **Widening and strengthening at Jhajha-Katoria-Banka-Panjwara Bihar-Jharkhand Border NH-333A**

## **SITE INSPECTION REPORT BY DCF**

Date of Field Inspection -26/06/2023

The proposed forest land for diversion lies on Jhajha-Katoria-Banka-Panjwara Bihar-Jharkhand Border NH-333A Road and notified as protected forest by Government of Bihar vide Notification No.-921 E Dt. 28th August 1997. The proposed forest area for diversion is 45.404 ha. As per enquiry report of forest officials and information provided by user agency, there is no record of any protected archeological/heritage site/defense establishment or any other important monument is located in the area. The number of trees that needs to be cut for the project is enclosed in Annexure-VIII. The user agency has not violated any prescribed provisions of the forest conservation Act and Indian Forest Act. This is the bare minimum forest required for the project and unavoidable.

  
Divisional Forest Officer,  
Banka Forest Division, Banka.