Annexure - 17

Site Inspection by the DFO / CF / CCF

Proposal No. : (FP/GJ/WATER/41796/2019)

Sr.	Particular	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·
no.		Inspection Report by DFO (T)
1	Extent in hectares	0.49 ha.
2	Location (Lat-Long) of the forest land proposed for Diversion	As per annexure - 32
3	Legal Status of the forest land (Protected forest, Reserved forest, Revenue forest land or any other forest land	RF (sec 20)
4	Demarcation of the area with temporary cairns etc.	Yes
5	Any signs of encroachment	No
6	Any activity already taken up within the forest land or adjoining on forest land as part of the proposed project by the user agency. Details of action taken against the user agency in case of violation of the FC Act and guidelines there under.	No activity is taken by the user agency.
7	Status of vegetation, site, quality, species composition etc.	As per annexure – 16
8	Importance of area from wildlife point of view, status of wildlife (dencity and abundance of important species, bird life reptiles, butterflies and other scheduled animals any endangered wildlife). Any latest census of wildlife in this area.	No
9	Endemism of flora / fauna of any other unique ecosystem in the area.	No
10	Current land use. Is this area managed as per prescriptions in the working plan and if not, why	Demanded area of Village: Mirzapur, Ta.Bhuj is under Environment Awareness Working Circle, Working plan period 2003- 04 to 2012-13 & Extention for 2013-14 & 2014-15
	Importance of the area from historical of religious point of view.	No
	Any department of persons proposed	No
	Any displacement of persons proposed	N/A
14	Is there any Rehabilitation and Resettlement plan for the person to be affected? Is there any dissenting	N/A
15	Compensatory afforestation proposed is on forest land or non – forest land. Location of this area, suitability of the area for CA. If in the degraded forest land then what is the current working plan prescription for the area? Distance of the non-forest land for CA from the nearest forest area. Number of patches in case the area should be more than 10 km.	Compensatory afforestation proposed is on <u>degraded Reserved-</u> <u>Forest land.</u> Location of the area is as per annexure – 18, suitability of the area for CA. is as per annexure – 21
	Proposal area should not be part of any Protected area. Also distance from the boundary of the nearest protected area should be more than 10 km.	As per annexure - 25

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17	Dependence of tribal in the area, Whether the rights of the tribal have been recognized in this area.	No
18	Utility of the project, including the people living in closed vicinity of the project.	There is no settlement near the project. So these issue do not apply
19	In case of renewal whether all the conditions stipulated N/A in the earlier sanction order have been complied with.	N / A (this is fresh proposal)
20	Alternatives examined by the user agency in case of non – site specific projects.	No
21	A certificate by the user agency that the forest land requested for diversion for non – forestry purpose is bare minimum.	Enclosed as Annexure - 10
22	Any scope of saving tree growth while ensuring that the purpose for which the forest land is being diverted is also not adversely affected.	Yes, not adversely affected
23	Any other issued of significance	No
24	Specific recommendation of the DFO with reason for approval of the project.	 Recommendation for Diversion of 0.49 ha. forest land This project will be fulfilling the need of the people of Bhuj city and solve their water issue. As per detailed note on the project (Anne 4)

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