

SITE INSPECTION REPORT

Proposal No. FP/OR/RAIL/154542/2022

1	Name of the Project	Forest Diversion proposal for construction of doubling in between Bhalumaska - Singapur road section in connection with Koraput - Singapur road Railway doubling project.
2	Name of the District/ Division	RAYAGADA / RAYAGADA
3	Date/ dates of inspection	30.09.2023
4	Name & Designation of the Inspecting Officer	Sri S. Anand, IFS DFO, Rayagada Forest Division.
5	Name & Designation of other Officers who attend the inspection including a representative of User Agency	1. Sri Ashok Kumar Pradhan, ACF, Rayagada 2. Sri Chandan Gamango, RO, K.Singpur. 3. Sri P.K.Jena, Forester, Forester, Sikarpai Section 4. Sri E.v. Gurunadh Rao, AXEN, Const. E.Co.Railway 5. Sri Daseri Prem Kumar, JE, E.Co.Railway. 6. Sri Surojit Maiti, Regional Manager, BBSR
6	Legal Status of forest land with area proposed of diversion	Reserve Forest - 28.512 Ha. Revenue Forest - 1.288 Ha. <u>DLC Forest</u> -- 3.352 Ha. Total - 33.152 Ha.
7	If area required for diversion has been demarcated on the ground	Yes, Demarcated in the ground.
8	Item wise breakup of the forest land proposed for diversion.	The applied area is coming under... Reserve Forest - 28.512 Ha. Revenue Forest - 1.288 Ha. <u>DLC Forest</u> -- 3.352 Ha. Total - 33.152 Ha.
9	Condition of vegetation and type of forest in applied area	The vegetation is basically mixed with other miscellaneous species. The density is less than 0.4, Eco-Class-III.
10	Position of wildlife in general	Wild boar, Jackal, Hyena, Macaques and within Zone of impact movement of elephants are observed.
11	Whether the applied area is involved with any eco-sensitive zone/ National Part/ Sanctuary	No
12	Number of trees to be felled and its impact on the eco-system	2855 nos. of trees in Forest land and 803 nos. of trees in non Forest land are required to be felled. The felling of trees will not have much impact on the eco-system.


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13	Details of broken up area and reclamation done if any (Mining cases)	Not applicable
14	Position of displacement of people & adequacy of rehabilitation if any	No
15	Position of rare & endangered species available and importance of area from eco-social point of view	Barking deer and Elephant.
16	Area selected for Diversion if including in DLC report or not.	Out of 33.152 Ha. Only 3.352 Ha. of land is included in DLC report.
17	Suitability of the identified non-forest land/ degraded forest land for Compensatory Afforestation	Enclosed Separately.
18	Violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 if any and action thereon.	NO


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