

Diversion of 0.0137 ha of forest land for approach road to proposed retail outlet (IOCL) at Batala (WML) on batala-Qadian road, Tehsil Batala District Gurdaspur. (Proposal No.FP/PB/Approach/44853/2020).

Date of Proposal :- \_\_\_\_\_

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SITE INSPECTION REPORT NOT BELOW THE RANK OF DCF/DFO

(For the Forest land to be diverted under FCA)

A proposal has been received by this office from **Indian Oil Corporation Ltd.** for diversion (under FCA-1980) of **0.0137 ha** of forest land for non-forestry purpose. The subject envisages the use of forest land road for setting up a new retail Outlet on **Batala (WML) on batala-Qadian road, Tehsil Batala District Gurdaspur.** The site inspection of the land involved in the proposal has been done by me on dated **16/12/20**

2 On inspection of the site, it is found that the land required by the user agency is a forest area measuring **0.0137 ha.**

3 The requirement of forest land as proposed by the user agency in Col. 2 of part-I is unavoidable and is barest minimum required for the project.

4 Whether any rare/ endangered/ unique species of flora and fauna found in the area. If so, the details thereof.

5 Whether any protected archaeological/ heritage site/ defence establishment or any other important monument is located in the area. If so, the details thereof with NOC from the competent authority.

6 (a) **The user agency has not violated the provisions of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and work has not started without proper sanction.**

(b) It has been found that the user agency has violated the provisions of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 Indian Forest Act, 1927/ any other forest Act. A detailed report as per para 1.9 of Chapter 1, Part C of Hand-book of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 is attached).

(Note: Whichever of the above is applicable should be shown in bold letters)

Specific recommendation for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal.

**Recommended for Approval.**

Place : Gurdaspur

Date: **17/12/2020**

(Signature)  
Name : **Jarnail Singh**  
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