

## Checklist-09

### Justification Regarding Project Locating Forest Land

National Highway Authority of India has taken up the development of various National Highways under NHDP-IVB in the state of Uttar Pradesh comprising of Tanda- Raebareilly stretch. The Akbarpur Bypass has been proposed considering the traffic requirements, avoiding the demolition of road side buildings and traffic congestion in Akbarpur City along with improvement of geometry of the section to avoid accidents and to provide a safe highway. The bypass crosses four State Highways namely Akbarpur-Baskhari, Akbarpur-Shahganj, Faizabad-Azamgarh and Jaunpur-Akbarpur, which cannot be avoided. These roads come under category of Protected Forest with Roadside Plantations. The felling of trees are required for construction of Akbarpur Bypass with configuration of 2-lane with Paved Shoulder.

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