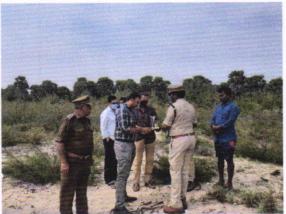
Inspection notes of the Divisional Forest Officer, Visakhapatnam on the proposed Diversion of 0.1511 ha of Forest Land for laying pipeline and Construction of pump house to draw sea water from Bay of Bengal to DSR Biotech Hatcheries through the Forest Area in Compt. no. 969, Pentakota Shelterbelt Forest Block of Yellamanchili Range of Visakhapatnam Division in favour of M/s DSR Biotech Hatcheries, East Godavari District on 19.02.2021.

Inspected the proposed pipeline from Bay of Bengal to DSR Biotech Hatcheries through forest area to establish Shrimp Hatchery along with Forest Range Officer, Yellamanchili and Managing Partner, M/s DSR Biotech Hatcheries, East Godavari District on 17.03.2020. As per the DGPS Survey the proposed underground pipeline starts GPS readings N: 17.301303 E:82.629298 and ends at N:17.302065 E:82.628828. The underground pipeline length is 500 mtrs and width is 3.00 mtrs with in Pentakota Shelterbelt Forest Block is passing through Compt. no. 969 of Yellamanchili Range with an area of 0.1511 ha. The density of the forests on the proposed area is 0.1 – 0.4. (Ecoclass – III) Beach Forest (scrub). The following trees are falling along the width of the underground pipeline proposed as per enumeration.

SI. no.	Local name of Tree	Number of Plants
1	2	3
1	Casuarina	50
	Total	50





The proposed pipeline is very essential for their hatchery for drawing sea water to Shrimp hatchery. There is no violation of work taken place. The required forest area is unavoidable. The proposal is recommended with following certain conditions in the interest of forest and wildlife conservation.

- Display board at starting and ending point showing details of forest land involved in diversion and clearly mentioning the status of land as "Forest land".
- All the material required for pipeline work shall be brought from outside and no material shall be collected from Reserve forest or reserve land.
- 3. All DGPS surveyed points shall be clearly demarcated on the field and proposed alignment shall be followed.
- 4. Underground pipeline have to be covered properly and it should not be visible from outside.
- 5. The effluents shall be discharged after proper treatment as per approval by the competent authority.

6. In any case treated effluents shall not be released into forest area.

Necessary safe guards to be there in case of any accident or spill over.

DISTRICT FOREST OFFICER
VISAKHAPATNAM