

**Subject:-**Diversion of 8.4 Ha. Of Road side Protected Forest land for Widening & Strengthening of Talala to Ankolvadi road SH-98 between km. 69/000 to 53/000 in Talala taluka of Gir-Somnath District in Gujarat State.

**(Proposal No.:- FP/GJ/ROAD/152422/2022)**

**PART – II**

**(To be filled by the concerned Deputy Conservator of Forests)**

7	Location of the Project / Scheme:- Talala-Ankolwadi Road Side Protected Forest.	
I)	State / Union Territory	: Gujarat
ii)	District	: Girsomnath
iii)	Forest Division	: Social Forestry Division, Girsomnath
iv)	Area of forest land proposed for diversion (in ha)	: 8.4 Ha.
v)	Legal status of forest	: Road Side Protected forest
vi)	Density of Vegetation	: 20.35% Scattered Road side plantation.
vii)	Species wise (Scientific names) and diameter class wise enumeration of trees (to be enclosed. In case of irrigation/hydel projects enumeration at FRL...1 FRL...2 meter and FRL– 4 meters also to be enclosed.)	: Total 171 trees will be cut during the Widening & Strengthening of Talala-Ankolwadi SH-98 Road diversion areas. (Attached Annexure -16 with Species Name and Girth)
viii)	Brief note on vulnerability of the forest area to erosion.	: Area is not Vulnerable to erosion.
ix)	Approximate distance of proposed site for diversion from boundary of forest.	: The proposed site for diversion is the Road side Protected Forest Area. It is located within a radius of 10 km from the outer boundary of Gir Wildlife Century Park. The User agency Proposed area is 3.0 km (approximately) (using GPS technology) away from the nearest area to the Gir Wildlife Sanctuary. (The Deputy Conservator of Forest Gir West Division-Junagadh has provided a map showing the location of the sanctuary area and the area in demand, which is attached herewith.)
x)	Whether forms part of National Park, wildlife sanctuary, biosphere reserve, tiger reserve, elephant corridor, etc. (I so, the details of the area and comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden to be annexed)	: -----No-----
xi)	Whether any rare / endangered / unique species of flora and fauna found in the area – if so, details thereof.	: -----No-----

xii)	Whether any protected archaeological/ heritage site/defense establishment or any other important monument is located in the area. If so, the details thereof with NOC from competent authority, if required.	:	-----No-----
8	Whether the requirement of forest land as proposed by the user agency in col. 2 of Part I is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project. If no, recommended area item wise with details of alternatives examined.	:	-----Yes-----
9	Whether any work in violation of the Act has been carried out (Yes /No). If yes, details of the same including period of work done, action taken on erring officials. Whether work in violation is still in progress	:	-----No-----
10	Details of compensatory afforestation scheme	:	-----Attached Annexure-18-----
i)	Details of non-forest area/ degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation, its distance from adjoining forest, number of patches, size of each patch	:	----- <b>Attached Annexure-19</b> ----- Compensatory Afforestation as Below Village:-Chumpani Ta:-Halvad District:- Morbi Total Area 17.00 Ha Survey No.12/11 pt.
ii)	Map showing non-forest / degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation and adjoining forest boundaries.	:	-----Attached Annexure-19-----
iii)	Details compensatory afforestation scheme including species to be planted, implementing agency, time schedule, cost structure etc.	:	-----Attached Annexure-18-----
iv)	Total financial outlay for compensatory afforestation scheme	:	Rs.98,11,584/- Total financial outlay of C.A.
v)	Certificates from competent authority regarding suitability of area identified for compensatory afforestation and from management point of view (To be signed by the concerned Deputy Conservator of Forests)	:	-----Attached Annexure-21-----
11	Site inspection report of the DCF (to be enclosed) especially highlighting facts asked in col. 7 (xi, xii), 8 and 9 above.	:	-----Attached Annexure-17-----
12	Division / District profile	:	Gir-Somnath SF
i)	Geographical area of the district	:	8782.10 Sq. Km.
ii)	Forest area of the district	:	932.72 Ha
iii)	Total forest area diverted since 1980 with number of cases.	:	Number of 52 cases and 377.11337Ha.



iv)	Total compensatory afforestation stipulated in the district / division since 1980 on forest land including penal compensatory afforestation b) non – forest land	:	75.215 Ha.  Non-Forest Land 0.00 Ha
v)	Progress of the compensatory afforestation as on (date) <u>15 APR 2022</u> a) forest land b) non – forest land	:	75.215 Ha.  0.00 Ha.
13	Specific recommendation of the DCF for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with reasons.	:	User Agency Shall use 8.4 Ha. Protected Forest Land Which is minimum PF Land. Hence Recommended to Accept this Proposal.

Date: - 15 APR 2022  
Place:-Girsomnath(Veraval)

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