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No :A4/GFL/WSSLI/MDG/0.8311Ha/CR-05/2021-22

Date:15-09-2021

SITE INSPECTION REPORT

Subject: Diversion of 0.8311 Ha. of Forest land for Construction of Raising & Main
gravity pipeline, Storage and Distributor Tank, for providing drinking water and recharging ground water to fill 20 tanks in Shirahatti Taluk, Gadag Dist under Shirahatti lift irrigation scheme in favour of the EE, SLI Division, KNNL Mundaragi.

Proposal No.FP/KA/WATER/46525/2020.

Certified that on 14.09.2021, I have inspected the proposed locations for diversion of forest land in Shirahatti Taluk of Gadag District which are : (1) Alagilawad Forest Sy No: 26 (2) Nadigatti Forest Sy No: 54 (3) Itagi Forest Sy.Nos: 199, 189, 187, 186, 185, 191, 198, 211, 212, 214, 188 (4) Tangoda Forest Sy No: 22 (5) Devihal Forest Sy No:168, 32, 50, 49, 48, 12 (6) Chabbi Forest Sy Nos: 349, 348, 347, 19, 20 (7) Majjur Forest Sy Nos: 10,11,20 (8) Bellatti Forest Sy Nos: 69,71 (9) Hosur Forest Sy No:7

These locations were proposed for laying of main gravity pipeline and one number of distributor tank, to provide for drinking water and recharging ground water by filling 20 tanks in Shirahatti Taluk, Gadag Dist under Shirahatti lift irrigation scheme, as submitted by the User Agency.

Proposed area for diversion is all along an already existing road which is without any tree cover. The surrounding area of forests have sparse tree growth as the ecosystem is primarily grassland ecosystem. There is no standing tree growth anywhere in the area proposed for diversion.

The area although falling within the proposed Eco Sensitive Zone of Kappathagudda Wildlife Sanctuary has no direct effect on the wildlife as it is along the already existing road and underground. The pipeline once laid in the forest land, the land can be restored to its original state and can be used for inspection paths and firelines.

No protected archeological/ heritage site/defence establishment or any other important monuments are located in the proposed area. There is no violation of Forest Conservation Act, 1980, in the proposed area.

Deputy (ervator of Forests, Gadag Division, Gadag.

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