

#### Government of Bihar

## Divisional Forest Office

#### Saran Forest Division Chapra, Bihar-841 301

#### Site inspection report of the Deputy Conservator of Forest

- The area proposed for forest clearance (road side PF) Has 0.2 density vegetation and the area proposed by the user agency is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project hence clearance under Forest Conservation Act, 1980 may be granted to the user agency.
- The nearest sanctuary i.e. the Bareilla Salim Ali bird sanctuary (Vaishali district) is situated about 100 kilometres from the proposed Road.
- 3. All the maps/enumeration list etc. has been duly countersigned and enclosed.
- Distance from the nearest P.F land: "the land along the proposed road is itself declared as protected forest".

Divisional Forest Officer Saran Forest Division Chhapra.

## 11. Site inspection report of the DCF

Date of inspection: 28.08.2020

The proposed City Gas Distribution Project of IOCLlies in the side of theroadplying from NH- 19 (Chapra-Patna Highway) Proposed Natural Gas Pipeline From Hajipur Gandak River Bridge to Jadhua, SH- 74 (To Lalganj) Proposed Natural Gas Pipeline From Hajrat Anjanpeer to Chak Bhoj urf Sahabuddin, NH- 77 (To Sarai) Proposed Natural Gas Pipeline From Vastu Vihar, Hajipur to Dighi Mod Bus Stop, SH- 93 (Mahnar Road) Proposed Natural Gas Pipeline From Jadhua To Mayli, Block Valve (2m x 2m) at 10 locations Road. The proposed Forest area which is required to be used as letter no. FC 106, dtd.- 19.03.2013 of Chief Conservator of Forest-cum-Nodal Officer (Forest Conservation), Bihar is 0.2213 Ha. The proposed area is a part of P.F. (notification no.- 189E/190E dated – 16.02.1994). There are 59 (Fifty Nine) treespresent on the site i.e. on the proposed land to be used as road for Gas Pipe Line Laying of City Gas Distribution Project. As per the observation made on the field and the facts stated above, the total land of the road side P.F. proposed for diversion for laying Gas Pipe Line of the City Gas Distribution Project is 0.2213 ha.

GPS Reading: N 25'42.2079 N 25'40.2178

E 85"13.116 E 85"17.354

N 25'41.5958 N 25'42.209

E 85"11.4901 E 85"12.2163

There is no rare/ endangered/ unique species of flora & fauna found in the area, neither any archaeological site is present near the proposed site.

The user agency has not done any construction on the proposed site.

# (v) Certificate of suitability of area for compensatory afforestation

The area is suitable for plantation and is manageable.

Divisional Forest Officer, Vaishali Forest division, Hajipur