

PART-II

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

7.	Location of the Project / Scheme	:													
(i)	State/Union Territory	:	Andhra Pradesh												
(ii)	District	:	Chittoor												
(iii)	Forest Division	:	Chittoor West												
(iv)	Area of forest land proposed for Diversion (in Ha.)	:	Basavapalli RF - 4.82 Ha. For <table border="1"><tr><td>Mining & dumping</td><td>:</td><td>3.70 Ha</td></tr><tr><td>Safety Zone</td><td>:</td><td>0.80 Ha</td></tr><tr><td>Road formation</td><td>:</td><td>0.32 Ha</td></tr><tr><td>Total</td><td>:</td><td>4.82 Ha</td></tr></table> <p style="text-align: center;">*</p>	Mining & dumping	:	3.70 Ha	Safety Zone	:	0.80 Ha	Road formation	:	0.32 Ha	Total	:	4.82 Ha
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(v)	Legal status of Forest	:	Basavapalli RF notified U/s 16 of MF Act 1882 vide Notification No.367, dt.21.8.1891.												
(vi)	Density of Vegetation	:	Density of the vegetation is 0.5 in compt.No.227.												
(vii)	Species-wise (scientific names) and diameter Class-wise enumeration of trees (to be enclosed. In case of irrigation/ hydel projects enumeration at FRL, FRL-2 Meter & FRL-4 meter also to be enclosed).	:	The flora existing in the area are Albizzia amara (Chigara), Dichrostachys cinerea (Veluthuru), Azadirachta indica (Vepa), Strychnos nux vomica (Musti), Holoptelea integrifolia (Tapasi), Morinda tomentosa (Maddi), Excoecaria agallocha (Chilla), Wrightia tinctoria (Reppala), Cassia fistula (Rela) etc., The species wise and diameter class wise enumeration of trees and their abstract statement is enclosed.												
(viii)	Brief note on vulnerability of the forest area to erosion.	:	The area is covered with thorny bushes and huge boulders. Further the surrounding area is prone to soil erosion but not a major erosion. SMC measures are to be taken up with planting on mounds of SMC structures.												

(ix)	Approximate distance of proposed site for Diversion from boundary of forest	:	The distance of the proposed site (mining area) from the nearest RF boundary is approx. 10 Mtrs or 0.01 Kms, which is an approximate estimate using GIS (Arc view) Technology.
(x)	Whether forms part of National Park, Wildlife Sanctuary, Biosphere Reserve, Tiger Reserve, elephant corridor, etc. (If so, the details of the area and comments of the Chief Wild Life Warden to be Annexed)	:	The area applied does not fall under Sanctuary/ National Park, Biosphere reserve, Tiger Reserve, Elephant Corridor etc.,
(xi)	Whether any rare/endangered/ unique species of flora and fauna found in the area if so details thereof.	:	No rare/ endangered/ unique endemic species and flora and fauna are found in the proposed area.
(xii)	Whether any protected archaeological/Heritage site/ defense / establishment or any other important monument is located in the area. If so, the details there of with NOC from competent authority, if required.	:	No archaeological/Heritage site/ defense/ establishment or any other important monument is located in the area.
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. The requirement of the forest land as proposed by the user agency in Column No.2 of part-I is the barest minimum.
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 violation has taken place in the proposed area pertaining to M/s. Sri Vaishnavi Granites, Hyderabad.

10	Details of Compensatory Afforestation Scheme.	:	Non forest land for CA identified in Anantapuramu District.
(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.	:	The non forest land identified over an extent of 4.95 Ha. in Sy.No. 103-2 of Ramagiri village of Ramagiri Mandal of Anantapuramu District. The connected soil suitability certificate and location maps submitted by the Forest Range Officers, and Divisional Forest Officer Anantapuramu are enclosed.
(ii)	Map showing non-forest/ degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation and adjoining forest Boundaries.	:	CA scheme proposals and connected maps as received from the Divisional Forest Officer Anantapuramu are enclosed.
(iii)	Detailed compensatory afforestation Scheme/ including species to be planted, implementing agency, time scheduled, cost structure, etc.	:	CA scheme proposals enclosed.
(iv)	Total financial outlay for Compensatory afforestation scheme.	:	Rs.35.50 lakhs
(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).	:	Enclosed.
11	Site inspection report of the DCF (to be enclosed) especially highlighting facts asked in col.7 (xi, xii), 8 & 9 above.	:	The site inspection report of the Divisional Forest Officer, Chittoor West Division, Chittoor dt: 04.06.2021 highlighting the facts asked in Col. 7 (xi, xii), 8 and 9 is enclosed.
12	Division/District profile	:	
(i)	Geographical area of the district	:	1515200 Ha
(ii)	Forest area of the district.	:	District : 452167 Ha West Division: 207378 Ha
(iii)	Total forest area diverted since 1980 with number of cases.	:	42 Cases – 287.562 Ha area was diverted.

(iv)	Total Compensatory Afforestation stipulated in the district/division since 1980 on.	:										
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(b)	Non-forest forest land.	:	331.90 Ha									
(v)	Progress of Compensatory Afforestation as on (date) 30.09.2020.	:										
(a)	Forest land	:	636.99 Ha (in degraded forest including Penal CA).									
(b)	Non-forest land	:	331.90 Ha									
13	Specific recommendations of the DCF for acceptance of otherwise of the proposals with reasons.	:	Because of non availability of said quality of granite outside the forests, as per technical report of Assistant Director of Mines & Geology, Chittoor the application may kindly be considered and hence <i>recommended</i> .									

Date: 10.06.2021

Place: Chittoor.

Signature:

Name: (S. RAVI SHANKAR)

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11/6/21