

Checklist No. 3 (FORM-A)**Part-II****To be filled by the concerned Deputy Conservator of Forest****State serial No. of proposal .—**

7	Location of the project / Scheme :	
(i)	State/Union Territory	Gujarat
(ii)	District	Jamnagar
(iii)	Forest Division	Marine National Park, Jamnagar
(iv)	Area of forest land proposed for diversion (In ha).	0.3750 Ha
(v)	Legal status of forest	Sec-4
(vi)	Density of vegetation	Dense patch of mangrove vegetation.
(vii)	Species wise (scientific names) and diameter class wise enumeration of trees in Unbroken area	As per Checklist No. 16
(viii)	Brief note on vulnerability of the forest area to erosion.	The demanded area is a mangrove patch and does not much vulnerable to erosion.
(ix)	Approximate distance of proposed site for diversion from boundary of forest.	Yes. The demanded area is within the forest area.
(x)	Whether forms part of National Park wildlife sanctuary biosphere reserve tiger, reserve elephant, corridor etc. (If so the details of the area and comment of the Chief Wild life Warden to be annexed)	No
(xi)	Whether any rare/endangered/ unique species of flora and fauna found in the area if so details thereof.	Dense patch of mangrove vegetation, mostly of <i>Avicennia</i> spp.
(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 alternative examined.	The requirement of User Agency is bare minimum for the Project.
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:	The Scheme is Attached
(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.	Survey No.457 Pt, Village:-Jayva, Ta.:-Dhrol, District:-Jamnagar.
(ii)	Map showing non-forest/degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation and adjoining forest boundaries.	Attached here with.
(iii)	Detailed compensatory afforestation scheme including species to be planted implementing agency time schedule cost structure etc.	The Scheme is Attached
(iv)	Total financial outlay for compensatory afforestation scheme.	Rs. 5,73,987/-
(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 Forest).	Attached here with.
11	11. Site inspection report of the DCF (to be enclosed especially highlighting facts asked in col-7 (xi,xii) 8 and 9 above	As per Checklist No. 17
12	Division / District profile :	Marine National Park, Jamnagar
(i)	Geographical area of the district.	Area of District 5846 Sq Km
(ii)	Forest area of the Division.	327.13 Sq. Km
(iii)	Total forest area diverted since 1980 with number of cases.	Total Permissions No.33 & Total area- 9201.182 Ha

(iv)	Total company afforestation stipulated in the district/division since 1980 on (a) forest land including penal compensatory afforestation (b) non-forest land.	(a) 11341.85 Ha (b) 816.0867 Ha
(v)	Progress of compensatory afforestation as on (Date)	31/01/2022
	(a) Forest land	11341.85 Ha
	(b) Non-forest land	816.0867 Ha
13	Specific recommendations of the D.C.F for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with reasons.	<p>(A) The user agency had already obtained approval for other two of its Subsidiaries ie.,(1) Gagva Salt Works and (2) M/s. Navanagar Salt & Chemicals.</p> <p>(B) The User Agency after obtaining permission from MoEFCC, instead of fulfilling the conditions, User Agency took legal proceedings against the conditions imposed in the Stage-I approvals of MoEFCC in both of its subsidiaries.</p> <p>(C) Hence, Stage-I approval in this case may be granted if the User Agency complies with all the conditions imposed by MoEFCC earlier in Stage-I approval of both of its subsidiaries (ie.Gagva Salt Works and & M/s. Navanagar Salt & Chemicals.)</p>

Date :- /03/2022

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