

**OFFICE OF DIVISIONAL FOREST OFFICER
FOREST DIVISION MORENA (M.P.)**

INSPECTION NOTE

I, Amit Vasant Nikam, have been working as Deputy Conservator of Forest and posted as Divisional Forest Officer, Forest Division Morena, since dated June 3rd, 2020.

Executive Engineer P.W.D. Morena vide letter no. कमांक/3398/2020 dated 05.11.2020 have submitted demand letter for 'Diversion of Forest Land for non-forestry use' under Forest (Conservation) Act – 1980, for Bamoor Basai ka Mazra to jadde ka pura under Bamoor Basai ka Mazra to jadde ka pura to Sumawali road project in village Jadde ka pura, Tehsil Joura and District Morena, as detailed below –

S. N.	District	Division	Range	Comp. No.	Forest area proposed for diversion (In Ha.)	Legal status
1	Morena	Morena	Joura	RF-41	0.936	RF

I have inspected the above site on 23/02/2021 and on 31/03/2021 for mentioning facts as submitted by the User Agency, Public work department and for concluding department's recommendation in proposed diversion of forest land as mentioned above, for non-forestry use under Forest (Conservation) Act – 1980.

I am submitting my Site Inspection Report on prescribed format as below –

Sr. No.	Particulars	Inspection Report by CCF/DFO(T)
1	Extent in hectares.	0.936
2	Location (latitude-longitude) of the forest land proposed for diversion.	KML file has been uploaded in part 1 of the said application.
3	Legal status of the forest land (Protected forest, reserved forests, revenue forest lands or any other forest land).	Reserved Forest Land.
4	Demarcation of the area with temporary cairns etc.	Temporary demarcation done with loose painted boulders
5	Any signs of encroachment.	No.
6	Any activity already taken up within the forest land or adjoining non-forest land as part of the proposed project by the user agency. Details of action taken against the User Agency in case of violation of the FC Act and guidelines there under.	No work has been done by the user agency within forest land. A case was registered against resident who works as driver on 31.03.2021 under Indian Forest Act sec. 26(1) (f,h) which has been compounded.
7	Status of vegetation. Site quality, species composition etc.	The proposed area for diversion is mostly blank without vegetation.
8	Importance of area from wildlife point of view. Status of wildlife (density and	Sparse population of Blue bull and black

	abundance of important species, bird life reptiles, butterflies and other scheduled animals, any endangered wildlife). Any latest census of wildlife in this area.	buck present within the region.
9	Endemism of flora/ fauna or any other unique ecosystem in the area.	No - NA.
10	Current land use. Is this area managed as per prescriptions in the Working Plan and, if not, why?	The area is being managed as per the Working Plan.
11	Importance of the area from historical or religious point of view.	NA
12	Any dependent persons/ families on this land.	No.
13	Any displacement of persons proposed.	No.
14	Is there any Rehabilitation and Resettlement Plan for the persons to be affected? Is there any dissenting voice among the persons proposed to be displaced?	No-NA
15	Compensatory afforestation proposed is on forest land or non-forest land. Location of this area, suitability of the area for CA. If in the degraded forest land then what is the current Working Plan prescription for the area? Distance of the non-forest land for CA from the nearest forest area. Number of patches in case the area should be more than to km.	Not Applicable as affected area for diversion less than 1 hectare.
16	Proposed area should not be part of any protected area. Also distance from the boundary of the nearest protected area should be more than 10 km.	National Chambal Sanctuary is the nearest located Protected Area, which is situated at the distance of approximately 35 km.
17	Dependence of tribal in the area. - Whether the rights of the tribal have been recognized in this area.	No - NA.
18	Utility of the project, including the people living in close vicinity of the project.	Development of local area is expected for people living in close vicinity of the project.
19	In case of renewal whether all the conditions stipulated in the earlier sanction order have been complied with.	Not applicable, as it is a fresh proposal.
20	Alternatives examined by the user agency in case of non-site specific projects.	Project is site specific.
21	A certificate by the user agency that the forest land requested for diversion for	Attached along the proposal.

	non-forestry purpose is bare minimum.	
22	Any scope of saving tree growth while ensuring that the purpose for which the forest land is being diverted is also not adversely affected.	No tree loss.
23	Any other issue of significance.	None.
24	Specific recommendations of the DFO with reasons for approval of the project.	<p>Bamoor Basai ka Mazra to jadde ka pura to Sumawali road project has major importance for local people and having minimum loss to the forest due to its linear nature (Blank area).</p> <p>On this basis, I hereby recommend this proposal of diversion of proposed Reserved Forest Area of 0.936 Hectare, for non-forest use by the public work department Morena, for construction of road within forest area starting from Bamoor Basai ka Mazra to jadde ka pura under Bamoor Basai ka Mazra to jadde ka pura to Sumawali road project.</p>

Place – Morena (M.P.)

Date – April 16st, 2021

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Divisional Forest Officer
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