

**PART – II**

(To be filled by the Concerned Deputy Conservator of Forest)

Proposal No. FP/OR/TRANS/44421/2020

State Sl. No. of the Proposal OR-04/2023 Dated. 14.03.2023

7	Location of the Project/scheme	Construction of 220 KV DC transmission line from existing 220/132 KV Grid Sub-Station at Kesinga, Kalahandi District to proposed 220/132/33 KV Grid Sub-Station at Sirtiguda under K.Nuagaon Tahasil in Kandhamal District.
(i)	State / Union Territory	Odisha
(ii)	District.	Kandhamal
(iii)	Forest Division	Balliguda Forest Division
(iv)	Area of forest land proposed for Diversion (in ha)	94.013 ha
(v)	Legal status of forest	I. Kurtamgarh RF- 9.306 ha. II. Rutungia PRF-3.795 ha. III. Pusangia PRF - 6.987 ha. IV. Budhanai South PRF-4.911 ha. V. Budhanai North PRF-14.839 ha. VI. Revenue Forest- 54.175 ha.  Total -94.013 ha.
(vi)	Density of vegetation.	The density of the vegetation is 0.5, Eco Class value is III
(vii)	Species-wise (scientific names) and diameter class- wise enumeration of trees (to be enclosed. In case of Irrigation / hydel project enumeration At FRL, FRL-2 meters & FRL- 4 meters also to be enclosed)	23314 no's of trees are enumerated for felling. The tree enumeration list species wise, diameter wise is enclosed.
(viii)	Brief note on vulnerability of the forest area to erosion.	There is no remarkable vulnerability noticed in this area.
(ix)	Approximate distance of proposed site for diversion from boundary of forest.	The diverted forest land is coming within RF, PRF & Revenue Forest land.
(x)	Whether forms part of National Park, wild life sanctuary, Biosphere reserve, Tiger reserve, Elephant corridor etc. (if so, the detail of the area and comments of the chief wild life warden to be annexed.)	The project is not coming within National Park Wildlife Sanctuary, Biosphere Reserve, Tiger reserve, Elephant Corridor, Wildlife Management corridor etc.



(xi)	Whether any rare / endanger unique species of flora and fauna found in the area – if so, details thereof.	Nil
(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 alternatives examined.	Yes, the requirement of the Forest land proposed for this project by the user agency is unavoidable and bare 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.	Yes, the User Agency has constructed towers of transmission line on the Proposed Reserve Forest & Revenue Forest area to be diverted, although there is no damage to the Forest.
10	Detail of Compensatory Afforestation scheme:	
	(I) Detail of non-forest area / degraded forest area identified for compensatory Afforestation, its distance from adjoining forest, number of patches, size of each patch	<p>Over an area of 275 ha of compensatory afforestation land has been identified in Kalahandi North Forest Division and Subarnapur Forest Division (Kalahandi North Forest Division -175 ha+ Subarnapur Forest Division -100 ha)</p> <p><b>Kalahandi North Forest Division:</b>  Bazargarh RF in Kesinga Forest Range-100.00 ha  Hatimunda Thuapadar Gundi DPF in Bhawanipatna Forest Range-25.00 ha  Pattola Sinang RF in Bhawanipatna Forest Range -25.00 ha  Podamundi Brahamhani RF in Bhawanipatna Forest Range -25.00 ha</p> <p><b>Subarnapur Forest Division:</b>  Hatlimunda RF in Birmaharajpur Forest Range-100 ha.</p>
	(II) Map showing non-forest / degraded forest area identified for compensatory Afforestation and adjoining forest boundaries.	Copy of the map enclosed.



	(III) Detailed compensatory Afforestation scheme including species to be planted, implementing agency, time schedule, cost structure etc.	Copy of the details scheme is enclosed.
	(IV) Total financial outlay for compensatory Afforestation scheme.	The total financial outlay of the scheme is Rs. 2234.25525 lakhs (Rupees Twenty two crores thirty four lakh twenty five thousand five hundred twenty five only).
	(V) Certificate from competent authority regarding stability of area identified for compensatory afforestation and from management point of view. (To be signed by the concerned Deputy Conservator of Forests)	Copy of the suitability certificate is enclosed.
11	Site Inspection report of the DCF (to be enclosed) especially highlighting facts asked in col.7 (xi, xii) 8, and 9 above.	Site inspection report is enclosed in this proposal.
12	Division / District profile; Geographical area of the District. I. Forest area of the district (under Balliguda Forests Division) II. Total Forest area diverted since 1980 with number of cases. III. Total compensatory Afforestation stipulated in the District / division since 1980 till. (a) Forest land including penal compensatory Afforestation (b) Non-Forest land IV. Progress of compensatory Afforestation as on date (a) Forest land (b) Non-Forest land	314254.812 ha. 60.744 ha of forest area in Four nos of cases. 25.50 ha. 25.50 ha. Nil 25.50 ha Nil
13	Specific recommendations of the DCF for acceptance or other wise of the proposal with reason.	The proposal may be considered for approval under the provisions of the Forest (Conservation) Act-1980 based on its own merit and public interest.

Date : 22.08.2023

Place : Balliguda

Signature

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