Diversion of 0.00597 hec. forest land for laying underground pipeline for irrigation of agricultural land in Village Loolbai and Bhadurgarh Jandian tehsil & district Bathinda from Canal Outlet No. 51500/R of Raike Feeder Canal (RHS) (Raike Feeder RD 51.500 R/s, Raike Kala to Raike Khurd road R/s) under Forest Division Bathinda. Punjab (Online Proposal No. FP/PB/Pipeline/143276/2021)

<u>SITE INSPECTION REPORT NOT BELOW THE RANK OF DCF/DFO</u> (For the Forest land to be diverted under FCA)

A proposal has been received by this office from <u>Sub Divisional Soil Conservation</u> <u>Officer, Bathinda</u> for diversion (under FCA-1980) of <u>0.00597 ha</u>. of forest land for non-forestry purpose. The subject envisages the use of forest land for <u>laying underground pipeline for irrigation</u> <u>of agricultural land in Village Loolbai and Bhadurgarh Jandian tehsil & district Bathinda from</u> <u>Canal Outlet No. 51500/R of Raike Feeder Canal (RHS) (Raike Feeder RD 51.500 R/s, Raike Kala</u> <u>to Raike Khurd road R/s) under Forest Division Bathinda. Punjab (Online Proposal No.</u> <u>FP/PB/Pipeline/143276/2021)</u>

The site inspection of the land involved in the proposal has been done by me on date 060821

On inspection of the site, it is found that the land required by the user agency is a forest area measuring **0.00597 ha.**

The requirement of forest land as proposed by the user agency in Col. 2 of Part-I is unavoidable and is barest minimum required for the project. <u>Yes</u>

Whether any rare/endangered/unique species of flora and fauna found in the area. If so, the details thereof. No

Whether any protected archaeological/heritage site/defense establishment or any other important monument is located in the area. If so, the details thereof with N.O.C from competent authority, <u>No</u>

- (a) The user agency has not violated the provisions of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and no work has been started without proper sanction.
- (b) It has been found that the user agency has violated the forests (Conservation) Act, 1980 provisions. A detailed report as per para 1.9 of Chapter 1, Part C of Handbook of the (Conservation) Act, 1980 is attached.

(Note : Whichever of the above is applicable should be shown in bold letters)

Specific recommendation for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal.

Proposal is recommended for approval.

Date 1.8./08/2021 Place .Bathinda

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Certificate

It is certified that minimum <u>0.00597 ha.</u> area for laying underground pipeline for irrigation of agricultural land and nil trees, & 11 Plants are affected after inspection the site.

Divisional Forest Officer Bathinda Forest Division BATHINDA Divisional Forest Officer, Bathinda.

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