

Sub :-Diversion of 0.9900 Hect. of Protected Forest land i.e road side strip plantation declared as protected forest for laying of 125/90 mm dia PE natural gas pipeline for supply natural gas to various en-route village/ industries situated in Rajkot & Paddhari Taluka Surrounding Area in District Rajkot,(FP/GJ/Pipeline/52631/2020).

Annexure-17

Check List for site inspection by DFO/CF/CCF

sr.no	Particular	Inspection Report by DFO	
1	Extent in hectares	0.9900 Ha.	
2	Location (Lat-Long) of the forest land proposed for Diversion	Starting Point	Ending Point
a	P/L laying Parallel to State Highway-25 (Rajkot-Jamnagar Road) in left side from Ch. 00/000 Km to 9/650 Km (L=9/650 Km)	22°20'31.92"N 70°44'21.59"E	22°20'32.91"N 70°44'22.03"E
b	P/L laying Parallel to State Highway-25 (Rajkot-Jamnagar Road) in Right side Ch. 00/000 Km to 9/650 Km (L=9/650 Km)	22°23'10.09"N 70°39'37.36"E	22°23'11.36"N 70°39'37.80"E
c	P/L laying Parallel to State Highway-25 (Rajkot-Jamnagar Road) in Right side Ch. 00/000 Km to 0/500 Km (L=0/500 Km)	22°27'26.90"N 70°34'5.63"E	22°27'38.09"N 70°33'52.95"E
3	Legal status of the forest land (protected forest, Reserved forest, Revenue forest land or any other forest land)	Protected forest Area.	
4	Demarcation of the area with temporary cairns etc.	In Protected Forest Road side Area no Temporary cains are Available.	
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. Detail 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 for the proposed Laying Gas Pipeline in the Proposed area.	
7	Status of vegetation, site, quality, species composition etc.	No vegetation in the Proposed area.	
8	Importance of area from wildlife point of view, status of wildlife (density and abundance of important species, bird life reptiles, butterflies and other scheduled animals any endangered wildlife). any latest censuses of wildlife in this area.	The Proposed area is not Important from wildlife point of view.	
9	Endemism of flora / fauna or any other unique ecosystem in the area.	The Proposed area is not Important for Endemism of flora / fauna.	
10	Current land use. is this area managed as per prescriptions in the working plan and if not, why	The Proposed area is Road side Protected forest Area, which is not Under Working Plan.	
11	importance of the area from historical or religious point of view.	There is no Historic Place/Archeological Place in this Demanded Area.	
12	Any department of persons proposed	No	
13	Any displacement of persons proposed	No	
14	Is there any Rehabilitation and Resettlement plan for the person to be affected ? is there any dissenting.	There is no Rehabilitation Hence not Applicable.	

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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 presctiption 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 10 kms.	Not application as per Guide line GOG letter no. FCA/1015/ 1013/15/ SF-83/F(1) DT.04/02/2016 & APCCF, Land Letter no FCA/29 /A/1062-1135 dt 10/03/2016
16	Proposal area should not be part of any protected area. Also distance from the boundary of the nearest protected area should be more than 10 kms.	Proposed Area is 24 K.M. (Approx) (Using GPS technology) Away in Areal Lenear Distance from the nerest as Rampara Wild life Sanctuary and not Fall in Eco-sensitive zone .
17	Dependence of tribal in the area, Whether the rights of the tribal have been recognized in this area.	The Proposed area is not in tribal area.
18	utility of the project, Including the people living in closed vicinity of the project.	The proposed Project is useful for the people living in closed vicinity of the project.
19	In case of renewal whether all the conditions stipulated N/A in the earlier sanction order have been complied with.	The Proposal satisfactory fulfills all the necessary conditions of FCA.
20	Alternatives examined by the user agency in case of non-site specific projects.	NO
21	A Certificate by the user agency that the forest land requested for diversion for non-forestry purpose in bare minimum.	Yes
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.	There is no tree cutting during the diversion.
23	Any other issued of singificance	No
24	Specific recommendation of the DFO with reason for approval of the project.	Recommended because, The Project is not Harmful from wildlife and flora / fauna point of view.

Place :Rajkot

Date : 17 DEC 2020

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