11. Site inspection report of the DCF

Date of inspection: 03.03.2020

The proposed retail outlet of IOCL lies in the side of the road plying from Hajipur-Mahnar-Bachhwara Road, SH-93. The proposed Forest area which is required to be used as entrance and outway as per direction issued by letter no. FC 106, dtd.- 19.03.2013 of Chief Conservator of Forest-cum-Nodal Officer (Forest Conservation), Bihar is 0.00765 Ha. The proposed area is a part of P.F. (notification no.- 189E/190E dated - 16.02.1994). There are no trees present on the site i.e. on the proposed land to be used as road for intrance & outgoing of the retail outlet. As per the observation made on the field and the facts stated above, the total land of the road side P.F. proposed for diversion for establishment of the Retail Outlet is 0.00765 ha.

GPS Reading: : N- 25.5680867992; E- 85.6259123617

There is no rare/endangered/unique species of flora & fauna found in the area, neither any archaeological site is present near the proposed site.

The user agency has not done any construction on the proposed site. The nearest petrol pump is at 04.00 km in East and 03.00 km in West.

(v) Certificate of suitability of area for compensatory afforestation

The area is suitable for plantation and is manageable.

(Sanjay Kumar Sinha)

Dy. Conservator of Forests Samastipur