

P A R T-II

(To be filled by the Concerned Deputy Conservator of Forests)
State Serial No. of the proposal. 562/2012 dt.1.12.2012.

Sl. No.	Item	Compliance
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7	Location of the project/Scheme	Inside Baniabandha and Gobara, Reserve Forests
i	State/Union Territory	Odisha,
ii	District	Cuttack
iii	Forest Division	Athgarh Forest Division
iv	Area of forest land proposed for diversion (in Ha)	Gobara, RF = 0.185 Ha. Baniabandha,RF= 0.617 Ha. Total= 0.802 Ha.
v	Legal status of Forests	Reserve Forests
vi	Density of vegetation	Eco Value Class-III, below 0.4 Density
vii	Species- wise (Scientific names) and Diameter class wise enumeration of trees(to be enclosed in case of irrigation/ Hydel Projects enumeration at FRL- 2 metere and FRL-4 meter also to be enclosed)	No tree felling is required.
viii	Brief Note on vulnerability of the forest area to erosion.	The proposed area is not vulnerable to erosion and does not for a part of seriously eroded area.
ix	Approximate distance of proposed site for diversion from boundary of the forests.	Gobara, RF = 0.185 Ha. Baniabandha,RF= 0.617 Ha. Total= 0.802 Ha. It is well within the Reserve Forest boundary.
x	Whether forms are of National Park, Wild Life Sanctuary, Biosphere Reserve, Tiger Reserve, Elephant Corridor, etc.(if so, the details of the area and comment of the Chief Wild Life Warden to be annexed)	The area does not form a part of National Park, Wild Life Sanctuary, Biosphere Reserve, Tiger Reserve etc. There is no recognized elephant corridor.
xi	Whether any rare / Endangered/ Unique Species of flora and fauna in the area-is so details thereof.	There is no tree available in the area to be diverted. But the following fauna occasionally available in that area as given below. Monkeys, Reptiles, Snakes, Lizards, Mongoose, Wild pig. The Wild elephants occasionally passing through the area.
xii	Whether any protected archaeological/ heritage site/ defence establishment of any other important monument is located in the area. If so , the details thereof with NOC from Competent Authority, if required	The applied forest area does not form a part of any protected archaeological/heritage site/ defence establishment or any other important monuments. Neither the area is located in the nearby area nor within a belt of 25 Kms.

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.	There is no other alternative route to reach the Ghumaghasua Black Stone Quarry which has already been approved (Stage-II) by GOI, MOEF.
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 caring officials. Whether work in violation is still in progress.	No
10	Details of Compensatory Afforestation Scheme.	No
i	Details of non- forest area/ degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation. Its distance from adjoining forests, number of patches, size of each patch.	Not required as the area is within 1.00 Ha.
ii	Map showing non-forest/ degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation and adjoining forest boundaries.	Not required
iii	Detailed Compensatory Afforestation Scheme including species to be planted, implementing agency, time schedule, Cost of structure, etc.	Not required
iv	Total financial outlay for Compensatory Afforestation Scheme.	Not required
v	Certificates from Competent Authority regarding suitability of area identified for Compensatory Afforestation and from Management point of view(to be signed by the Deputy Conservator of Forests)	Not required
11	Site Inspection Report of the D.C.F. (to be enclosed) especially highlighting facts asked in col. 7 (xi,xii) 8 and 9 above.	The site inspection report conducted on dt.8.12.2012 by the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Athgarh Division is enclosed as Annexure- V

12	Division/ District profile	
i	Geographical area of the District	6,597 Sq. KM
ii	Forest area of the District	58,562.035 Ha.
iii	Total forest area diverted since 1980 with number of cases	297.9643 Ha. (Nine cases)
iv	Total compensatory afforestation stipulated in the District/ Division	Nil
(a)	Forest land including penal compensatory afforestation	Nil
(b)	Non- Forest land	Nil
v	Progress of Compensatory Afforestation till date.	
(a)	Forest land	494.04 Ha.
(b)	Non-Forest land	156.69 Ha.
13	Specific recommendation of the D.C.F. for acceptance or otherwise of the proposals with reasons.	<p>The said diversion of forest land over 0.802 Ha. is essential for transportation of black stone from Ghumaghasua Black Stone Quarry by M/s JS Construction Pvt. Ltd, Rajabagicha, Cuttack which has been approved by Govt. of India (Stage-II) vide Letter No. 8(21) 5/99 FCE dt. 13.7.2009. The User Agency has fulfilled all the terms and conditions stipulated by Govt. of India, MOEF as per Stage-II Order. The DGPS Survey maps prepared by ORSAC and pillar posting over 4.9 ha approved quarry are in Baniabandha RF has been completed. The User Agency has already deposited Rs 2,77,200/- towards Regional Wildlife management Plan. The User Agency has obtained clearance from State Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA) Odisha under the provision EIA Notification, 2006 and 2009 and subsequent amendment there to under various guidelines of GOI, MoEF. The UA has obtained necessary clearance from State Pollution Control Board Odisha, Cuttack. Tree felling has already been completed by OFDC Ltd during 2010 and the UA has deposited the operational cost and 25% ESH cost of with the tree royalty. The User Agency has submitted Part-I, II, III and Site specific Wild Life Conservation Plan for getting clearance from National Board for Wild Life. Hence keeping in view of the facts stated above, the project proposal for approach road and parking zone is strongly recommended for obtaining approval of GOI, MoEF under the provision of FC, Act, 1980.</p>

Date: - Place: - *Athgarh*
dt- 18.6.15

Signature

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