PART-IV

(To be filled in by Nodal Officer or Principal Chief Conservator of Forests or Head of Forest Department)

17. <u>Detailed opinion and specific recommendation of the State Forest Department for acceptance of otherwise of the proposal with remarks.</u>

(While giving opinion, the adverse comments made by concerned Conservator of Forests or Deputy Conservator of Forests should be categorically reviewed and critically commented upon).

In the Up gradation & Widening to Two Lane with Paved shoulder from KM o.oo to KM 45.280 of existing State highway-99 Baysi-Bahadurganj-Dighalbank Section Road in Purnia and Kishanganj district Road passes through Purnia and Kishanganj district involving the use and diversion of aggregate area of 69.178 ha of forest land notified as "Protected Forest" being the tree plantations along the above mentioned roads in Purnia and Kishanganj district is essential requirement for Up gradation & Widening to Two Lane with Paved shoulder from KM o.oo to KM 45.280 of existing State highway-99 Baysi-Bahadurganj-Dighalbank Section Road and is justified in that context.

Therefore the proposed diversion of the 69.178 ha of forest land under reference is recommended with the stipulations and conditions mentioned in the forwarding letter.

Date: 21/.11/2022

Place: Patna

Signature

Name & Designation – Arvinder Singh APCCF (CAMPA)-cum-Nodal Officer (FC)

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