

ANNEXURE – 17

Site Inspection Report by the DCF / CF / CCF

(Diversion of 33.40 ha. R.F. Land for Tapi-karjan Link under ground pipeline (Surat Divi. 11.40 & Vyara 22.00 ha. by Ver-II Project Divi. Vyara)

| Sr. No. | Particular | Inspection Report by DFO (T) |
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| 1. | Extent in hectares. | 11.40 ha. |
| 2. | Location (Lat-Long) of the forest land proposed for Diversion. | <u>Village Vadpada, Kashi & Kali-Jaman Ta.Umarpada, Dist</u> <u>Surat Survey No. 29, 30</u> (1) 21.22.56.81 73.38.46.45 (2) 21.22.56.95 73.38.47.14 (3) 21.23.4.16 73.38.44.26 (4) 21.23.4.40 73.38.44.94 (5) 21.23.38.04 73.38.27.31 (6) 21.23.38.18 73.38.28.11 (7) 21.23.47.60 73.38.20.47 (8) 21.23.48.18 73.38.20.82 (9) 21.23.52.74 73.38.4.88 (10) 21.23.53.02 73.38.5.04 (11) 21.42.2.21 73.37.52.25 (12) 21.24.2.45 73.37.52.48 (13) 21.24.27.60 73.37.46.73 (14) 21.24.24.80 73.37.47.39 (15) 21.24.53.58 73.37.14.70 (16) 21.24.52.97 73.37.14.78 (17) 21.24.52.67 73.37.2.20 (18) 21.24.52.03 73.37.2.07 (19) 21.24.58.06 73.36.47.34 (20) 21.24.57.40 73.36.47.32 (21) 21.29.37.72 73.26.1.99 (22) 21.29.37.46 73.26.1.75 (23) 21.29.34.26 73.26.5.78 (24) 21.29.34.56 73.23.5.92 (25) 21.29.36.85 73.26.49.06 (26) 21.29.36.53 73.26.49.09 |
| 3. | Legal status of the forest land (protected forest, Reserved forest, Revenue forest land or any other forest land) | Reserved Forest |
| 4. | Demarcation of the area with temporary cairns etc. | Yes |
| 5. | Any signs of encroachment. | No |

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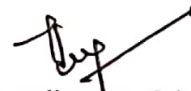
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| 6. | Any activity already taken up within the forest land or adjoining on forest land as part of the proposed project by the user agency. Details of action taken against the user agency in case of violation of the FC Act and guidelines there under. | No |
| 7. | Status of vegetation, site, quality, species composition etc. | Open/Dense forest. |
| 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 census of wildlife in this area. | No |
| 9. | Endemism of flora / fauna or any other unique ecosystem in the area. | No |
| 10. | Current land use. Is this area managed as per prescriptions in the working plan and if not, why | Forest (This Area managed as per prescriptions in the working plan.) |
| 11. | Importance of the area from historical or religious point of view. | No |
| 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. | No |
| 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 prescription 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. | <p>C.A. Location : Village Singalkhanch, Ta.Songadh, Dist.Tapi. Survey No. 8Pt, 9, 10/1, 10/2, 10/3, 11/1, 11/2, 12, 13, 14, 28, 29/1, 30/1, 30/2, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35/1, 35/2. (C.A.Area 22.00 ha)</p> <p>compensatory Afforestation scheme against the proposal for diversion of 22.00 ha. of Non Forest land and the said area is suitable for compensatory Afforestation it is also certified that the compensatory Afforestation scheme suggested in the area and this area is Adjoining Forest land.</p> |
| 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. | 42 km Away from Purna W.L. Sanctuary in Dang Dist. & 48 Km Away from Sulpaneshwar W.L.Sanctuary in Narmada Dist. |

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| 17. | Dependence of tribal in the area, Whether the rights of the tribal have been recognized in this area. | No |
| 18. | Utility of the project, including the people living in closed vicinity of the project. | This Project aims to provide New irrigation facilities in 14552.99 ha. area will be irrigated in 51 villages of Umapada Taluka of Surat Dist. & as well as 7207.10 ha. area will be irrigated in 22 villages of Dediapada Taluka of Narmda Dist. |
| 19. | In case of renewal whether all the conditions stipulated N/A in the earlier sanction order have been complied with. | No |
| 20. | Alternatives examined by the user agency in case of non-site specific projects. | Yes |
| 21. | A certificate by the user agency that the forest land requested for diversion for non- forestry purpose is 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. | No |
| 23. | Any other issued of significance. | No |
| 24. | Specific recommendation of the DFO with reason for approval of the project. | Recommended for diversion of 11.40 ha. |

Date : 16/09/2019

Place : Surat


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