

PART-II

(To be filled by the concerned Deputy Conservator of Forests)
State Serial No. of Proposal _____

7	Location of the Project/Scheme	Widening of existing road Four laning from Km 4/8 to Km 24/6 (i.e., Nizamabad to Armoor) of Nizamabad to Jagadapur section of NH 63 (old NH 16) in the state of Telangana under NH (O) on E.P.C. mode
(a)	State/Union Territory	Telangana State
(ii)	District	Nizamabad
(iii)	Forest Division	Armoor
(iv)	Area of Forest land proposed for diversion(in Ha)	7.19508 Ha.
(v)	Legal status of forest	Reserve Forest of Armoor Range and Division (Manikbandar, Mamidipally-I and Mamidipally III RF blocks) a. Mamidipally-III Forest Block is notified U/s-15 of APFA,1967 GoMS.NO.134 F&A, dept, dt.25.03.1986, AP.G.No.16-B, dt.24.04.1986, Dist. Gazeette No.7, Dt:14.07.1986 b. Manikbandar Forest Block is notified U/s-4 of A.F.A (TR) Part (2) of 1355 F. GoMS.NO. 2855F&A dept,dt.01.12.1965, AP.G.No.49, dt.16.12.1965 c. Mamidipally-I Forest Block is notified U/s -15 of APFA,1967 GoMS.NO.1215 F&A, dept, dt.30.06.1969, AP.G.No.29, dt.17.07.1969
(vi)	Density of vegetation	Ranging from 0.1 to 0.4
(vii)	Species-wise (scientific names) and diameter class -wise enumeration of trees (to be enclosed., In case of irrigation/hydel projects enumeration at FRL,FRL-2 meter & FRL-4 meter also to be enclosed)	List Enclosed.
(viii)	Brief note on vulnerability of the forest area to erosion	The area proposed for diversion has got moderate slope, hence less vulnerable for soil erosion, further few SMC interventions are proposed for mitigation.
(ix)	Approximate distance of proposed site for diversion from boundary of forests	0 Mtrs Distance, the proposed road passes through Reserve Forest.
(x)	Whether forms part of National Park, wildlife sanctuary, biosphere reserve, tiger reserve elephant corridor, etc., (If so, the details of the area and comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden to be annexed)	No
(xi)	Whether any rare/endangered/unique species of flora and fauna found I the area if so details thereof.	No
(xii)	Whether any protected archaeological/ heritage site/defense establishment oar any other important monument is located in the area- If so, details thereof with NOC from competent authority.	No
8	Whether the requirement of forestland 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.	The user agency has proposed for diversion of 4.9559 ha of forest land for widening and new alignment of the existing road. After field survey, the actual area arrived for diversion is 7.19508 Ha which unavoidable and barest minimum for the project.

	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 erring officials. Whether work in violation is still in progress.	Yes, the violation report is sent vide DFONZB Rc.No.3000/2017 /D5, dated 23.02.2022 and the copy is enclosed.
10	Details of Compensatory Afforestation Scheme:	The User Agency has agreed to pay the cost of Compensatory Afforestation scheme proposed by the Forest Division Officer, Armoor in the double the degraded Forest area at C.No.2 of Hasakothur RF of Kammarpally Range. Detailed Scheme is Enclosed separately.
(a)	Details of non-forest area/degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation, its distance from adjoining forest, number of patches, size of each patch.	As it is proposed to take up Compensatory Afforestation in double the degraded Forest area proposed for diversion i.e., (15 Ha.) Hosakothur Forest Block of compartment 2, Kamarpally Beat, Basheerabad Section, Kamarpally range, further no non-forest CA land is required as per clarification of MoEF vide File No.FC-11/50/2020-FC Dated 18 th August, 2020.
(b)	Map showing non-forest /degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation and adjoining forest boundaries.	Yes (Map Enclosed)
(c)	Detailed compensatory afforestation scheme including species to be planted, implementing agency, time schedule, cost structure, etc.,	Enclosed.
(d)	Total financial outlay for compensatory afforestation Scheme. a. The penalty for violation shall be equal to NPV of forest land per hectare for each year of violation from the date of actual diversion as reported by the inspecting officer with maximum up to five (5) times the NPV plus 12 percent simple interest till the deposit is made. b. In case of public utility projects of the government the penalty shall be 20 % of the penalty proposed in para (a) above.	N.P.V. : Rs. 68.913 lakhs Extraction cost : Rs. 30.372 lakhs Translocation : Rs.16.802 lakhs of trees C.A. Scheme : Rs.298.681 lakhs Penalty as per Act: 75.4285 lakhs Total : Rs. 490.5565 Lakhs
(e)	Certificates from competent authority regarding suitability of area identified for compensatory afforestation and from management point of view. (To be signed by the concerned Deputy Conservator of Forests).	C.A. scheme is proposed to be taken up in Hosakothur Forest Block of compartment 2, Kamarpally Beat, Basheerabad Section, Kamarpally range of Armoor Division within the jurisdiction in double the degrade forest area is 15 Ha.
11	Site inspection report of the DCF (to be enclosed) especially highlighting facts asked in Co.7 (xi, xii) 8 and 9 above.	Site Inspection report enclosed.
12	Division/District profile.	Armoor Division / Nizamabad District
(i)	Geographical area of the District.	4,23,562 Ha.
(ii)	Forest area of the District. & Division	85762.04 Ha. / 33605.61 Ha
(iii)	Total forest area diverted since 1980 with number of cases.	21.984 Ha in (6) cases
(iv)	Total compensatory afforestation stipulated in the District/Division since 1980	
(a)	Forest land including penal compensatory afforestation	0

(b)	Non-Forest land.	16.856 Ha
(v)	Progress of compensatory afforestation as on (date) 30.04.2018 on (a) Forest Land (b) Non-Forest Land	Progress of C.A. as on 30.12.2016, 2 Ha 16.856 Ha
13	Specific recommendations of the DCF for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with reasons.	The Forest land diversion as proposed by the User Agency is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project. Hence the proposals for forest land diversion to an extent of 7.19508 Ha is recommended for widening to Four laning from Km 4/8 to Km 24/6 of Nizamabad to Jagadapur Section of NH-63 (Old NH-16).

Date: 31.05.2022

Place: Nizamabad.

Signature

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