

## SITE INSPECTION REPORT

1. Name of the Project :- Diversion of Forest Land for implementation of Dhamra – Haldia Pipeline (DHPL) project, a spur line of Jagadishpur – Haldia – Bokaro – Dhamra Pipeline (JHBDPL) project in Balasore districts of Odisha by GAIL (India) Limited (A Govt. of India Undertaking)
2. Name of the District / Division :- Balasore WL Division
3. Date of inspection :- 19<sup>th</sup> January, 2023
4. Name and Designation of Inspection Officer :- Sumit Kumar Kar, IFS  
Divisional Forest Officer, Balasore WL Division
5. Name and Designation of other Officers who attend the inspection including representative of User Agency :-
1. Jayshree Murmu, Range Officer, Jaleswar WL Range.
  2. Aisha Akhatari Nisha, Range Officer, Nilgiri WL Range.
  3. Ganesh Prasad Lenka, Dy. Ranger, I/c. Range Officer, Chandipur WL Range.
  4. Mathura Bari, GM (Const.), GAIL India.
  5. Subash Oraon, CM (Const.), GAIL India.
  6. N. Raghava Jagannath, Site Engineer, GAIL India.
6. Legal Status of Forest Land with area proposed for diversion :-
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|------------------------------------|-------------------|
| Revenue Forest (Gramya Jungle)     | 0.4803 ha         |
| Forest as on dt.25.10.1980 (Sabik) | 0.0539 ha.        |
| DLC Forest                         | 0.6579 ha.        |
| <b>Total:</b>                      | <b>1.1921 ha.</b> |
7. Location of the project / Scheme
- (i) Whether any rare / endangered / Unique species of flora and fauna in the area, if so, details thereof. :- No such rare / endangered / unique species of flora and fauna found presently in the proposed patches.
- (ii) Whether any protected archaeological / heritage site / defence establishment or any other important monument is located in the area. If so, details, thereof with N.O.C. from competent authority, if required. :- No
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 alternative, examined. :- Yes
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 erring officials, whether work in violation is still in progress. :- No

  
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10. If area required for diversion has been demarcated in the ground :- Yes
11. Item wise breakup of the forest land proposed for diversion :- Right of Way **1.1921 ha.** for Dhamra – Haldia Pipeline (DHPL) project in Balasore district.
12. Condition of Vegetation and type of forest in applied area :- 32 (thirty-three) nos. trees & 80 (eighty) Bamboo clumps enumerated over Forest kissam of land and 164 (one hundred sixty four) nos. trees & 202 (two hundred two) Bamboo clumps enumerated over Non-Forest kissam of Govt. land. No tree growth available over non-forest Private Land and Some bushy forest at different patches are available.
13. Position of wild life in general :- No Wildlife Seen
14. Whether the applied area is involved with any Eco-Sensitive Zone / National Park / Sanctuary :- No
15. No. of trees to be felled and its impact on the Eco-System :- 196 Nos. of trees & 282 Nos. Bamboo clumps at different patches required to be removed that won't cause any negative impact on the eco-system
16. Details of broken up area and reclamation done if any (Mining cases) :- Not applicable
17. Position of displacement of people and adequacy of rehabilitation if any :- Not applicable
18. Position of area and endangered species available and importance of area from Eco-Social point of view :- No
19. Non-forest land used in the project and non-forest land selected for Compensatory Afforestation is included in the DLC report or not :- Compensatory Afforestation Land has been identified under the jurisdiction of Baripada Forest Division, Dist : Mayurbhanj.
20. Suitability of the identified non-forest land for Compensatory Afforestation :- Not applicable.
21. Violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 if any and action taken thereof :- No

Signature of the Inspection Officer

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Attendance sheet of Site inspection of proposed Forest Land require to be diverted U/s -2 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for implementation of Dhamra – Haldia Natural Gas pipeline Project by GAIL (INDIA) limited on dt. 19.01.2023.

Name	Designation	Signature
SUMIT KUMAR KAR	Divisional Forest Officer Balasore Wildlife Division	<i>Sumit</i> 19/01/2023
JAYSHREE MURMU	Forest Range Officer Jaleswar Wildlife Range	<i>Jayshree</i> 19/01/2023
MATHURA BARI	GENERAL MANAGER (CONSTRUCTION) GAIL BBSR	<i>M. Bari</i>
ASHA AKHATARI NISHA	Forest Range Officer Nilgiri (WL) Range	<i>Asha</i> 19/01/2023
Ganesh Prasad Leung	Range Officer, Chandika (WL) Range, Pals.	<i>Leung</i> 19/01/2023
Subhath Oraon	CM (GAIL INDIA LTO.)	<i>Subhath</i>
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