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SITE INSPECTION REPORT AND VIOLATION REPORT

(For the Forest Land to be diverted under FCA)

A proposal has been received by this office from Sh. Satpal, S.D.E. (NWO) CM, BSNL, Garhshankar. The User Agency has applied (under FCA-1980) for **Diversion of 3.2894** ha of Forest Land for National Optical Fiber Network in Garhshankar Block under Nawanshahar Forest Division at Garhshankar, Distt: Hoshiarpur, Punjab.

The site inspection of the land involved in the proposal has been done by me on dated 2/2015.

- 1. On inspection of the site, it is found that the land required by the user agency is a Forest Area measuring 3.2894 ha.
- 2. The requirement of forest land as proposed by the user agency in Col 2 of Part-I is unavoidable and is barest minimum required for the project. <u>Yes</u>
- 3. Whether any rare/endangered/unique species of flora and fauna found in the area, if so, the details thereof. <u>NO</u>
- 4. Whether any protected archaeological/heritage site/defense establishment or any other important monument is located in the area. If so, the details thereof with NOC from the competent authority. **NO**
- 5. (a) The user agency has not violated the provision of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and no work has been started without proper sanction. <u>YES</u>
 - (b) It has been found the user agency has violated the provisions of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 Indian Forest Act, 1927/ Any other forest Act. A detailed report as per para 1.9 of Chapter 1, Part C of Hand-book of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 is attached) NO

(Note: Whichever of the above is applicable should be shown in bold letters)

Specific recommendation for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal.

JAGDEV SINGH SANDHU P.E.S., Divisional Forest Officer Newanshahe at Garhshanker