

SITE INSPECTION REPORT

On 18-10-2019, I along with Deputy Conservator of Forests, Kundapura Division and Range Forest Officer Byndoor inspected the FC proposal area of NH in three locations i.e., portion no.1, 2, & 3 falls in the Byndoor RF extension block forest area. In total 5.195 ha. of Byndoor RF extension block forest land is required for the slope correction.

Following observations were made during the inspection.

The Proposed area falls in the Shiroor and Paduvari villages of Byndoor range. As per ACF and RFO Byndoor report around 54 trees are marked for felling which includes Acacia, Cashew, Casurina, Strychnos, Mahogany etc., the proposed area does not possess any major tree species. These areas are nearer to NH road and no endangered flora and fauna were found. The soil strata is fragile and loose soil were observed which are prone for land sliding whenever there is a heavy downpour. In the above said proposal, portion no 1 and 2 are hilly terrain and have deep slopes but portion no 3 is a flat terrain. In the third portion of proposal it was observed that huge trench of 600m. length, 4.5m. width and 1.3m. depth was excavated in the Byndoor RF extension block prior to obtaining FC clearance of newly proposed area. Excavated Soil was dumped in the reserve forest area of Byndoor RF extension block and is a violation of FC act. The above are the site inspection observation.

Date: 23-10-2019


Conservator of Forests,
Mangaluru Circle, Mangaluru.