

Diversion of 0.7000 ha. forest land for L.I.L.O on existing 220 KV Bolar-Nallasopara transmission line for Palghar Substation by Executive Engineer, M.S.E.T. Company Limited, E.H.V. Projects Division Kalyan, Village Morekuran, Tal. & District Palghar, Maharashtra.

**PART-II**

(To be filled by the concerned Deputy Conservator of Forests)

i	State/Union Territory	MAHARASHTRA
ii	District	Palghar
iii	Forest Division	Dahanu Forest Division.
iv	Area of forest land proposed for diversion (in ha.)	0.7000 Hectare
v	Legal status of forest	As per area statement attached.
vi	Density of Vegetation	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 of Species wise and diameter class wise enumeration is enclosed on page no. ....
viii	Brief note on vulnerability of the forest area to erosion	The proposed area is under protection working circle undulating which is not seriously eroded.
ix	Approx. distance of proposed site for diversion from boundary of Sanctuary.	30.60 Km
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 in the area if so detail thereof.	

xii	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 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 alternatives 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
10	Details of compensatory afforestation scheme	
i	Details of degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation, its distance from adjoining forest, number of patches, size of each patch.	The degraded forest land 1.400 ha. Compt.-No. 177 S. No. 125 Village Avadhani, Tal. & District Palghar is identified for Compensatory Afforastaion.
ii	Map showing degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation and adjoining forest boundaries	Index Map showing degraded Forest area identified for Compensatory Afforastaion.
iii	Detailed compensatory a forestation scheme including species to be planted, implementing agency, time schedule, cost structure, etc.	Details Compensatory afforestation scheme including species to be planted time schedule, cost structure etc. will by enclosed later on. The scheme will be implemented by Dahanu Forest division.
iv	Total financial outlay for compensatory afforestation scheme	Total year wise financial outlay for compensatory afforestation scheme over a period of 10 years will be enclosed later on.
v	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).	The necessary certificate No. 9 enclosed Page No.
11	Site inspection report of the DCF (to be enclosed) especially highlighting facts asked in col. 7 (xi, xii), 8 and 9 above.	The site inspection report with Joint inspection report is attached. Page No.

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12	Division/District profile	Dahanu Forest division
i	Geographical area of the District & Division.	Palghar District : 955800 ha.
ii	Forest area of the District & Division.	Palghare District : 114803 ha.
iii	Total forest area diverted since 1980 with number of cases in the Division	46 cases forest area 1079.4855 ha.
iv	Total compensatory afforestation stipulated in the district/division since 1980 on	1068.630 ha.
	a) forest land including penal compensatory afforestation,	904.510 Ha
	b) non-forest land	164.120 Ha.
v	Progress of compensatory afforestation as on (date)	1068.630 ha.
	(a) forest land	904.510 Ha
	(b) non-forest land.	164.120 Ha.
13	Specific recommendations of the Deputy Conservator of Forest for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with reasons.	This project is for infrastructure Development and public use and Project proponet is ready to bear all Government levies hence the proposal is being recommended for approval for diverting the required forest land under section 2 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.

Place : Dahanu  
Date : 06/09/2021.

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