

PART-II

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

State serial No. of proposal _____

7	Location of the Project/Scheme	:	The Project is located in Giddalur CA block of Dhone Range and Bethamcherla RF of Kurnool Range of Kurnool Forest Division.
	(i) State/union Territory	:	Andhra Pradesh
	(ii) District	:	Kurnool District
	(iii) Forest Division	:	Kurnool Forest Division
	(iv) Area of forest land proposed for diversion (in ha)	:	7.305 Ha. of forest land is proposed in Giddalur CA block (6.1408 Ha) of Dhone Range and Bethamcherla RF (1.164 Ha) of Kurnool Range for erection of 400 KV QMDC line from Jammulamadugu-Nannoor (Kurnool).
	(v) Legal status of forest	:	Bethamcherla RF is notified U/s-16 vide G.O.Ms.No.218, dt.15.03.1899 as RF and Giddalur CA block is notified under Sec.24 of APF Act, 1964 as Protected Forests. vide G.O. no: 77 GFSE (For-I) dt. 3/8/2007
	(vi) Density of vegetation	:	The density of the Reserved Forest is <u>0.1</u> (eco-class-III).
	(vii) Species-wise (scientific names) and diameter class wise enumeration of trees (to be enclosed. In case of irrigation/hydel projects enumeration at FR L, FRL-2 meter & FRL4 meter also to be enclosed)	:	The species wise list of species existing along the alignment of the proposed Power transmission line is enclosed at Page No. <u>49 to 52</u> The species wise list of trees needs to cut/lop for erecting proposed Transmission line is enclosed at Page no. <u>49 to 52</u>
	(viii) Brief note on vulnerability of the forest area to erosion	:	The RF proposed is not vulnerable for erosion, accordingly a certificate is enclosed.
	(ix) Approximate distance of proposed site for diversion from boundary of forest.	:	The proposed Power Transmission line passes through the Giddalur CA Block of Dhone Range and Bethamcherla Reserve Forest of Kurnool Range.
	(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)	:	The proposed Power Transmission line does not form a part of National Park, Wildlife Sanctuary, Biosphere reserve, Tiger reserve, Elephant corridor, etc. Accordingly a certificate is enclosed at Page no. <u>31</u>

	(xi) Whether any rare/endangered/unique species of flora and fauna found in the area if so details thereof.	:	There is no rare/endangered/unique species of flora and fauna found in the area.
	(xii) Whether any protected archaeological /heritage site/ defense establishment or any other important monument is located in the area. If so, the details there of with NOC from competent authority, if require.	:	There is no protected archaeological /heritage site/ defense establishment or any other important monument is located in the proposed RF area. Accordingly a certificate is enclosed at Page No. <u>23</u>
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.	:	Certificate enclosed at Page no. <u>26</u>
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 violation caused to the provisions of FC Act, 1980. Certificates enclosed at Page Nos. <u>28 & 31</u>
10	Details of compensatory afforestation scheme	:	
	(i) Details of non-forest area/degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation, its distance from adjoining forest, number of patches, size of each patch.	:	An extent of 14.65 Ha of degraded Forest land is taken up double the extent of RF area proposed for diversion area in Kurnool Division has been identified in Pattikonda RF in Comp. No.54 in Adoni Range as per para 3-2-VI(c) of guidelines of FC Act, 1980 in respect of transmission line (amended vide GoI F.No.11-68/14 FC.(Pt), dt.11.07.2014.
	(ii) Map showing non-forest/degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation and adjoining forest boundaries.	:	Map in 1:50000 scale is enclosed at Page No. <u>57 to 58</u>
	(iii) Detailed compensatory afforestation scheme including species to be planted, implementing agency, time schedule, cost structure, etc.	:	The detailed Compensatory afforestation scheme along with details of species to be planted for 9 years plan, time schedule, Cost structure etc., are enclosed at Page No. from <u>59 to 72</u>
	(iv) Total financial outlay for compensatory afforestation scheme.	:	Rs. 41.30 lakhs.

	(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)	: Certificate accordingly is enclosed at Page No. <u>55</u>
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 of the Divisional Forest Officer, Kurnool is enclosed at Page No. <u>39</u>
12	Division/ District Profile:	: Kurnool District/Kurnool Forest Division
	(i) Geographical area of the District	: 1765800 Ha.
	(ii) Forest area of the Division	: 349400 Ha.
	(iii) Total forest area diverted since 1980 with number of cases	: RF area diverted = 1616.578 Ha in 30 cases Details enclosed at Page No. <u>6</u>
	(iv) Total compensatory afforestation stipulated in the district / division since 1980 on	: 1156.288 Ha
	(a) forest land including penal compensatory afforestation	: 393.67 Ha
	(b) Non-forest land	: 762.188Ha
	(v) Progress of compensatory afforestation as on (date) on 04.01.2014	: 1107.26 Ha
	(a) forest land	: 393.67 Ha
	(b) Non-forest land	: 732.188 Ha.
13	Specific recommendations of the DCF for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with reasons.	: Recommended for consideration

Date:

Place: Kurnool


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