Inspection notes of the Divisional Forest Officer, Visakhapatnam on the proposed Diversion of 2.65 ha of Forest Land in Compartment no.860 of Minimuluru Beat and Compartment no.861, 862 & 808 of Madugula Beat, Sankaram RL, Chodavaram Range, Visakhapatnam Division for formation of road from Paderu Waddadi R&B road to Konam via Poolabanda (PV R&B Road at 12th mile to Devapuram) in favour of Executive Engineer, PR (PIU), Division, Paderu on 16.04.2021.

Inspected the proposed road from Paderu Waddadi R&B road to konam via Poolabanda (PV R&B Road at 12th mile to Devapuram) on 16.04.2021 along with Dy.Range Officer, Madugula and his Staff and officials from user agency. There is an existing Kutcha road being used by the villagers and now the user agency is proposing to lay pakka B.T. road from Paderu Waddadi R&B road to Konam via Poolabanda (PV R&B Road at 12th mile to Devapuram) in Compartment no.860 of Minimuluru Beat and Compartment no.861, 862 & 808 of Madugula Beat, Sankaram RL. As per the DGPS Survey the proposed road starts GPS readings N: 17.99332 E:82.73269 and ends at N:17.96389 E:82.78527. The proposed road is existing foot path and there is no considerable impact on flora and fauna. The actual road length falling within Sankaram R.L. is 14.00 km (Area=3533.32 km x 7.50 m ÷ 10,000 = 2.65 Ha.).





There are no trees falling all along the width of road proposed. As the way (footpath) is already being used by the Villagers of 12th mile stone to Devapuram Villages and it is the only way to connect to main road from the surrounding Villages. It is essentially required for the people for transportation. The area along the stretch appears to be stable. The area originally supports Southern Tropical Dry Mixed Deciduous Forest only with open forest class in Eco-Value class-II. There is no violation under F.C. Act by the User Agency in the proposed road as on date.

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