

PART-7
SITE INSPECTION REPORT-NOT BELOW THE RANK OF DCF
(for the forest land to be diverted under FCA)

5.1 A proposal has been received by this office from Office of the General Manager, NFRailway, Maligaon, Guwahati for diversion under FCA 1980) of 10.2086 ha of forest land for non-forestry purpose. The project envisages the use of forest land for construction of Sivoke-Rangpo New BG Rail Project. The site inspection of the land involved in the proposal has been done by me on dated 31.1.2021.

5.2 On inspection of the site, it is found that the land required by the user agency is a Reserve Forest measuring 10.2068 ha of Forest Land.

5.3 The requirement of forest land as proposed by the user agency in Col.2 part-I is unavoidable and is barest minimum required for the project. No.

5.4 Whether any rare/ endangered/unique species of flora and fauna found in the area. If, so the details there of :- Slot found any rare/endangered/unique species of flora and fauna in the area. NA

5.5 xx Whether and protected archaeological / heritage site/ defence establishment or any other important monument is located in the area. If, so the details thereof with NOC from competent authority, if required:-

a) The user agency has not violated the provision of forest (Conservation), Act 1980 and no work has been started without proper sanction.

b) It has been found that the user agency has violated (Conservation), Act and 1980 provisions. A details report as per para 1.9 of chapter 1, Para C of Hand book of forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 attached.

The Proposal is recommended for acceptance in public interest.

Specific recommendation for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal

Place:- Kalimpong

Date:-31.01.2021

(signature)

Name: Hari Krishnan

Designation: Divisional Forest Officer

Office: Kalimpong Forest Division

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x State the purpose for which the forest land is proposed to be Diverted.

xx out of (a) and (b) tick the option which is applicable and cross the option which is not applicable.

As per the letter number 2-2/2000 FC dated 16/10/2000 from ministry of Environment & Forest , Government of India for proposal involving less then 40 hectares of forest land , the site inspection report from DCF is required and for proposal involving more the 40 hectares of forest land site inspection report from the conservator of forests is required.