

Name of Proposal : - Diversion of 0.0440 Ha. Forest land for laying Underground Optical Fiber Cable for Maha IT Project MAHANET (A BBNL Project) for Government of Maharashtra of provide high speed internet Connectivity up to Grom Panchayats from Pimpalkhuti – Karegaon- Arli- Sawergaon – Parwa On SH – 315 total 1.1 K.M. in Pandharkawada Forest division Pandharkawada

PART II

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

State serial No. of proposal _____

7	Location of the project/scheme	Map showing Location Of Diversion of 0.0440 Ha. Forest land for laying Underground Optical Fiber Cable for Maha IT Project MAHANET (A BBNL Project) for Government of Maharashtra of provide high speed internet Connectivity up to Grom Panchayats from Pimpalkhuti – Karegaon- Arli- Sawergaon – Parwa On SH –315 total 1.1 K.M. in Pandharkawada Forest division Pandharkawada (M.S.)					
	(i) State/Union Territory	Maharashtra State					
	(ii) District	Yavatmal					
	(iii) Forest Division	Pandharkawada					
	(iv) Area of forestland proposed for diversion (in ha.)	Sr. no.	Name of Component	Name of village	Comptt No.	Length* width	Area Ha.
		1	Diversion 0.0440 ha. Forest land for laying Underground Optical Fiber Cable for Maha IT Project MAHANET (A BBNL Project) for Government of Maharashtra of provide high speed internet Connectivity up to Gram Panchayats From Pimpalkhuti-Karegaon- Arli-Sawergaon-Parwa On SH-315 total 1.1K.M. in Pandharkawada Forest Division Pandharkawada M.S.	Bhimkund Taluka Ghatanji District Yavatmal	Identified Forest E class sur.no.4	260X0.40	0.0104
				Arli Taluka Ghatanji District Yavatma	123	840X0.40	0.0336
						1100X0.40	0.0440
	(v) Legal status of forest	Reserve Forest and Identified Forest (comp.no.123 SCI working circle, Identified Forest E class sur.no.4 of Village Bhimkund is not included in working plan)					
	(vi) Density of vegetation	Density -0.4 to 0.6 and Eco value class III (Southern tropical Dry deciduous forest)					

	(vii)	Species-wise (specific 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).	Details Enclosed as								
			Sr. no.	Scientific name	Local Name	15/ 30	30/ 45	45/60	60/75	Above 150	Total
			1	Nil	nil	0	0	0	0	0	0
			Total			0	0	0	0	0	0
	(viii)	Brief note on vulnerability of the forest area to erosion.	Not vulnerable to soil erosion								
	(ix)	Approximate distance of proposed site for diversion from boundary of forest.	The proposed site for diversion falls within the boundary/jurisdiction of the Reserve Forest under Compartment no123 and identified Forest sur.no.4 of village Bhimkund Ta.Ghatanji District. Yavatmal								
	(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 area does not form a part of National Park, Wildlife Sanctuary ,Biosphere reserve tiger reserve ,Elephant corridor e .c.								
	(xi)	Whether any rare/endangered/ unique species of flora and fauna found in the area; if so details thereof.	Rare and endangered species are not found in the area								
	(xii)	Whether any 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.	No protected archeological heritage site/defense establishment or any other important moment is located in the area.								
8		Whether the requirement of forestland as proposed by the user agency in col. No. 2 of Part-I is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project. If no, recommended area item-wise with details of alternative examined.	Requirement of forest land as proposed by the user Agency (0.0440 ha)is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project.								

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 non forest area/ degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation, its distance from adjoining forest, number of patches, size of each patch.	Not required
	ii)	Map showing non forest/ degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation and adjoining forest afforestation boundaries.	Not required
	iii)	Detailed compensatory afforestation scheme including species to be planted, implementing agency, time schedule, cost structure, etc.	Not required
	iv)	Total financial outlay for compensatory afforestation scheme.	Not required
	v)	Certificate 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).	Not required
11.	Site inspection report of the D.C.F. (To be enclosed) especially highlighting facts asked in col. 7 (xi), (xii), 8 and 9 above.		Attached herewith as page no
12.	Division/District profile: -		Pandharkawada Forest Division Pandharkawada /District.-Yavatmal
	(i)	Geographical area of the district	1358400 ha.
	(ii)	Forest area of the district	66821.47 Ha.
	(iii)	Total forest area diverted since 1980 with number of cases.	1661.5322 Ha.
	(iv)	Total Compensatory afforestation stipulated in the District /division since 1980	
	(a)	forest land including penal compensatory afforestation	472.29 ha.
	(b)	non-forest land	461.72 ha.
	(v)	Progress of Compensatory afforestation as on (date) on 100%	

	(a)	forest land including penal compensatory afforestation	472.29 ha.
	(b)	non- forest land	461.72 ha.
13.	Specific recommendations of the D.C.F. for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with reasons.		Proposal is recommended for approval.



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