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

Diversion of Forest Land to an extent of 2.337 Ha of forest land for improvement of existing road from Bejjur to Somini in Bejjur Mandal of Gudem RF of Bejjur Range of Kaghaznagar Division in favour of District Panchayat Raj Engineer, Kumrambheem Asifabad District

7.	Location of the Project/Scheme	:	The proposed diversion 2.337 Hac of forest land for improvement of existing road from Bejjur to Somini in Bejjur Mandal of Gudem RF of Bejjur Range.																																																															
i	State/Union Territory :	:	Telangana State.																																																															
ii	District.	:	Kumrambheem Asifabad District.																																																															
iii	Forest Division	:	Kaghaznagar Division.																																																															
iv	Area of forest land proposed for diversion (in Ha.	:	Area of forest land proposed for diversion by User agency in ka Division: 4.1139 Ha (Length 4113.86 meters and width 10.00 meters)																																																															
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v	Legal status of forest.	:	Gudem RF: Notified under section-19 of Hyderabad Forest Act. No. 2 of 1355 Fasili vide G.O. Ms No. 546 dated 19.03.1958.																																																															
vi	Density of vegetation.	:	Density is 0																																																															
vii	Species wise (scientific names) and diameter class wise enumeration of trees (to be enclosed.	:	There is no tree growth in the proposed diversion area.																																																															
viii	Brief note on vulnerability of the forest area to erosion.	:	There will be no noticeable erosion																																																															
ix	Approximate distance of proposed site for diversion from boundary of forest.	:	The area proposed for diversion is passing through Reserve Forest.																																																															
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).	:	Total proposed diversion area 2.337 is falling in Corridor area of Kawal Tiger Reserve which is passing thorough compartment number 218 & 219 in RF Gudem of Sushmeer Beat of Kushnapally Section of Bejjur Range.																																																															
xi	Whether any rare/ endangered / Unique species of flora and fauna found in the area - if so details thereof.	:	The Corridor area in Bejjur Range is bordering Maharastra state which is a linking Corridor of Tadoba-Andhari Tiger Reserve and Kawal Tiger Reserve. This area has transient tigers moving from Maharastra state to Kagaznagar Division of Telangana state.																																																															
xii	Whether any protected archaeological/heritage site/ defense establishment or any other important monument is located in the area.	:	--No--																																																															
8	Whether the requirement of forest land as proposed by the user agency in Column 2 of	:	The User agency has proposed the length of road is 4.1139 meters and width is 10.00																																																															

	Part - I is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project.		<p>meters and the diversion area as 4.1139 Ha in Kaghaznagar Division. The proposed diversion forest area for improvement of existing road from Bejjur to Somini in Bejjur Mandal is passing through interior forest area and the surrounding areas covered with good flora and fauna and the road dead end with the village Somini.</p> <p>During the field inspection on 06.10.2020 with User Agency authorities and concerned staff. It is observed that (2) Bridges required for construction on the proposed road from Bejjur to Somini in Compt No. 218 & 219 and the User Agency Authorities have also stated that they require (2) Bridges on the proposed road and the Bridge length is 200 mts each with a width of 12.00 Mts and area required for Bridges is 0.480 Hac. But the user agency has not included the culvert in this project.</p> <p>As per the field verification requirement of <u>improvement of existing road from Bejjur to Somini</u>, it is recommended the width of road for 5.00 Mtr over the length is 3713.86 mts and area for diversion 1.857 Ha and the Bridges length is 200 mts each with a width of 12.00 Mts and area required for Bridges is 0.480 Hac.</p> <p>As per justification given by user agency and the field conditions, the barest minimum and unavoidable area for the project is 2.337 Ha. including the Bridges.</p>
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.	:	The User Agency has to be identified for Non forest land for Compensatory Afforestation.
ii	Map showing non - forest/degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation and adjoining forest boundaries.	:	-----
iii	Detailed compensatory afforestation scheme including species to be planted, implementing agency, time schedule, cost structure, etc.	:	-----
iv	Total financial outlay for compensatory afforestation scheme.	:	-----
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).	:	-----
11	Site inspection report of the DCF (to be enclosed) especially highlighting facts asked In Columns 7 (xi, xii), 8 and 9 above.	:	The site inspection report is enclosed.

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12	Division/District profile:-	:	
i	Geographical area of the district.	:	4,49,404 Hac.
ii	Forest area of the district.	:	2,44,541 Hac
iii	Total forest area diverted in the division since 1980 with number of cases.	:	102.610 Ha
iv	Total Compensatory afforestation stipulated in the division since 1980 on	:	
a	Forest land included in penal compensatory afforestation.	:	220 Ha
b	Non - Forest land.	:	5.06 Ha (1 case)
V	Progress of compensatory afforestation as on date	:	
a	Forest land included in penal compensatory afforestation.	:	215 Ha
b	Non - Forest land.	:	5.06 Ha
	Specific recommendations of the DCF for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with reasons.	:	<p>As the proposed project is taking the barest minimum area of Reserve Forest and there is no other alternative available. This project can be recommended which will benefit villages in transportation agricultural produce to the nearest market centres.</p> <p>Thus, the diversion area of 2.337 Ha for improvement of existing road from Bejjur to Somini in Bejjur Mandal with a width of 5.00 meters over a length of 3713.86 mts (1.857 Hac) and (2) Bridges with a width of 12 Mts over a length of 200 mts each (0.480) Hac totaling a extent of 2.337 Hac which is falling in Gudem Reserve Forest in Kaghaznagar Division is recommended considering all the aspects mentioned in the proposal and field conditions.</p>

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