

PART - II

(To be filled by the Concerned Deputy Conservator of Forests)

State Serial No. Proposals _____


7.	Location of the Project/ Scheme:	: Diversion of 0.1087 Ha of forest Land in Medak District for Laying of Optical Fiber Cable along the road and within the existing Right of Way in favour of <u>M/s. Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited</u>
I.	State/ Union Territory	: Telangana
II.	District	: Medak
III.	Forest Division	: Medak
IV.	Area of Forest Land proposed for diversion (in Ha)	0.1087 Ha : Length : 2718.64 Meters. Width : 0.40 Meters.
V.	Legal status of forest	: Compt.No.168, 169 of Wadiyaram RF Notified U/s.15 vide G.O.Ms.No.315 (EFS&T) dt.Nil. Compt.No.102 of Bhiknoor RF Notified U/s.18 vide G.O.Ms.No.315 (EFS&T) dt.Nil. Compt.No.427 of Venkatraopet-II RF Notified U/s.18 vide G.O.Ms.No.315 (EFS&T) dt.Nil.
VI.	Density of Vegetation	: Dry Mixed Forests - 0.2 to 0.3
VII.	Species wise & (scientific 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.	: Enclosed
VIII.	Brief note on vulnerability of the forest Area to erosion	: Not much prone for Laying of Optical Fiber Cable along the road and within the existing Right of Way in favour of M/s. Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited
IX.	Approximate distance of proposed site for Diversion from boundary of forest	: The Laying of Optical Fiber Cable along the road and within the existing Right of Way in favour of M/s. Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited Line is passing through the Compt.No.168, 169 of Toopran Range and Compt.no.102 of Medak Range and Compt.No.427 of Shankarampet-A 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 comment of the Chief Wildlife Warden to be annexed.)	:	Passing through Bhiknoor RF of Pocharam Wildlife Sanctuary of Medak Range.
XI.	Whether any rare/endangered/ unique species of flora and fauna in the area if so details thereof.	:	No
XII.	Whether any protected archaeological heritage site/ defense establishment or any other important monument is located in the area. If so, the details thereof with NOC from competent authority, if enquired	:	No
8	Whether the requirement of forest land as Proposed by the user agency in col. 2 of part- I Is unavoidable and barest minimum for the Project. If so, recommended area item-wise with details of alternatives examined.	:	The proposed Forest area for Laying of Optical Fiber Cable along the road and within the existing Right of Way in favour of M/s. Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited Line to an extent of 0.1087 Ha. Since there is no alternative land available except the present proposals recommended for acceptance.
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 CA area proposed is 0.2174 Ha i.e. double the degraded forest area in Compt.No.68 of Annaram RF of Shankarampet-A Range.
ii	Map showing non-forest/ degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation and adjoining forest boundaries	:	Enclosed
iii	Detailed compensatory Afforestation scheme including species to be planted implementing agency, time schedule, cost structure, etc.,	:	Enclosed
iv	Total financial outlay for compensatory afforestation scheme	:	NPV - Rs.87,286-00 Cost of Trees Rs.0-00 Extraction Charges Rs.0-00 Project Cost (CA) Rs.98,232-00 SMC+BP+ETG+Admin Rs.72,70,380-00 Total 73,57,666-00

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)	:	Not applicable
11	Site inspection report of the DCF especially highlighting facts asked in col.no.7 (xi, xii), 8 and 9 above.	:	Enclosed
12	Division/ District profile:	:	Medak / Medak
i	Geographical area of the district.	:	274831.471 Ha.
ii	Forest area of the District.	:	57623.424 Ha.
iii	Total forest area diverted since 1980 with number of cases	:	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Construction of OHBR & inlet & outlet pipeline 0.30 Ha. 2. Construction of Dispensary Hospital and Drinking Water Tank 0.30 Ha. 3. Erection of 132 KVA electricity line 0.44 Ha. 4. Construction of New Broad Gauge Railway line Between Akkannapet -Medak 9.685 Ha 5. Laying of pipe line in Road boundary in Narsapur Yeldurthy Mandal 0.50 Ha 6. Kaleshwaram Project in favour of Irrigation & CAD Department 194.0711 Ha 7. Laying of pipeline in Segment-8/2 (Singuru) under TDWSP in favour of Superintending Engineer TDWSP 3.582 Ha. 8. Construction of New Broad Gauge Railway Line between Manoharabad to Kothapalli in favour of South Central Railway 2.20 Ha <p>Total area Diverted = 211.0781 Ha</p>
iv	Total compensatory afforestation stipulated in the district/ division since 1980	:	
	a) Forest land including penal compensatory afforestation	:	0.3 Ha Planting done during 2009-10 2.64 Ha. Planting done during 2014-15
	b) Non-forest land.	:	4.00 Ha Planting done during 2008-09

v	Progress of compensatory afforestation as on (date)	:	678.81 Ha
(a)	Forest land	:	674.81 Ha
(b)	Non-forest land.	:	4.00 Ha
13	Specific recommendations of the DCF for acceptance or otherwise of the proposals with reasons	:	<p>Inspected the diversion of 0.1087 Ha of Forest Land in Compt.No.168 of Polampally block of Toopran range, Compt.No.102 of Bhiknoor Forest Block of Medak range, Compt.No.427 of Venkaraopet-II of Shankarampet-A range for Laying of Optical Fiber Cable along the road and within the existing Right of Way in favour of M/s Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited, in on 20.11.2019 and the proposals are useful to the people of nearby villages to improve the communication facilities.</p> <p>The proposals is recommended subject to the following conditions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. No damage to the existing tree growth near to the proposed land for diversion. 2. Perpetual supply of 250 MB with internet facility to all Offices in the Medak District.

Date : 03.01.2020
Place: Medak


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