


**Recommendation of the Divisional Forest Officer for acceptance or otherwise of the  
proposal with reason.**

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After meticulous study of the project report & site inspection, the following points are considered for recommendation.

1. The project involved 0.851 hectare Revenue Forest Land & 0.594 hectare of DLC Forest land.
2. The proposed forest area is unavoidable and barest minimum for the purpose of implementation of Paradip - Numaligarh Crude Oil Pipeline project by M/s. Numaligarh Refinery Limited in the State of Odisha.
3. The proposed diversion of forest land will not attract any displacement of people and also will not affect any valuable flora & fauna.
4. The said proposal is for the larger interest of the public.

In view of the above, the said proposal is hereby recommended for necessary approval under section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.

  
27.06.22  
Divisional Forest Officer  
Balasore Wildlife Division, Balasore