

Site Inspection Report

Prescribed vide PCCF (HoFF) No.Desk-17-4/1445, Dated. 5/11/2015

Sr. No.	Items	Observations and remarks
1	Name of the Project and location (Range, Round, Beat)	Proposal for Trenching and laying 24 fibre BSNL OFC Line Bhagwanpur to Sawalkheda under NOFN Project, Ta. Kurkheda, Dist. Gadchiroli. Range- Wadsa, Round- Shirpur, Beat- Bhagwanpur. Range- Armori, Round- Palasgaon, Beat- Sawalkheda.
2	Name of the User Agency.	Dy. General Manager, (OP) BSNL Gadchiroli. Dist - Gadchiroli
3	Date of site inspection.	07 Jan. 2022
4	Extent (ha) and legal status of forest land proposed for diversion.	0.183 ha. (RF) 0.023 ha. (PF) 0.206 ha.
5	a) Details of forest land proposed for diversion and activity-wise break-up of forest land. b) Density and Eco-value class	a) 0.183 ha. (RF) 0.023 ha. (PF) 0.206 ha. Break-up of forest land is Attached with proposal. b) Density- Bellow 0.4 Eco-value---Class-III
6	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 no, recommended area item-wise with details of alternative examined.	Yes, since requirement of forest land as proposed by the user agency is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project technical grounds. As well as three alternative examined & 0.206 ha. Forest area is the barest minimum for the project.
7	Whether the proposal involves any construction of building (including residential) or not? If yes, details thereof.	No.
8	a) Whether forest area proposed for diversion is important from wildlife point of view or not.	a) As per working plan of this area the proposed forest area is rich in biological diversity providing a natural habitat for many important wild animal. It is also rich in avian and floral biodiversity. It constitutes the habitat also an important corridor