

SITE INSPECTION REPORT

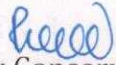
I along with Assistant Conservator of Forests, Karwar Sub-division, Karwar, Range Forest Officer, Karwar, Kadra and Gopsitta Range field staff inspected the proposed diversion of 1.9095 ha. of forest land for diversion of laying underground optical fiber cable along the Right of Way of NH -PWD road in F.Sy.No: 10, 108A, 81, 82, 76, 61, 160, 156, 155-Kodibag, 20- Sunkeri, River, 441, 710, 71A1A1-Kadawada Road, 192A1A1A1-Kinnar, Road, 162A1-Siddar, 298A1A- Wailwada, 157- Naitisawar, 107-Baragala-, 107, 108- Nagekove, 70-Devalamakki, 28, 36, 18, 92A1- Kadiye, 10, 16, 335A1A1- Katara, 35 A, 93,90A, Nala, Road Kerawadi, 71, 81, 83, 55, 42, 95, 42A1, 149, 154- Mallapura, 53 A1, 67, 68, 69, 70-Nala, 72, 74, 76A1- Virje, 76 A, 41 Nala, 45, 49, XX-Kuchegar, 46, 45, 57, 48A, 52, Nala, 16A, 21- Haratuge, 4, 2, 117, 98, 99- Kaige, 71A1, 68, 14, 36, 34, 33, 31- Kadra, River, 479, 491, 496- Chitthakula, Majali, Road Karwar Taluk, Uttara Kannada District (Karwar Forest Division).

Out of 1.9095 ha. only 1.4757 ha. falls in forest area proposed forest land area in F.Sy.No. 71A1A1, 269-Kadwad, 192-Kinnar, 298-Wailwada, 249, 162-Siddar, 21-Belur, 94A, 107A-Bargal, 107-Kove, 70, 58A1A-Devalmakki, 157-Naitisavar, 16A1A1-Nivali, 90A, 93, 104A1-Kerwad, 335A,10-Katar, 92A1, 28-Kadiye, 71, 81, 55, 42A1-Mallapur, 53A1, 76A, 91A, 93, 39A, 33, 7-Virje, 76A, 73, 49, 22A-Kuchegar, 46, 45, 48A, 16A, 21-Hartuga, 4, 2, 1, 98, 105A, 121-Kaiga, 1286, 232-Majali of Karwar, Kadra and Gopsitta Range, Karwar Division in favour of Deputy General Manager, JIO Digital Fiber Private Limited, No.51, RMZ Icon, Place Cross Road, Vaśanth Nagar, Bengaluru. The following observations were made during the site inspection:-

- 1) As per site inspection out of 1.9095 ha. only 1.4757 ha. area falls in forest land.
- 2) The area is having comes under Eco-class-I.
- 4) The proposed area is not having any tree growth.
- 5) There are no endangered/ unique-species of flora and fauna found in the area.
- 6) Protected archaeological/heritage site and other important monuments are not located at the proposed site
- 7) The requirement of the forest land as proposed by the user agency is unavoidable and barest minimum.

Hence after considering above observations, I recommend for the diversion of 1.4757 ha. of forest land instead of 1.9095 ha. forest land in Karwar, Kadra and Gopsitta Range, Karwar Division in favour of Deputy General Manager, JIO Digital Fiber Private Limited, No.51, RMZ Icon, Place Cross Road, Vasanth Nagar, Bengaluru as per provision of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.

Place : Karwar
Date : 29-10-2022


Deputy Conservator of Forests,
Karwar Division, Karwar.