

## RECOMMENDATION

The Executive Engineer, TWAD Board, Major Projects Division, NSR Road, Saibaba Colony, Coimbatore has submitted a proposal through online application Form-A Part- I under section 2 of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for diversion of 0.0458 ha of Forest land in Nellimalai Reserved Forest of Mettupalayam Range for combined water supply scheme to Thondamuthur and six Panchayats and 134 Rural Habitations in Thondamuthur union of Coimbatore District.

I have inspected the above area on 21.04.2017 and found that there is no tree growth on the proposed area as it runs along the existing road for a length of 385 Meters and runs 30 Meters length in Nellimalai Reserved Forest area and I recommend for the laying of pipeline for combined water supply scheme to Thondamuthur union in the Forest land as the area required by the user agency is minimum. Since the user agency is laying the pipeline at a depth of 1.20 meter below the ground level it will not hinder the movement of wild animals and there is no possibility of alternative alignment. Therefore I request that this proposal may kindly be considered in the interest of public to provide water supply.

  
District Forest Officer,  
Coimbatore Division,  
Coimbatore