

Part – II

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

State serial No. proposal- JH-039/2021

7. Location of the projects/scheme:

- (i) State/Union Territory – **Jharkhand.**
- (ii) District – **Chatra.**
- (iii) Forest Division – **Chatra South Forest Division.**
- (iv) Area of forest land proposed for diversion (in ha) - (**Protected Forest land – 0.07802, GMJJ-0.20268, Total- 0.2807**)
- (v) Legal status of forest.- **Deemed Forest & Protected Forest**
- (vi) Density of vegetation- **D=0.1**
- (vii) Species-wise (scientific names) and diameter class-wise enumeration of tree (to be enclosed. In case of irrigation/hydel projects enumeration of FRL, FRL – 2 meter & FRL- 4 meter also to be enclosed.)- **Copy Attached.**
- (viii) Brief note on vulnerability of the forest area to erosion.- **The forest area is moderately vulnerable to soil erosion.**
- (ix) Approximate distance of proposed site for diversion from boundary of forest.-**0.00 KM**
- (x) Whether forms part of National park, Wildlife sanctuary, biosphere reserve, tiger reserve, elephant corridor, etc. (If so, the details of the details of the area and comments of the Chief Wildlife to be annexed).- **No**
- (xi) Whether any rare/endangered/ unique species of flora and fauna found in the area-if so details thereof.- **No**
- (xii) Whether any protected archaeological/heritage site/defence establishment or any other important monument is located in the area. If so, the details thereof with NOC from competent authority, if required.- **No**

8. Whether the requirement of forest land as proposed by the user agency in col. 2 of part-1 is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project. If no, recommended area item-wise with details of alternative examined.- **Yes**

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. **No**

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.- **Not Applicable**
- (ii) Map showing Non-forest /degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation, and adjoining forest boundaries.- **Not Applicable**
- (iii) Detailed compensatory afforestation scheme including species to be planted- **Not Applicable.**
- (iv) Total financial outlay for compensatory afforestation scheme – **Not Applicable.**
- (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 (to be enclosed) especially highlighting facts asked in col. 7 (xi, xii), 8 and 9 above,- **Enclosed.**



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12. Division/District profile:

- (i) Geographical area of the district.- **3706 Km.sq or 370600 hectare.**
- (ii) Forest area of the district.- **2013.7 Km.sq or 201370 hectare.**
- (iii) Total forest area diverted since 1980 with number of cases.- **1575.27 Ha., 24 proposals.**
- (iv) Total compensatory afforestation stipulated in the district /division since 1980 on
 - (i) Forest land including penal compensatory afforestation, - **1930.90 Ha**
 - (ii) Non-forest land.- **53.79 Ha**
- (v) Progress of compensatory afforestation as on (date) 31.10.2023
 - (a) Forest land – **1761.65 Ha**
 - (b) Non-forest land.- **Nil**

13. Specific recommendation of the DCF for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with reasons-

The proposal has been submitted for diversion of 0.2807 Ha of forest land in Chatra South Forest Division for laying of 4 inch dia steel domestic CNG distribution pipeline along ROW of existing roads. The proposal for diversion involves 0.07802 Ha of notified forest land and 0.20268 Ha of GMJJ land.

The project will cater to the domestic energy needs of the people of Chatra district and would help bring down the dependency of people on fuel wood. The forest land required for the project is barest minimum. Hence, the project is recommended.

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Place : Chatra



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