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APPENDIX

(See Rule 6)

FORM - A

**Form for seeking prior approval under section 2 of the proposals by the State Governments
and other authorities**

PART - II

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

State serial No. of proposal. FP/AP/QRY/150390/2021

7. Location of the project/Scheme:

i	State / Union Territory:	Andhra Pradesh
ii	District	SPSR Nellore
iii	Forest Division.	Nellore
iv	Area of forest land proposed for diversion (in ha.)	4.89 Ha
v	Legal status of forest.	Reserved Forest
vi	Density of vegetation	0.5
vii	Species-wise (scientific names) and diameter class-wise enumeration of trees (to be enclosed,. In case of irrigation/hydel projects enumeration at FRL, FRL-2 meter & FRL- 4 meter also to be enclosed)	The abstract of tree enumeration list is enclosed separately
viii	Brief note on vulnerability of the forest area to erosion	This area is not vulnerable to erosion. A certificate is enclosed.
ix	Approximate distance of proposed site for diversion from boundary of forest.	The proposed quarry lease falls in Utukuru RF area. The approximate distance of proposed quarry for diversion from Utukuru RF boundary is 1 KM.
X	Whether forms part of National Park, wildlife sanctuary, biosphere reserve, tiger Reserve, elephant corridor, etc., (If so, the details of the area and comments of the Chief Wildlife Warden to be annexed).	The proposed quarry lease area in Utukuru RF does not form a part of National park, Wild life sanctuary, Biosphere reserve, tiger reserve, elephant corridor etc. A certificate is enclosed.
Xi	Whether any rare/endangered/unique species of flora and fauna found in the area - if so details thereof	There is no rare/endangered/unique species of flora and fauna are found in the area proposed for diversion.
xii	Whether any protected archaeological/heritage site/defense establishment or any other important monument is located in the area - If so, details thereof with NOC from competent authority.	There is no protected archaeological/heritage site/defense establishment or any other important monument is located in the area proposed for diversion.
8	Whether the requirement of forestland 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 alternatives examined.	The requirement of the forest land is 4.89 Ha as proposed by the user agency in col.2 of the part-I is un-avoidable and barest minimum, Accordingly, a certificate is enclosed.
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. Whether work in violation is still in progress.	There is no violation of the Forest Conservation Act,1980 in the area.

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.	The CA area in 3 bits over an extent of 5.16 Ha. has been identified in non forest area in Mettupalli village, Owk Mandal, Kurnool District, Kurnool (T) Division in 3 bits. The CA area details are enclosed.
ii	Map showing non-forest/degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation and adjoining forest boundaries.	The SI sheet as well as the authenticated map of identified non forest CA area are enclosed.
iii	Detailed compensatory afforestation scheme including species to be planted, implementing agency, time schedule, cost structure, etc.	The CA area is identified in Kurnool (T) Division. The details of approved CA scheme furnished by the District Forest Officer, Kurnool are enclosed.
iv	Total financial outlay for compensatory afforestation scheme.	As per the approved CA scheme, the total outlay for Compensatory afforestation scheme is Rs. 47.00 lakhs.
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).	The site suitability certificate of non forest CA area furnished by DFO, Kurnool (T) is enclosed.
11	Site inspection report of the DCF (to be enclosed) especially highlighting facts asked in Co. 7 (xi, xii) 8 and 9 above.	The site inspection report of DFO, Nellore is enclosed.
12	Division/District profile:	
i	Geographical area of the district.	13,07,600 Ha.
ii	Forest area of the district.	280315.967 Ha.
iii	Total forest area diverted since 1980 with number of cases.	4898.263 Ha.
iv	Total compensatory afforestation stipulated in the district/ division since 1980 on	8383.021 Ha.
a	Forest land including penal compensatory afforestation,	1183.90 Ha.
b	Non - forest land.	7267.621 Ha.
v	Progress of compensatory afforestation as on -12-2021	8352.56 Ha.
a	Forest land.	10921.31 Ha.
b	Non-forest land.	7260.25 Ha.
13	Specific recommendations of the DCF for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with reasons.	Recommended since the proposed RF area does not fall in any Sanctuary. The specific recommendation is enclosed.

Date: -05-2022.
Place: Nellore


 Signature
 District Forest Officer
 Name
 Official seal
SPSR NELLORE