

**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/IRRIG/29783/2018

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.)	4.76 Ha
v	Legal status of forest.	Out of 4.76 Ha, an extent of 2.54 Ha falls in Wildlife Sanctuary and the remaining area of 2.22 Ha falls in Reserve Forest.
vi	Density of vegetation,	0.3 to 0.4
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)	Copy enclosed
viii	Brief note on vulnerability of the forest area to erosion	This is a plain area and not vulnerable to erosion
ix	Approximate distance of proposed site for diversion from boundary of forest.	The proposed canal is linear in nature with a length of 1890 m. The proposed canal enters the Udaygiri-Veligonda and Bommavaram RFs boundary from one side and leaves the RF boundaries in another side.
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).	Yes. The proposed canal over an extent of 2.54 Ha is passing through Udayagiri -Veligonda Reserve Forest of Sri Penusila Narasimha Wildlife Sanctuary.
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 found in the area proposed for diversion. Sambar, Spotted deer, Wild boar are found in the Reserve Forest.
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 requirement of the forest land is 4.76 Ha as proposed by the user agency in col.2 of the part-I is un-avoidable

	the project. If no, recommended area item-wise with details of alternatives examined.	and barest minimum, Accordingly, 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 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 user agency has identified 6.0Ha CA land in Sy.No.54 of Pedanagampalli Village of Seetha Rampuram Mandal of SPS Nellore District in lieu of diversion of 4.76 Ha in Nellore Division.
ii	Map showing non-forest/degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation and adjoining forest boundaries.	The location map showing the CA area superimposed on SI sheet of 1:20,000 scale is enclosed.
iii	Detailed compensatory afforestation scheme including species to be planted, implementing agency, time schedule, cost structure, etc.	The detailed CA Scheme along with relevant data is enclosed.
iv	Total financial outlay for compensatory afforestation scheme.	The amount required for CA is Rs. 32.245 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).	Suitability certificate 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.	Enclosed
12	Division/District profile.	
i	Geographical area of the district.	13,07,600 Ha
ii	Forest area of the district.	2,79,138.51 Ha
iii	Total forest area diverted since 1980 with number of cases.	Number of cases : 31 RF area diverted: 4756.31 Ha
iv	Total compensatory afforestation stipulated in the district/ division since 1980 on	<u>C.A stipulated in</u> (1) Reserved Forest : 1031.24 Ha (2) Non-Forest : 7260.46 Ha.
a	Forest land including penal compensatory afforestation,	RF Area: 1031.24 Ha
b	Non - forest land.	Non-Forest area : 7260.46 Ha
v	Progress of compensatory afforestation as	

	on (date)...on	
a	Forest land.	1031.24 Ha
b	Non-forest land.	7260.46 Ha
13	Specific recommendations of the DCF for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with reasons.	<i>Recommended the project as it provides water for irrigation.</i>

Date: 15.06.2018
Place: Nellore



Signature

Name. (P. Ram Mohan Rao)
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