

PART-II

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

State serial No. of proposal: **FP/AP/QRY/120443/2021**

7	Location of the Project/Scheme	: <p>The Project is located in Compt.No.313, Gulamaliabad South Reserve Forest, Banaganapalli Section of Dhone Range of Kurnool Forest Division.</p>												
	(i) State/union Territory	: <p>Andhra Pradesh</p>												
	(ii) District	: <p>Kurnool District</p>												
	(iii) Forest Division	: <p>Kurnool Forest Division</p>												
	(iv) Area of forest land proposed for diversion (in ha)	: <p>3.96 ha</p> <table border="1" style="margin-left: auto; margin-right: auto;"> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px;">Mining area</td><td style="width: 10px;">::</td><td style="padding: 2px;">3.31 ha</td></tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px;">Safety Zone Area</td><td style="width: 10px;">::</td><td style="padding: 2px;">0.59 ha</td></tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px;">Road area</td><td style="width: 10px;">::</td><td style="padding: 2px;">0.06 ha</td></tr> <tr> <td style="padding: 2px;">Total</td><td style="width: 10px;">::</td><td style="padding: 2px;">3.96 ha</td></tr> </table>	Mining area	::	3.31 ha	Safety Zone Area	::	0.59 ha	Road area	::	0.06 ha	Total	::	3.96 ha
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	(v) Legal status of forest	: <p>Gulamaliabad South Reserve Forest was notified as Reserved Forest land in G.O.No.2062, dated.23.10.1970.</p>												
	(vi) Density of vegetation	: <p>The vegetation density of the Reserved Forest is <u>0.1</u> (eco-class-III).</p>												
	(vii) Species-wise (scientific names) and diameter class wise enumeration of trees (to be enclosed. In case of irrigation/hydel projects enumeration at FR L, FRL-2 meter & FRL4 meter also to be enclosed)	: <p>The statement enclosed at Page No <u>219</u></p>												

	(viii) Brief note on vulnerability of the forest area to erosion	: The RF proposed is not vulnerable for erosion, accordingly a certificate is enclosed at Page no. <u>221</u>
	(ix) Approximate distance of proposed site for diversion from boundary of forest.	: The proposed quarry lease site for diversion is about 0.128 km from the RF (GA Bad South RF) boundary.
	(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 grant of quarry lease for road metal area does not form a part of National Park, Wildlife Sanctuary, Biosphere reserve, Tiger reserve, Elephant corridor, etc. Accordingly a certificate is enclosed at Page no. <u>221</u>
	(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. Accordingly a certificate is enclosed at Page no. <u>222</u>
	(xii) Whether any protected archaeological /heritage site/ defense establishment or any other important monument is located in the area. If so, the details there of with NOC from competent authority, if require.	: There is no protected archaeological /heritage site/ defense establishment or any other important monument is located in the proposed RF area. Accordingly a certificate is enclosed at Page No. <u>222</u>
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.	: Yes. The requirement of the forest land as proposed by the user agency in col.2 of part-I is the barest minimum for the project. A certificate is enclosed at Page no. <u>223</u>

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.	No violation has taken place in the proposed quarry lease site area. A certificate is enclosed at page no. <u>223</u>
10	Details of compensatory afforestation scheme	The user agency has identified CA land in Dhone Range of Kurnool Division. The detailed CA scheme costing Rs. <u>37.729</u> lakhs is prepared and enclosed herewith.
	(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 non-forest land in over an extent of 3.97 ha in Sy.nos. 780 & 781 , Racherla village, Peapully Mandal, Kurnool District. The identified area is adjacent to the RF boundary of Jaladurgam Extn.I RF, Racherla Beat, Racherla Section of Dhone Range. The non-forest land identified under this project is suitable from management and protection point of view.
	(ii) Map showing non-forest/degraded forest area identified for compensatory afforestation and adjoining forest boundaries.	The non-forest area maps are enclosed at page nos. <u>207 & 209</u>
	(iii) Detailed compensatory afforestation scheme including species to be planted, implementing agency, time schedule, cost structure, etc.	The detailed Compensatory Afforestation scheme along with details of species to be planted for 10 years plan, time schedule, Cost structure etc., are enclosed at Page Nos. from <u>225 to 249</u>

	(iv) Total financial outlay for Compensatory Afforestation scheme.	: Rs. <u>37.729</u> 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)	: Certificate is enclosed at Page no. <u>247</u>
11	Site inspection report of the DCF (to be enclosed) especially highlighting facts asked in col.7(xi, xii), 8 and 9 above.	: The site inspection report of the District Forest Officer, Kurnool is enclosed at Page no. <u>289</u>
12	Division/ District Profile:	: Kurnool District/ Kurnool Forest Division
	(i) Geographical area of the District	: 1765800 ha
	(ii) Forest area of the Division	: 349400 ha
	(iii) Total forest area diverted since 1980 with number of cases	: RF area diverted =1650.403 ha in 40 cases. Details enclosed at Page nos. <u>285 & 287</u>
	(iv) Total Compensatory Afforestation stipulated in the district/ division since 1980 on	: 1394.781 ha
	(a) forest land including penal compensatory afforestation	: 550.193 ha
	(b) Non-forest land	: 882.711 ha

	(v) Progress of compensatory afforestation as on (date) on 31.12.2020.	:	1272.027 ha
	(a) forest land	:	504.136 ha
	(b) Non-forest land	:	767.891 ha
13	Specific recommendations of the DCF for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with reasons.	:	Recommended for consideration

Date: / 7 -06-2021.

Place: Kurnool



District Forest Officer,
Kurnool.