

FORM – A

(For seeking prior approval under section of the proposal by the State Government
And other Authorities) (See Rule – 6)

Part – I

1	Project Details	
	1. Short narrative of the proposal and project/scheme for which the forest land required	The proposed Wind power project envisages the installations of 144 Wind Turbines of 4.5 MW totaling to 648MW electricity Village: Laxmipur (Netra),Lifri, Nagviri, Ghadani, Ta. Nakhatrana, Matanamadh, Murachban, Samajiyaro, Ekaliyo, Junagiya, Ramaniya, Chakarai, Baranda, Lakhmirani, Bhujpur, Nareda, Ratipal, Mudhan, Ukher, Budha Ta. Lakhsapath, Dis. Kachchhfor setting up 648 MW identified by Government of India, The Ministry of New and Renewable Energy (MNRE) the project will help in mitigating the present power crises in Gujarat State to some extent.
	2. Map Showing the required Forest land Boundary of adjoining Forest on a 1:50,000 scale map	As per check list no.28
	3. Cost of the project	INR 3888Crores
	4. Justification for locating the project in the Forest area	<p>1.) The specific locations which are within Reserved Forest are at a higher altitude where the wind direction & elevation is suitable for maximum generation of electricity through the wind energy.</p> <p>2.) Various other alternatives were evaluated while selecting the locations & sites with least density of the forest (<0.1) were selected and thereafter the proposal is put for diversion of the forest land. The alternative/ options finally are selected based on minimum forest area requirement. Utmost care was taken to minimize the impact on the natural environment including forest.</p>
	5. Cost-benefit analysis (Enclosed)	As per Checklist no.5
	6. Employment likely to be generated	<p>Job opportunities will be created as under</p> <p>A.) During the construction = Direct employment 100persons/ Indirect employment 2000 persons 1000x365 man days.</p> <p>B).During operation and maintenance work or continuous nature = 50 persons / month In totality there will be transformation of socio-economic scenario of the region.</p>

2	Propose – wise breakup of the total land required	Sr.No.	Taluka	No. of Village	Area (Hec.)
		1	Nakhatrana	04	114.5918
		2	Lakhpat	14	379.7471
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		Total		18	494.3387
Details of forest area involved mentioned in checklist no. 7					
3	Details of displacement of people due to the project, if any. 1.) Number of Families 2.) Number of Scheduled Castes/ Scheduled Tribe families 3.) Rehabilitation plan (To be enclosed)	There is no displacement of people due to the project			
		-----Nil -----			
		-----Nil -----			
		Not Required			
4	Whether clearance under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 required ?(Yes / No)	No. the Wind Power Project is not included in the list of Projects requiring Environmental Clearance from the Central Government in SCHEDULE - I of Environment and Forests Notification, Ministry of Environment and Forests dated -27 th January, 1994.			
		Moreover, the wind power projects are accepted as environment friendly projects all over the World.			
5	Undertaking to bear the cost of raising & maintenance of compensatory afforestation and/or penal compensatory afforestation as well as cost for the protection and regeneration of Safety Zone, etc. as per the scheme prepared by the State Govt. (undertaking to be enclosed) afforestation	As per checklist No. 11.			
6	Details of Certificates / documents enclosed as required under the instruction.	Required certificates and documents are provided separately in respective sections.			

For Bhudha Renewable Energy Pvt. Ltd.,


(Authorized Signatory)

Date: 9/07/2020

Place: Ahmedabad

