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**Reply against the Essential Details Sought (EDS) for Forest Clearance (FC)
application of Loc.MKD by DFO, Digboi on 08.06.2017**

- I. C – (ii) - (a) – Patch wise KML files (Plinth area and approach road area) has not been uploaded. Upload the patch wise KML files against diversion area and the same may also be sent by email to the Nodal Officer (FC Act) Assam for ascertained the proposed forest area to be used for non-forestry purpose.
- The KML file showing plinth area and approach road area enclosed as **Annexure- 2**. The KML file will be mailed to Nodal Officer (FC Act), Assam.

- II. C-(iii) – The uploaded scan copy of 1:50,000 scale SOI toposheet map showing the proposed diversion area is not in full size toposheet.

Further the uploaded map only depicted the Plinth Area and Geo-coordinates readings. More over the approaching road connecting to the plinth area mentioned in the column no B-2.4 (2) has not been depicted. Hence a fresh map maintaining the full 1:50,000 scale toposheet showing all the diversion activities along with appropriate length and breadth of the proposed diversion area, legends and DGPS/total Station coordinates points and co-ordinates readings, should be reflected in the map and uploaded.

- A full size Toposheet map/Geo-reference Map in 1:50,000 scale showing all the mandatory components, legends and DGPS/Total Station coordinates points enclosed as **Annexure-3**.

- III.C-(iv) – The uploaded Geo-reference map only depicted the Plinth Area and its Geo-Coordinates readings. The approaching road connecting to the plinth area mentioned in the column no B-2.4 (2) has not been depicted. Hence afresh map showing the area to be diverted in a geo- referenced map in shape file, showing the diversion activities distinctly on the map along with mandatory components, appropriate legends, DGPS/Total Station coordinate points and DGPS/total Station coordinate readings should be reflected in the map and uploaded.

- The Geo-reference showing the diversion activities distinctly on the map along with mandatory components, appropriate legends, DGPS/Total Station coordinate points and DGPS/total Station coordinate readings enclosed as **Annexure-4**.

- IV. M-1-(i)-(a)- The quoted Reference number of the approval letter of the State Mines and Geology Department is incomprehensible. So kindly upload the copy of the approval letter in the additional information column of the format.

- A copy of PML grant letter by the State Mines & Mineral Dept. of Assam is enclosed as **Annexure-A** and uploaded in Additional Information column of the format.

- V. M-1-(i)-(c) – The uploaded undertaking for Letter of Intent stating that under PNGR 1959 Letter of Intent is not applicable and PML is granted without Letter of Intent, which is contradictory to the data entered in column M-1-(i)-(b). So kindly clarify and also upload a copy of the Grant of Mining Lease by Govt. of India.

- The online application form asks for date of approval of LOI which is not applicable for

OIL since PML is granted to OIL under PNGR 1959 which does not require LOI. Therefore, to fill the online form the date of grant of PML by MoPNG has been written i.e., 08.04.2004 for Mechaki PML of OIL.

A copy of PML grant letter by MoPNG is enclosed as **Annexure-B**.

VI. M-2-(vii) - Copy of map of the outer boundary of mining lease area has not been uploaded. So the same may be uploaded.

- The map of the outer boundary of mining lease area has been uploaded as **Annexure-11**.

Additional Information Sought:

1. Aerial distance from the nearest Wildlife Sanctuary/National Park/Biosphere reserve to be furnished.

- Following are the aerial distance from nearest Wildlife Sanctuaries:
- Dibrusaikehowa National Park: 6 km(approx..)
 - DehingPatkai Wild Life Sanctuary : 46 km(approx..)
 - Bherjan-Borajan-Podumani (BBP) WildLifeSanctuary : 33 km (approx..)

2. An undertaking of payment of NPV/C.A. etc. in non-judicial stamp paper to be furnished.

- Provided as **Annexure-C & D**

3. An undertaking that the survey was done by DGPS/Total Station in non-judicial stamp paper to be furnished.

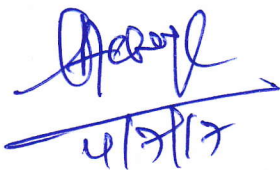
- Provided as **Annexure-E**

4. An undertaking that the project area is the barest minimum and shall not be changed in non-judicial stamp paper to be furnished.

- Provided as **Annexure-F**

5. The topo-sheets, geo-referenced, layout maps & other documents showing diversion areas are to be duly signed by the authorized official affixing his official seals.

- Same as **Annexure-3 & 4**.



Thanking you,
With Regards,

Yours faithfully,
OIL INDIA LIMITED

GM (HSE)
&
Nodal Officer - OIL (EC/FC/NBWL)

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General Manager (HSE) & Nodal Officer-OIL (EC/FC/NBWL)
For **Resident Chief Executive**

Encl: A/A