

SITE SUITABILITY CERTIFICATE

Certified that I have inspected the Compensatory Afforestation land over an extent of 5.22 ha. (12.89 Acres) identified by M/s Venkateswara Rocks, Chittoor in Sy.No.109-C & D of Ramagiri (V) & (M) of Ananthapuramu District on 25.11.2016 in lieu of forest land proposed for diversion of 4.69 Ha (3.89 Ha for mining area + 0.67 Ha for Safety zone area + 0.13 Ha for road area) in Compt. No. 389 of Mangunta RF and Beat of Chittoor East Division for Mining lease of Black Granite. Out of 5.22 Ha (12.89 Acres) offered by the user agency, an area of 4.50 Ha will be treated for raising of CA plantation. Out of 5.22 Ha the scheme is prepared for 4.50 Ha only which is equallent to diverted area excluding Safety zone area and the remaining area 0.72 Ha is kept under protection. The soil type is mostly red gravelly and suitable for raising of Compensatory Afforestation plantation. After ascertaining the soil and rainfall requirements by the Forest Range Officer, Ananthapuram , I am satisfied that the site selected is suitable and fit for raising C.A. Plantation with species like *Narepi*, *Tapasi*, *Kanuga*, *Seema ruba*, *Red Sanders*, *Neem*, and *Babul* and other miscellaneous species. The site is suitable from management and protection point of view.

**Divisional Forest Officer,
Ananthapuramu.**

25/11/17