

INSPECTION REPORT

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2	Name of the User Agency	Deputy Conservator of Forests, Satara																								
3	Date of Site Inspection																									
4	Extent (Ha.) and legal status of forest land proposed for diversion	Area - 227.90 ha. Status - Reserved Forest.																								
5	Details of forest and proposed for diversion and activity-wise break-up of forest land. a) Density and Eco-value class	<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse; margin-top: 5px;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="text-align: center;">Village</th> <th style="text-align: center;">Gat No.</th> <th style="text-align: center;">Area (ha.)</th> <th style="text-align: center;">Activity</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Bahule</td> <td style="text-align: center;">346</td> <td></td> <td style="text-align: center;">Gaonthan and agricultur</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Kharade</td> <td style="text-align: center;">314</td> <td style="text-align: center;">9.15</td> <td style="text-align: center;">Gaonthan agricultur</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Helgaon</td> <td style="text-align: center;">1187b</td> <td style="text-align: center;">32.85</td> <td style="text-align: center;">agricultur</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Hanbarwadi</td> <td style="text-align: center;">130</td> <td style="text-align: center;">49</td> <td style="text-align: center;">agricultur</td> </tr> <tr> <td style="text-align: center;">Gosavewadi</td> <td style="text-align: center;">95,117</td> <td style="text-align: center;">24</td> <td style="text-align: center;">agricultur</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> <p>Density is site wise varies from 0.4 to 0.8 (Mixed plantaion area)</p>	Village	Gat No.	Area (ha.)	Activity	Bahule	346		Gaonthan and agricultur	Kharade	314	9.15	Gaonthan agricultur	Helgaon	1187b	32.85	agricultur	Hanbarwadi	130	49	agricultur	Gosavewadi	95,117	24	agricultur
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6	Whether the requirement of forest land 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 alternative examined.	Yes, requirement of forest land is unavoidable and barest minimum for project.																								
7	Whether the proposal involves any construction of building (Including residential) or not? If yes, details there of.	Yes, residential homes and civic amenities for rehabilitated villages.																								
8	a) Whether forest area proposed for diversion is important from wildlife point of view or not. b) Details of any rare or endangered or unique species of flora and fauna found in proposed forest land. If so,	No rare or endangered or unique species of flora and fauna found in the project area. Project area of mixed plantation having density varies																								

	<p>the details there of.</p> <p>c) Aerial distance from the nearest boundary of any protected Area (KM)</p> <p>d) Remarks about sensitivity of the forest area likely to be affected due to project.</p> <p>e) Whether wildlife mitigation plan is required? If yes, reasons there of.</p>	<p>sitewise from 0.4 to 0.8.</p> <p>Chandoli National Park i.e. Sahyadri Tiger Reserve is 17.50 km away from this project.</p> <p>Area Proposed for Rehabilitation is of mixed plantation. The area is not generally susceptible to the erosion.</p> <p>No</p>
9	<p>Details of Vegetation :</p> <p>a) Total number of trees to be felled.</p> <p>b) Number of trees to be felled of girth below 60 CM.</p> <p>c) Number of trees to be felled of girth above 60 CM.</p> <p>d) Effect of removal of trees on the general ecosystem in the area.</p>	<p>38728</p> <p>33812</p> <p>4916</p> <p>Nil</p>
10	<p>Background note on the proposal (Short Summary)</p>	<p>Already 19 villages, 2 part were relocated from Chandoli National Park, Which forms part of Sahyadri Tiger Reserve. Village Male is one the last five villages proposed to be relocated from Chandoli National Park.</p> <p>Chandoli was declared as sanctuary in 1985 and in year 2004 its status was upgraded to National Park. Area includes a dam having capacity 35 TMC. In year 2010 area of Chandoli National Park together with Koyana Sanctuary was declared as Sahyadri Tiger Reserve. 313 Sq. KM. area of Chandoli National Park becomes core area of Sahyadri Tiger Reserve. Only five villages in two clusters area inside core area.</p> <p>Villages namely Male (140 Families), Kolane (79 Families), Patharpunj (106 Families), Khundalapur (72 Families) Janaiwadi (14 Families) are inside the core area and facing lot of difficulties & deprived of basic civil amenities. As well as transport facilities. Villager's area intensely willing to rehabilitation out of core area. Even villagers of Male, Kolane & Patharpunj frequently agitating for their quick rehabilitation.</p> <p>Rehabilitation of Male villages will add total 519.49 ha. of land as forest area. Also centre of human disturbance will be shifted out of core area which will aid in wildlife conservation.</p>

11	Whether the proposal involves any violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980? If yes a detailed report on violation including action taken against the concerned officials to be attached.	No
12	Whether the proposal involves rehabilitation of displaced person. If yes, whether rehabilitation plan has been approved by the State Government?	No
13	Details on catchment and cultivable command area under the project (if applicable). Status of catchment area treatment plant to prevent siltation of reservoir (If applicable)	Not Applicable
14	Utility of the Project	Rehabilitation of Male village from the core area of Chandoli National Park. (Sahyadri Tiger Reserved) Will help to make the core area inviolent, which will definitely aid in wildlife Conservation.
15	Whether land being diverted has any Socio - Cultural / Religious values ? Whether any sacred grove or very old growth trees/forests exists in the areas proposed for diversion?	No No
16	Any other important information related to the project (Separate note may be attached, If required)	Rehabilitation of Male village from the core area of Chandoli National Park of Sahyadri Tiger Reserve
17	Details of documents and photographs enclosed.	Maps and Certificates etc attached in proposal
18	Recommendations of the Inspecting Officer (CCF/CF/DCF)	Project is recommended for Rehabilitation of Male village.

Place: Satara
Date : 17/06/2021


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