

Site Inspection Report

Proposal No. FP/MH/ROAD/13978/2015

Items	Observation and remarks						
1	Name of the project and location	Rehabilitation and up gradation of existing Buttibori – Wardha section of NH-361, km28.800-km80.000 to 4 lane configuration, in the state of Maharashtra					
	Village : Salod, Sawangi (Meghe), Umari, Satoda, Pavnar, Kelzar, Amgaon (Kh), Khadki, Seldoh	Sr. No	Taluka	Village	Sur No.	Total Area in Ha.	Proposed Area (Ha)
			Wardha	Salod	511	0.89	0.09
				Sawangi M	124	1.80	0.368
				Sawangi M	129	1.11	0.700
				Sindhi M	129	5.55	0.18
				Sindhi M	157	6.89	0.339
				Sindhi M	158	4.29	0.93
				Umari	79	1.88	0.014
				Satoda	186	17.93	0.099
				Pavnar	477	1.15	0.368
				Pavnar	466	0.4	0.021
		Grand Total of Wardha				41.89	3.109
			Seloo	Kelzar	111	0.61	0.201
					110	1.87	0.544
					106/1	8.63	1.365
					120	2.86	1.201
					122	13.11	2.003
					17	0.95	0.145
					611	0.62	0.156
					568	0.40	0.030
					569	1.56	0.867
					563	0.31	0.076
					573	2.53	1.240
					554	2.20	0.404
					123	5.87	0.166
					124	10.76	1.293
				Amagaon Khadki	17	0.07	0.057
					18	0.21	0.112
				Khadki	32	0.76	0.016
					20	2.00	0.165
					145	0.33	0.018
				Seldoh	56	0.24	0.010
					146	0.19	0.020
		Grand Total of Seloo				56.08	10.089
		Grand Total of Wardha & Seloo				97.97	13.198
2	Name of the User Agency.	National Highway Authority of India					
3	Date of site inspection.	11/09/2017					
4	Extent (ha.) and legal status of forest land proposed for diversion.	13.198 as per user agency 13.200 Ha.					
5	a) Details of forest land proposed for diversion and activity-wise break-up of forest land.	For existing 2 lane road to 4 lane up gradation of Buttibori - Wardha					
	b) Density and Eco-value class.	Average density is 0.4, except for 573 & 554					

	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
7	Whether the proposal involves any construction of building (including residential) or not? If yes, details thereof.	No
8	a) Whether forest area proposed for diversion is important from wildlife point of view or not.	Gut no. 573 & 554 having area 1.644 is important for tiger habitat, also this area is having a wildlife water hole.
	b) Details of any rare or endangered or unique species of flora and fauna found in proposed forest land. If so, the details thereof.	Tiger habitat - Details report attached.
	c) Aerial distance from the nearest boundary of any protected Area (km).	9 KM from boundary of Bor Wildlife Sanctuary and 150 mtr from Buffer zone of tiger reserve.
	d) Remarks about sensitivity of the forest area likely to be affected due to project.	Map enclosed in Page No.
	e) Whether wildlife mitigation plan is required? If yes, reasons therefore:	Appropriate decision may be taken as per unified control protocol.
9	Details of vegetation:	
	a) Total number of trees to be felled:	388
	b) Number of trees to be felled of girth below 60 cm:	189
	c) Number of trees to be felled of girth above 60 cm:	199
	d) Effect of removal of trees on the general ecosystem in the area.	Nil, except for Gut No. 573 & 554
10	Background note on the proposal (short summary).	Rehabilitation and up gradation of existing Buttibori – Wardha section of NH-361, km28.800-km80.000 to 4 lane configuration, in the state of Maharashtra
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, FRA certificate is enclosed.
13	Details on catchment and culturable command area under the project (if applicable). Status of catchment area treatment plan to prevent siltation of reservoir (if applicable).	NA
14	Utility of the project.	This is a highway project and as per user agency when construction work is start then almost 400 person/year generate temporary employment.

15	Whether land being diverted has any socio-cultural/ religious values? Whether any scared grove or very old growth trees/forests exist in the areas proposed for diversion?	No
16	Any other important information related to the project (Separate note may be attached. if required).	Not required
17	Details of documents and photographs enclosed:	Enclosed
18	Recommendations of the Inspecting Officer	After protecting the tiger habitat sanction to the works may be given.

Place : Wardha

Date: 11/09/2017


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