

## **JUSTIFICATION FOR LOCATING THE PROJECT IN THE FOREST LAND**

The National Highways Authority of India has been entrusted with the assignment of Four laning of Bijnor ( Part of NH-119) -Kotwali ( End of NH-74) of NH-709AD in the State of Uttar Pradesh Package-IV (km 111.680 to km 133.300)

The proposed project section road Package-IV starting from Design Chainage Km 11+680 (Km 86+500 of NH 119) near Bijnor to Design Chainage 133+300 (Km 71+000 of NH 74) near Kotawali in the state of Uttar Pradesh. Total length 21.620 kms falls in Bijnor District in the State of Uttar Pradesh

### **EXISTING ROAD SECTION**

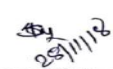
S. No	Existing Chainage (Km)		Existing Length	Design chainage		Proposed Length	Remarks
	From	To		From	To		
1	6+450	24+627	18.177	111+680 (New NH 709AD)	133+300 (New NH 709AD)	21.620	Bijnor to Kotawali
Existing Length		18.177		Proposed Length		21.620	

The road traverses through the district of Bijnor in the State of Uttar Pradesh..The proposed project section road stretch covered the capacity to meet the traffic demand of the area as the existing road leads to various tourist/religious destinations in Bijnor District in the State of Uttar Pradesh. In order to widening and up gradation will be performed on adjoining to the existing road only .Road side plantation along the project road which is declared as Protected Forest Land will be impacted due to the proposed widening work. No other alternative exist for proposed widening.

Yours sincerely,

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