

ANNEXURE-9

JUSTIFICATION FOR LOCATING THE PROJECT IN FOREST AREA

The proposed OFC line is generally laid the Vyara – Songadh N.H. 53 on both sides of the road. Such road side area is declared as the social forest of central government under the forest Conservation Act 1980.

Under this proposal OFC we would be use 52.100km linear forest land (2.3445 hectores) area along Vyara-Songadh highway.

The area required for laying OFC is bare minimum which is a part of social forest land.

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