

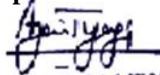
**Justification for location the Project in forest land and  
details of alternatives examined:**

It is to certify that Indraprastha Gas Limited, IGL Bhawan, Plot No. – 4, Community Centre, Sector – 9, R. K. Puram, New Delhi – 110022, has proposed to lay 12" NB Carbon Steel Gas Pipeline, 125 mm MDPE & 50 mm Duct in same trench along NH - 24 (New NH - 9) (Delhi - Lucknow Road) from Km. 34.00 to Km. 49.800 of total Km. 15.80 in Forest Division Hapur, District Hapur-UP.

The Project envisages the use of 0.7900 Ha. forest land for diversion (under FCA – 1980) is Protected Forest Land for non-forestry purpose in above subjected matter.

The requirement of Forest land as proposed by the user agency is unavoidable due to non-availability of any alternate land and is barest minimum required for the project. Hence, it is requested that permission may kindly be granted.

**Indraprastha Gas Limited**

  
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