

**ANNEXURE -IX**

**Full Title of the Project:** Rehabilitation and Up gradation of 2-lane with Paved Shoulders configuration of NH-133E from Bhagalpur to Baljhor Basti (Bihar & Jharkhand state border) in the state of Bihar on EPC mode.

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
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**JUSTIFICATION FOR LOCATING THE PROJECT IN FOREST AREA**

- The Ministry of Road Transport and Highways (MoRTH) / National Highways Authority of India (NHAI) has decided to develop NH 133E from Bhagalpur to Baljhor (Bihar & Jharkhand Border) to two lane with paved shoulders. The total length of the proposed alignment is 59.510.
- The Project road is newly declared NH 133E and it passes through Banka district of Bihar.
- The Project Road links the NH-80(New NH-33), NH-333A and SH-17 of Jharkhand State.
- This region has traffic more than 10,000 PCU and the existing road is not able to cater the future traffic therefore it is suggested to upgrade existing road to 2-Lane with Paved Shoulder configuration, in terms of effective and efficient mode of communication.
- The Project Road provide the connectivity of tourist place known as Mandar Hills Kuppa Ghat ,Tillha Kothi.& it provides better connectivity from Sultanganj (28 km west from Bhagalpur) to Deogarh(Holy Place specially known for Baidyanath Temple) via Bhagalpur, Jagdishpur, Rajoun, Bounsi.

Place- Bhagalpur

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