

Annexure-17

Site Inspection Report

(For the Forest land to be diverted under FCA)

A proposal has been received by this office from Authorized officer, Gujrat Gas Limited. Gandhinagar Diversion of 0.785 hector of Protected Forest land i.e road side strip plantation declared as protected forest for laying of 15 Cm dia Steel natural gas pipeline to supply natural gas to various en-route villages/industries in Sayla Taluka in District-Surendranagar, State: Gujarat. The site inspection of the land involved in the proposed had been done by me on Dt.: 21/ 01 /2016.

On inspection of the site it is found that the land required by the user agency is a PF forest admeasuring 0.785 hector.

The requirement of forest land as proposed by the agency in Col.2 of part-I is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project.

No protected archaeological/heritage site/deference establishment or any other important and barest minimum for the project.

No rare/endangered / unique species of flora and fauna found in this area.

XX (A) The user agency has not violated the provision of Forest (Conversation) Act-1980 and no work has been stated without proper sanction.

OR

X (B) It has been found that the user agency has violated the FCA provision and has stated the following works without proper sanction under FCA.

If so,

(1) Date of starting the work.

(2) The nature and extent of work done.

It is recommended to divert this land for above mentioned purpose.

Place: - Surendranagar

Date: 21/01/2016

(A.C.Patel)

Dy Conservator of Forests
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Surendranagar

N.B.X State the purpose for which the forest land is purposed to be diverted.

Out of (a) and (b) () the option which is applicable and cross (X) the option which is not applicable.

As per latter No.2-2/2000-FC, Dt. 16/10/2000 from Ministry of Environment and Forest, Govt. of India, for proposals involving less than 40 ha. Of forest land. The site inspection report from Dy. CF is required and for proposal involving more than 40 ha. Of Forest Landsite inspection report from the conservator of forest it requires.