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Field Inspection Note of Sri.B.Srinivas, I.F.S.,

pisional Forest Officer (FAC), Mahabubnagar on 07/10/2015 at Doulthabad Forest Block in Compt.No.308 of Gokafaslabad Beat of Kodangal Range of Mahabubnagar Division.

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On 07/10/2015 proceeded and inspected the area proposed for diversion at Doulthabad Forest Block in Compt.No.308 of Gokafaslabad Beat of Kodangal Range of this Division. The proposed 0.335 Ha to be diverted for widening and strengthening of Ravulapally – Maddur Road from Km 3/2 to 4/2 (1.00 Km) in favour of Executive Engineer, R&B Division, Mahabubnagar is transacted and observed that:

The total Forest Area in Compt.No.308 of Doulthabad Reserve Forest is 300.00 Acres (121.4055 Ha). The Forest Area of this Compartment Area is degraded plain area and having only bushy left over of Old Eucalyptus plantation, with bushy miscellaneous growth. The canopy density is 0.20. No Trees are falling in the proposed area for widening and strengthening of road. There are no rare / endangered / unique species of flora and fauna in this proposed area and also there are no protected archaeological / heritage site/defence establishment.

The degraded Forest area diverted for this purpose is only 0.335 Ha. Since the area proposed for diversion is for widening and strengtghening of Ravulapally – Maddur Road from Km.3/2 to 4/2, in favour of Executive Engineer, R&B Division, Mahabubnagar, is connecting three Mandals and Revenue Divisional Head Quarters and also minimizing the Distance. There is also no alternate route for this connecting segment.

Hence, it is recommended to divert the Forest Area.

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