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Diversion of 1.827 hac of forest land for laying OFC from Verka Chowk Amritsar to Mehta via Vallah Bye Pass under Forest Division & District Amritsar.

SITE INSPECTION REPORT NOT BELOW THE RANK OF D.F.O.

(For the forest land to be diverted under FCA)

A proposal has been received by this office from **M/S RELIANCE JIO INFOCOMM LIMITED** for diversion (under FCA-1980) of **1.827 ha.** of forest land for non-forestry purpose. The project envisages the use of land for **laying OFC from Verka Chowk Amritsar to Mehta via Vallah Bye Pass under Forest Division and Distt Amritsar.**

The site inspection of the land involved in the proposal has been done by me on date...11/3/17.....

On inspection of the site, it is found that the land required by the user agency is a RF/PF/un-classed/**Protected** forest measuring **1.827 ha.**

The requirement of forest land has proposed by the user agency in column 2 of part 1 is unavoidable and the barest minimum required for the project.

Whether any rare/endangered/unique species of flora and fauna found in the area. If so, the details thereof. **No**

Whether any protected archaeology/heritage site/defense establishment or any other important, monument is located in the area. If so the details therefore of with NOC from competent authority, if required. **No**

✓ (a) The user agency has not violated the provision of Forest (conservation) act, 1980 and no work has been started without proper sanction.

✗ (b) It has been found that user agency has violated the forest (conservation) Act, 1980 provision. As detailed report as per Para 1.9 of Chapter1, Part c of Handbook of Forest (conservation) Act, 1980 is attached.

Specified recommendation for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal. **May be accepted as per GOI guidelines**

Place...9/10/17...

Date...9/3/17...

(Signature) 9/3

Name 9/3

Designation 9/3

Office Seal 9/3

N.B. State the purpose for which the forest land is proposes to be diverted. Out of (a) and (b) tick the option which is applicable and cross (x) the option which is not applicable.

As per letter number 2-2/2000-FC dated 16.10.2000 from Ministry of Environment & Forests, Government of India for proposal involving less than 40 hectare of forest land, the site inspection report from DCF is required and for proposal involving more than 40 hectare of forest land site inspection report from the Conservator of Forest is required.