

SITE INSPECTION REPORT

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Prescribed vide PCCF (HoFF) No. Desk-17-4/1445, Dated 15/11/2015

Sr. No.	Items	Observations and remarks															
1.	Name of the Project and location (Range, Round, Beat)	Construction of approach road by Shree Nakoda Bhairav Darshan Dham in Village Dhekale, Taluka Palghar, District Palghar, Maharashtra. Range : Dahisar, Round : Ganja, Beat : Dhekale.															
2.	Name of the User Agency	Shree Nakoda Bhairav Darshan Dham (Trust)															
3.	Date of Site inspection	24 /05 /2017															
4.	Extent (ha) and legal status of forest land proposed for diversion	Protected Forest Survey No. 101 (W34) : 0.01.20 ha. 101 : 0.04.80 ha. Total : 0.06.00 ha.															
5.	a) Details of forest land proposed for diversion and activity-wise break-up of forest land b) Density and Eco-value class	<table border="1" style="width: 100%; border-collapse: collapse;"> <thead> <tr> <th style="width: 25%;">Activity</th> <th style="width: 15%;">Survey No.</th> <th style="width: 25%;">Legal Status</th> <th style="width: 35%;">Area in ha.</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td rowspan="2">Construction of approach road</td> <td>101 (W34)</td> <td>P.F.</td> <td>0.01.20</td> </tr> <tr> <td>101</td> <td>P.F.</td> <td>0.04.80</td> </tr> <tr> <td colspan="3" style="text-align: right;">Total</td> <td>0.06.00</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> Density : Below 0.4 Eco-value class : I	Activity	Survey No.	Legal Status	Area in ha.	Construction of approach road	101 (W34)	P.F.	0.01.20	101	P.F.	0.04.80	Total			0.06.00
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6.	Whether the requirement of forest land as proposed by the User Agency in Col.2 of Part-1 is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project. If no recommended area item-wise with details of alternative examined	Yes															
7.	Whether the proposal involves any construction of building (including residential) or not ? If yes, details thereof	No															
8.	a) Whether forest area proposed for diversion is important from wildlife point of view or not. b) Details of any rare or endangered or unique species of flora and fauna found in proposed forest land. If so, the details thereof.	No No rare or endangered or unique species of flora and fauna is found in proposed Forest land. However list of flora and fauna found in adjoining forest area is enclosed herewith.															

	c) Aerial distance from the nearest boundary of any Protected Area (km) d) Remarks about sensitivity of the forest area likely to be effected due to project: e) Whether wildlife mitigation plan is required? If yes, reasons therefor.	5.00 KM & above Sensitivity of forest area is not likely to be affected due to project. No
9.	Details of vegetation; a) Total number of trees to be felled: b) Number of trees to be felled of girth below 60 cm. c) Number of trees to be felled of girth above 60 cm. d) Effect of removal of trees on the general ecosystem in the area.	No Tree felling Nil Nil Nil
10.	Background note on the proposal (short summary)	User Agency has purchased five private survey numbers to establish philanthropic campus for convenience of members of their community in particular and other public in general. As per statement given by Project Authority, it has inadvertently constructed approach road through Protected Forest and violated the FCA due to misinformation given by sellers of private survey numbers. Since User Agency has no other approach, it is seeking regularization of that violation and approval under section 2 of FCA,1980.
11.	Whether the proposal involves any violation of Forest (Conservation) Act 1980? If yes, a detailed report on violation including action taken against the concerned officials to be attached	Yes, work has been started in forest area and hence violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and its guidelines is committed. FOR is booked against Project Authority and deposit of Rs.45,000/- is recovered from Project Authority. Work is stopped forthwith.
12.	Whether the proposal involves rehabilitation of displaced person. If yes, whether rehabilitation plan has been approved by the State Government?	The proposal doesn't involve any rehabilitation, hence no rehabilitation plan required.
13.	Details on catchment and culturable command area under the project (if applicable) Status of catchment area treatment plan to prevent siltation of reservoir (if applicable).	Not applicable.

14.	Utility of the project	The approach road will be utilized by the Project Authority for enjoyment of their private property.
15.	Whether land being diverted has any socio-cultural/religious value? Whether any scared grove or very old growth trees/forest exist in the areas proposed for diversion?	No
16.	Any other important information related to the project (Separate note may be attached, if required)	No
17.	Details of documents and photographs enclosed:	Enclosed on page No. to
18.	Recommendation of the Inspecting Officer.	The violation is done by the Project Authority. The offence case is booked against the Project Authority. Project Authority has submitted the proposal for regularization of violation and permission under section 2 of FCA, 1980. Recommended for regularization of violation and approval under section 2 of FCA, 1980 with appropriate action may dim fit.

Place : Dahanu

Date :

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