


Site Inspection Report (Prescribed vide PCCF(HoFF) No.Desk-17-4-45 Dated 5/11/2015)					
Proposal No. FP/MH/ROAD/29169/2017					
Items		Observation and remarks			
1	Name of the project and location Village, Range, Round & Beat	Rehabilitation and up-gradation of NH-66 from Km 406/030 to Km 450/170 [Kalmath to Zarap section] to four -lane with paved shoulder in the state of Maharashtra under NHDP-IV in the state of Maharashtra under NHDP IV.			
		Village	Gut & Survey No.	Range	Round Beat
		Osargaon	1708,147,136/A, 146,151,1709,1775, 1983,1736	Kankawali	Digwade
		Kasal	21/A/3,21A/4,21/B,21/A/5,200/5,200/7	Kadawal	Kasal
		Pavasi	103	Kudal	Nerur T.H
2	Name of the User Agency.	Executive Engineer National Highway Division, Ratnagiri (M.H.)			
3	Date of site inspection.	28/12/2017			
4	Extent (ha.) and legal status of forest land proposed for diversion.	2.8715 Ha. Legal status: -Identified Forest Area & Village Pavashi is undecided under Maharashtra Private Forest (Acquisition) Act 1975)			
5	a) Details of forest land proposed for diversion and activity-wise break-up of forest land.	Rehabilitation and up-gradation of NH-66 from Km 406/030 to Km 450/170 [Kalmath to Zarap section] to four -lane with paved shoulder in the state of Maharashtra under NHDP-IV in the state of Maharashtra under NHDP IV.			
	b) Density and Eco-value class.	0.4 & Eco-value class one			
6	Whether the requirement of forest land as proposed by the User Agency in col.2 of part-I is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project. If no, recommended area item-wise with details of alternative examined.	Yes, The proposed forest land is unavoidable and barest minimum. As the alignment of road is as per existing National highway for is up gradation of exiting national, so alternative alignment is not possible.			
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.	No			
	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 any rare/endangered/unique species of flora and fauna is found in this area .The area is not a part of national Park, wildlife sanctuary etc.			
	c) Aerial distance from the nearest boundary of any protected Area (km).	25 Km. From Radhanagri Wildlife Sanctuary.			
	d) Remarks about sensitivity of the forest area likely to be affected due to project.	NA			
	e) Whether wildlife mitigation plan is required? If yes, reasons therefore:	No			
9	Details of vegetation:				
	a) Total number of trees to be felled:	606 Nos.			

	b) Number of trees to be felled of girth below 60cm:	303 Nos.
	c) Number of trees to be felled of girth above 60 cm:	303 Nos.
	d) Effect of removal of trees on the general ecosystem in the area.	No
10	Background note on the proposal (short summary).	Rehabilitation and up-gradation of NH-66 from Km 406/030 to Km 450/170 [Kalmath to Zarap section] to four -lane with paved shoulder in the state of Maharashtra under NHDP-IV in the state of Maharashtra under NHDP IV.
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.	No
12	Whether the proposal involves rehabilitation of displaced person. If yes, whether rehabilitation plan has been approved by the State Government?	No
13	Details on catchments and cultural command area under the project (if applicable).	NA
14	Utility of the project.	This is a highway project and as per user agency when construction work is start then almost 400 person/year generate temporary employment.
15	Whether land being diverted has any socio-cultural/ religious values? Whether any scared grove or very old growth trees/forests exist in the areas proposed for diversion?	No
16	Any other important information related to the project (Separate note may be attached, if required).	Not required
17	Details of documents and photographs enclosed:	Enclosed
18	Recommendations of the Inspecting Officer	Recommended for acceptance.

Dated: 06/01/2018
Place: Sawantwadi


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