

# Singhal Energy Private Limited

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To,  
The Divisional Forest Officer,  
Raigarh Forest Division,  
District Raigarh (C.G.)

Sub: Justification for locating the project in the forest land.

Sir,

It is most humbly submitted that the Water Resources Division, Government of Chhattisgarh was pleased to permit our industry M/s Singhal Energy Private Limited to draw water from the *Gerwani Nallah* which is a tributary of Kelo river to fulfil the water requirements for the proposed captive power plant in Village Taraimal, Block Tamnar, District Raigarh.

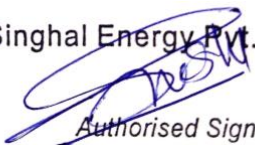
In order to draw water from the said *Gerwani Nallah* to the proposed site at Village Taraimal, a water pipeline is required to be set up. For the aforementioned pipeline to reach the proposed site, there is no other alternative, but for the pipeline to pass through the forest area. Therefore, for the aforementioned reason, we are submitting the proposal for the diversion of the minimum forest land as required for setting up of the pipeline.

It is further emphasised and reiterated that the location and situation of the *Gerwani Nallah* and the proposed site is such that there is no other way but for the pipeline to go through the forest lands and the scheme of proposed pipeline has been formulated in a way so that there is minimum use of the forest land.

Thanking You.

Sincerely,

M/s. Singhal Energy Pvt. Ltd.



Authorised Signatory