



OIL AND NATURAL GAS CORPORATION LTD.

Subsurface Team, Jorhat Asset

Office of SSM
Nambar-I, Cinnamara
Jorhat Assam

File No: ONGC/JRT/SST/KHDH/Justification

Date: 19.08.2021

Sub: Justification for locating the Project in forest land

Six new wells KHDH, KHDX, KHDY, KHDZ, KHEA and KHEB are to be drilled for production of crude Oil and Natural Gas. All wells falls in notified Nambar South Reserve Forest of Golaghat District. These locations are under Khoraghat Ext -I PML of a total area of 88.97 sq.km. vide office order No. F. No Expl-13012/2/2020-EXPL-PNG dated 28th September, 2020. Above mentioned wells are planned to be drilled from fresh land.

As the proven reserve of Crude Oil and Natural Gas is lying beneath the Nambar South Reserve Forest Area, therefore, in order to extract the Crude Oil and Natural Gas, above mentioned wells are to be drilled from this particular location in the overall interest of Nation's growth.

Submitted for your information please

Niva M. Tamuli
GM (P), Head HSE
ONGC, Jorhat Asset

Sub-Surface Manager