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The Principal Secretary,
 Forest & Environment Department,
 New Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar

Sub: Diversion of 0.3754 ha. of Reserved Forest land for lift irrigation U/G pipeline for transmission of water from Panam High Level canal and left Bank Main Canal (LBMC) of PHLC to various villages, Motal and Karsana Village of Godhara Taluka and Mithapur Village of Shahera Taluka, District-Panchmahal in Gujarat State.

Online Proposal no. FP/GJ/IRRIG/156615/2022

Ref: Government of Gujarat's In-principle approval letter no.

FED/FLP/e-file/6/2023/0174/F Section, Dt. 14/03/2023

Sir,

With reference to the above subject and letter the compliance report of conditions of In-principle approval is as under:

Sr. No.	Conditions	Sr. No.	Reply
1	This permission if granted only for use of the forest land for the purpose specified in the proposal. Legal status of the diverted forest land shall remain unchanged.	1	The User Agency has Agreed
2	Compensatory Afforestation: 1. Compensatory Afforestation is proposed 1.00 ha. Degraded forest land at Survey no. 101, Village-Khandiya, Taluka-Shahera, District-Panchmahal.	2	(a) & (b) The User Agency has deposited an amount of Rs. 7,58,556/- towards the cost of Compensatory Afforestation, Boundary Crain & Survey Demarcation in the CAMPA fund.

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	(b) The cost of compensatory afforestation on the degraded CA land at the prevailing wage rates as per compensatory afforestation scheme and the cost of survey, demarcation and erection of permanent pillars, if required on the CA land shall be deposited in advance with the Forest Department by the project authority. The CA will be maintained for 10 years. The scheme may include appropriate provision for anticipated cost increase for works scheduled for subsequent years.		
3	The Net Present Value (NPV) for the forest area to be diverted under the proposal shall be deposited by the user agency as per the order of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India dated 30/10/2002, 01/08/2003, 28/03/2008 and 09/05/2008 in IA-566 in W.P. (Civil) No.202/1995 and as per the guidelines issued by the MoEF&CC vide letters No.5-1/1998-FC (pt-II) dated 18/09/2003 as well as letter No.5-2/2006-FC dated 03/10/2006 and 5-3/2007-FC dated 05/02/2009 and revision of NPV vide Ministry letter no. 5-3/2011-FC(Vol-1) dated 06/01/2022 in this regard.	3	The User Agency has already deposited an amount of Rs. 3,59,551/- towards the cost of Net Present Value in the CAMPA fund.
4	All the funds (condition no. 2 & 3) received from the user agency under the project shall be transferred/ deposited in CAMPA fund only through e-portal.	4	Funds from the user agency has been transferred online to the CAMPA fund through e-portal.
5	User agencies shall generate challan through PARIVESH portal before making payment for Stage-II clearance process. All the fund shall be deposited through PARIVESH portal by the user agency.	5	The User Agency has agreed
6	The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the project proposal.	6	The User Agency has undertaken that the forest land shall not be used for any purpose, other than that specified in the FCA Proposal.



7	User agency will have to obtain permission from the Nodal Officer (FCA), for carrying out any maintenance works in future.	7	The User Agency has agreed
8	User agency will have to restore the forest land after use/ maintenance work. Address is required to be cut in the demanded area.	8	The User Agency has agreed
9	Project area is 43.00 km away from the Jambughoda Wildlife Sanctuary.	9	The User Agency has agreed
10	User agency will be liable to compensate any loss to Forests/ Environment caused due to the use of the said land by the user agency.	10	The User Agency has agreed
11	User agency will seek permission from the Road & Building Department / Science & Technology Department, Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar, if required so.	11	The User Agency has agreed
12	In case of roads, the general approval shall be applicable only if the requirement of forest land for construction/ widening of the entire stretch of the road is not more than one hectare.	12	The User Agency has agreed
13	User agency shall submit the details regarding compliance of MoEF's guideline dated 03/05/2009 and 05/02/2013 with regard to the scheduled Tribe & other Forest Dwellers (Recognition of forest Right) Act, 2006. FRA shall be uploaded on e-portal before Formal Approval.	13	FRA certificate of Collector, Godhara is attached herewith.
14	Additional Conditions as per the Government of Gujarat's Resolution no. FCA-1013/11-10/11/SF-24/F, Dt.12/06/2015 shall be complied with.	14	The GR dated 12/06/2015 stands cancelled from the dated of its issue.
15	Any other condition, which the State Government or Nodal Officer (FCA) may stipulate from time to time.	15	The User Agency has agreed
16	The compliance shall be uploaded on e-portal (http://parivesh.nic.in).	16	The Compliance report is uploaded on e-portal.

In view of above and since the conditions have already been complied with, it is requested for issuance of formal approval.



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1.	Name of Regional Office	:	Gandhinagar
2.	State/District/Forest Division to which the proposal relates	:	Gujarat /Panchmahal/ Godhara
3.	Name of User Agency, nature of proposal	:	Executive Engineer, Panam Project Division, Godhara Irrigation
4.	Extend of forest area involved	:	0.3754 ha.
5.	Whether original, or extension	:	Original
6.	If extension of lease, pl clarify if proposal involves additional forest area, and if so, specify	:	—
7.	Date of 1st stage clearance	:	Date.14/03/2023
8.	Extend of CAMPA charges, head wise viz	:	
	(a) Compensatory Afforestation	:	Rs. 7,58,556/- Rs. 7,11,556/- + Rs. 47,000/- {CA + Boundary Crain & Survey Demarcation}
	(b) Additional CA	:	—
	(c) Penal CA	:	—
	(d) Catchment Area Treatment	:	—
	(f) Additional charges for diversion of area falling under notified/protected areas	:	—
	(g) Net Present Value	:	Rs. 3,59,551/-
	(h) Any other charges/Levies (pl specify)	:	—
9.	Details of Bank Drafts (Bank, Draft No., Date & Amount), head-wise against items indicated in paragraph 9 above.	:	—
10.	Whether deposited by RTGS, if so, the particulars & dated of remittance.	:	User Agency online transferred in CAMPA fund through e-portal.
11.	Bank [Corporation Bank, Lodhi complex/union bank of India, Sunder Nagar] in which deposited, with date of deposition.	:	Union Bank of India, Lodhi Road, New Delhi, Date. 06/10/2023
12.	Any other remarks.	:	—

(Dr. Jaipal Singh)

Addl. Pri. Chief Conservator of Forests

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Gujarat State, Gandhinagar



Copy to Chief Conservator of Forests, Vadodara / Deputy Conservator of Forests, Godhara for necessary information.

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