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The Principal Secretary,

Forest & Environment Department,

New Sachivalaya, Gandhinagar

Sub: Diversion of 0.8357 ha. of Protected Forest land for the Project of Raw Water Supply pipeline from intake well at Variav to Adani Wilmar Ltd. at Suvali in Dist. Surat in Social Forestry Division, Surat in District Gujarat.

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

6-GJB 08/2019-BHO//411, Dt. 24/05/2019

Sir,

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

Sr. No.	Condition	Compliance
1	Legal status of the diverted forest land shall remain unchanged.	The User Agency has Agreed
2	Forest land will be handed over to the User Agency only after required non-forest land for the project is handed over by the User Agency.	After the non forest land is acquired by the user agency forest land will be handed over to them.
3	Compensatory afforestation: 1. Compensatory afforestation shall be taken up by the Forest Department over 2.00 ha. degraded forest land Compartment No. 647, Village- Khodamba, Taluka-Mandvi, District- Surat, Gujarat at the cost of the User Agency.	The User Agency has deposited an amount of Rs.6,93,500/- towards the cost of Compensatory Afforestation in the CAMPA fund.
	2. Total No. of saplings to be planted shall not be less than nos. 1000 nos. in CA land. The composition of saplings (number of species wise) to be planted in the CA land shall be as per the National Forest Policy and shall be recorded in plantation journal.	Noted

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Approved By: Dr.Jaipal Singh(APCCF,Land,PCCFO)

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4	The cost of compensatory afforestation 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.	The User Agency has deposited an amount of Rs.6,93,500/- towards the cost of Compensatory Afforestation in the CAMPA fund.
5	<p>NPV :</p> <p>1. The State Government shall charge the Net Present Value(NPV) for the 0.8357 ha. forest area to be diverted under this proposal from the User Agency as per the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India dated 30.10.2002, 01.08.2003, 28.03.2008, 24/04/2008 and 09.05.2008 in IA No. 566 in WP (C) No. 202/1995 and as per the guidelines issued by the Ministry vide letters No. 5-1/1998-FC (Pt.11) 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 chapter 3 of FCA Handbook, 2019 in this regard.</p> <p>2. Additional amount of the NPV of the diverted forest land, if any, becoming due after finalization of the same by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India on receipt of the report from the Expert Committee, shall be charged by the State Government from the User Agency. The User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to this effect.</p>	<p>The User Agency has already deposited an amount of Rs.3,66,040/- towards the cost of Net Present Value in the CAMPA fund.</p> <p>The User Agency has already given the undertaking in this regard.</p>
6	Certified copy of Survey of India toposheet map of CA land shall be submitted before issuance of working permission and upload along with compliance of stage-II.	Survey of India, toposheet map of CA land is uploaded on e-portal.
7	Correct KML file of proposed pipeline with complete area shall be submitted before issuance of working permission and upload along with compliance report of Stage-II.	KML file of proposed pipeline with complete area is attached herewith.



8	The User Agency shall obtain the NOC from Adani-Hazira Port Ltd. for overlapping of pipeline.	The User Agency has obtained the NOC from Adani Hazira Port Ltd. for overlapping of pipeline is attached herewith.
9	User Agency shall restrict the felling of trees up to numbers & minimum numbers in the diverted forest land and the trees shall be felled under the strict supervision of the State Forest Department and cost of felling of trees shall be deposited by the user agency with the State Forest Department.	The User Agency has agreed
10	All the funds received from the user agency under the project shall be transferred/ deposited in CAMPA fund only through e-portal (https://pariveshnic.in).	Funds from the user agency has been transferred online to the CAMPA fund through e-portal.
11	The pipeline shall be laid down 1.5 meter below the ground and after lying down of pipeline the ground will be leveled.	The User Agency has agreed
12	User Agency shall obtain Environmental Clearance as per the provisions of the Environmental (Protection) Act, 1986, if applicable.	Environmental Clearance is not required in the above proposal.
13	The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without prior approval of Central Government.	The User Agency has agreed
14	No labour camp shall be establishment on the forest land.	The User Agency has agreed
15	Sufficient firewood, preferably the alternate fuel, shall be provided by the User Agency to the labourer after purchasing the same from the State Forest Department Corporation or any other legal source of alternate fuel.	The User Agency has agreed
16	The boundary of the diverted forest land shall be suitably demarcated on ground at the project cost, as per the directions of the concerned Divisional Forest Officer.	The User Agency has agreed
17	No additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for transportation of construction materials for execution of the project work.	The User Agency has agreed
18	The period of diversion under this approval shall be co-terminus with the period of lease to be granted in favour of the user agency or the project life, whichever is less.	The User Agency has agreed
19	The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the project proposal.	The User Agency has undertaken that the forest land shall not be used for any purpose, other than that specified in the FCA Proposal.
20	The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agencies, department or person without prior approval of Govt. of India.	The User Agency has agreed
21	Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violations of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and action would be taken as per the MoEF & CC Guideline F. No. 11-42/2017-FC, Dt.29/01/2018.	The User Agency has agreed



22	Any other condition that the Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change may stipulate from time to time in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forests & wildlife.	The User Agency has agreed
23	All the conditions of State Forest Department/ Local Forest rules shall be applicable in this project.	The User Agency has agreed
24	The compliance report in letter format of State Govt. of Gujarat shall be uploaded on e-portal (http://parivesh.nic.in) in letter format.	The Compliance report is uploaded on e-portal.

1. The User Agency has already deposited an amount of Registration Fee Rs. 5,000/- and Processing Fee Rs.2,400/- in the 8782 - Forest Remittance - Deposit Head on date. 19/05/2018 as per the Government of Gujarat's Resolution dated: 12/6/2015. In view of above and since the conditions of In-principle approval have already been complied with, the matter may now be referred to Regional Office, Bhopal for issuance of formal approval.

Performa

1.	Name of Regional Office	:	Bhopal
2.	State/District/Forest Division to which the proposal relates	:	Gujarat / Surat/ SF Division Surat
3.	Name of User Agency, nature of proposal	:	Adani Wilmar Limited Others
4.	Extend of forest area involved	:	0.8357 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.24/05/2019
8.	Extend of CAMPA charges, head wise viz	:	
	(a) Compensatory Afforestation	:	Rs.6,93,500/-
	(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.3,66,040/-
	(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.	:	Corporation Bank, Lodhi Road, New Delhi, Date. 25/06/2019.
12.	Any other remarks.	:	—



(Dr. Jaipal Singh)

Addl. Pri. Chief Conservator of Forests

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Copy to Conservator of Forests, Social Forestry Circle Bharuch / Deputy Conservator of Forests, Social Forestry Division, Surat for necessary information.

