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Office of the,
Principal Chief Conservator of Forests,
Aranya Bhavan, Block No.A/3,
Sector-10/A, Gandhinagar,
Dt.07/10/2025

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

Sub: Diversion of 0.0595 Ha. Reserved forest land for the project Bhaniya Village 24 hours PH-JGY power supply (Bhaniya-Khishari AG Electric link line) Ta.Khambha, Dist.Amreli.
(Online No. FP/GJ/TRANS/54160/2020)

Ref: Government of India's In-principle approval letter no.
6-GJB060/2021-BHO Dt.17-06-2021

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
A: Conditions which needs to be complied prior to handing over of forest land by the State Forest Department:			
1	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.	1	The User Agency has deposited an amount of Rs.4,49,665/- towards the cost of Compensatory Afforestation in the CAMPA fund.
2	The state Government shall charge the Net Present Value (NPV) for the 0.0595 ha. forest area to be diverted under this proposal from 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, 24/04/2008 and 09/05/2008 in IA-566 in W.P. (Civil) No.202/1995 and as per the guidelines issued by the Ministry 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	2	The User Agency has already deposited an amount of Rs.1,30,305 /- towards the cost of Net Present Value in the CAMPA fund.

	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 should prepare a site specific Wildlife Management Plan to mitigate the effects of the project over wildlife before the issuance of Stage-II approval and implemented by User Agency at their own project cost.	3	The User Agency has agreed
4	All the funds 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	The complete compliance of the FRA, 2006 shall be ensured by way of prescribed certificate from the concerned District Collector.	5	As per Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Rules-2023, in linear diversion, the FRA certificate is not mandatory and it is submitted that this office will ensure the compliance of the provisions of FRA-2006 in the above proposal.
6	The User Agency shall obtain NBWL Clearance of before issuance of working permission for area falls in Protected Area.	6	The User Agency has agreed
7	Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Forest(Conservation) Act, 1980 and action would be taken as prescribed in Para 1.21 of Chapter 1 of the Handbook of Comprehensive Guidelines of Forest(Conservation) Act, 1980 as issued by this Ministry's letter No.5-2/2017-FC dated 28-03-2019	7	The User Agency has agreed
8	The compliance report shall be uploaded on e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in/)	8	The Compliance report is uploaded on e-portal.
9	The KML files of diverted area and CA areas shall be uploaded on the e-Green watch portal with all requisite details prior to Stage-II approval.	7	The KML files of CA area is uploaded on the e-Green watch portal.

B: Conditions which needs to be strictly complied on field after handing over of forest land to the user agency by the State Forest Department but the compliance in form of undertaking shall be submitted prior to Stage-II approval:

1	Legal status of the diverted forest land shall remain unchanged.	1	The User Agency has Agreed
2	Compensatory afforestation shall be taken up by the Forest Department over 1.00 ha degraded forest land Compartment No.146 Pt., Village-Fulka, Taluka-Gir-Gadhada,	2	The User Agency has deposited an amount of Rs.4,49,665/- towards the cost of Compensatory Afforestation in the CAMPA fund.

	District-Gir-Somnath, Gujarat at the cost of the user agency. As far as possible, a mixture of local indigenous species shall be planted and mono-culture of any species may be avoided.		
3	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.	3	The User Agency has already given the undertaking in this regard.
4	User agency shall restrict the felling of trees to 12 trees/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.	4	The User Agency has Agreed
5	The User Agency should fence the base of the tower by Chain Link Fencing to prevent the electrocution of Elephant/Wild Animals in Forest area at their own cost. The concerned DCF shall inspect the area and shall take a decision as to the specific towers which shall be fenced.	5	The User Agency has Agreed
6	The User Agency shall comply with the guideline for laying transmission lines through forest as per Chapter 10 of FCA, 1980 Handbook, 2019.	6	The User Agency has Agreed
7	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 Officers.	7	The User Agency has agreed
8	The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without prior approval of Central Government.	8	The User Agency has agreed
9	No labour camp shall be establishment on the forest land.	9	The User Agency has agreed
10	The User Agency shall provide alternate fuels preferably LPG to the labourers and the staff working at the site so as to avoid any damage and pressure on the nearby forest areas.	10	The User Agency has Agreed
11	No additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for transportation of construction materials for execution of the project work.	11	The User Agency has agreed

12	The period of diversion under this approval shall be co-terminus with the period of the project life.	12	The User Agency has Agreed
13	The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the proposal	13	The User Agency has undertaken that the forest land shall not be used for any purpose, other than that specified in the FCA Proposal.
14	The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agencies, department or person without prior approval of Central Government.	14	The User Agency has agreed
15	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.	15	The User Agency has agreed

In view of above and since the conditions of In-principle approval have already been complied with, the matter may now be referred to Integrated Regional Office, Gandhinagar 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 /Amreli/Gir(West)
3.	Name of User Agency, nature of proposal	:	PGVCL Transmission Line
4.	Extend of forest area involved	:	0.0595
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.17/06/2021
8.	Extend of CAMPA charges, head wise viz	:	
	(a) Compensatory Afforestation	:	Rs.4,49,665/-
	(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.1,30,305 /-

	(h) medicinal plants	:	-
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.05/05/2022
12.	Any other remarks.	:	-

Dr. Jaipal Singh
(Dr. Jaipal Singh)

Addl. Pri. Chief Conservator of Forests
Land

Gujarat State, Gandhinagar

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Status of the Payment made by User Agencies

Help

Click on **Proposal No.** to view Detail of proposal. Click on **Demand letter** to view Uploaded demand letter.

CA : Compensatory Afforestation; Addl CA : Additional Compensatory Afforestation; PCA : Penal Compensatory Afforestation; CAT : Catchment Area Treatment; Addl PA : Additional Charges for protected area; NPV : Net Present Value;



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: This icon shows that the payment has been made.

☒ Proposals received on or after 15th July 2014 ☐ All Proposals received upto 14th July 2014

Select Region : Select State :

Select User Agency :

Payment Status : ☐ Paid ☐ Unpaid ☒ All

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Sno.	Proposal Detail	Application_No	Date of IN-PRINCIPLE	Amount to be Paid/Amount Paid (in Rs.)	Payment Status	Payment Detail	Demand Letter
1	FP/GJ/TRANS/54160/2020 (../viewreport.aspx?pid=FP/GJ/TRANS/54160/2020) Bhaniya village 24 *7 hour 3-ph JGY power supply (Bhaniya – khishari ag electric link line (0.0595 Ha)) ta. Khambha dist. Anreli in Gujarat State	TRANS541602020547	17 Jun 2021	CA: 449665/- Addl CA : 0/- PCA: 0/-, CAT : 0/- Safety Zone: 0/-, Addl PA : 0/- NPV: 130305/- Total :579970/-	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Paid	Fund Demand Verified by : 31 Aug :2021 Nodal Officer On Bank Name : Union Bank Of India Mode of Payment : NEFT/RTGS (Challan) Challan Generated On : 29 Sep :2021 Transaction Date : 05 May :2022	Demand Letter (../writereaddata/Fundpdf/260820211149384843_FPGJTRANS541602020_User_Fund_De) Generated Challan (../UserAccount/Neft_ChallanCorp.aspx?pid=TRANS541602020547)



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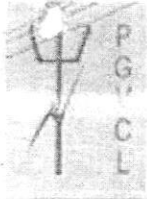


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PASCHIM GUJARAT VIJ COMPANY LIMITED



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KHB/TECH/FOREST/BHANIYA JGY/1616

DATE: - 19-05-2022

To,
The Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests land
Gujarat State 'Gandhinagar'
Aranya bhavan, Block No A/3,
Near "CH" Circle,
Opp. St. Xaviers High School,
Sector 10/A, Gandhinagar.

Sub : Complaine Report of In Principal (Stage 1) approval of Center Government under Forest (Conservation) Act 1980 for diversion of 0.0595 ha Reserved Forest & Wildlife area for the project of Bhaniya Village 25 hour 3-ph JGY power supply (Bhaniya-Khisari ag electric link line) Ta-Khambha in favour of executive Engineer, PGVCL Division in Amreli District of Gujarat-reg.

Ref :- 1. Principal Stage-1 approval No – 6-GJB 060/2021-BHO/ Date :- 17/06/2021

2. ક/જમન/ટે.૧૪/૧૯૪૦-૪૨/૨૦૨૧-૨૨ તા:- ૨૮-૦૬-૨૦૨૧

3. ખાંભા/ટેક/૧૫૫૬ તા :- ૧૩-૦૫-૨૦૨૨

Respected Sir,

With Reference to the above at is to be submit that the proposal, submitted by PGVCL KHAMBHA for diversion of 0.0595 ha forest land has been accorded principal approval by GoI, wide it's letter under reference with certain condition. Accordingly the action taken / compliance report is submitted as under.

Terms and Condition Part - A

Sr No	Details of Condition	Action Taken	Remarks
1	The cost of compensatory afforestation on the CA land (1.00 ha) at the prevailing wage rates as per compensatory afforestation scheme (including the cost of survey, demarcation and erection of permanent pillars etc. as required for securing the land against encroachment) shall be deposited in advance with the State Forest Department by the Project authority The CA will be maintained for the 10 year. The scheme may include appropriate provision for anticipated cost increase for works scheduled for subsequent years.	Yes Agree	

2	The State Government shall charge the Net Present Value (NPV) for the 0.0595 ha forest area to be diverted under this proposal from 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, 24/04/2008 and 09/05/2008 in IA No. 566 in WP (C) No. 202/195 and as per the guidelines issued by the Ministry vide letter 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 chapter 3 of FCA Handbook 2019 in this regard.	Yes Agree	Paig on date :- 05-05-2022
3	The User Agency should prepare a site specific Wildlife Management Plan to mitigate the effects of the project over wildlife before the issuance of Stage-II approval and implemented by User Agency at their own project cost.	Yes Agree	Plan Attach here with
4	All the funds received from the user agency under the project shall be transferred / deposited to CAMPA fund only through e-portal (http://parivesh.nic.in/).	Yes Agree	
5	The Complete compliance of the FRA, 2006 shall be ensured by way of prescribed certificate from the concerned District Collector.	Yes Agree	
6	The user agency shall obtain NBWL Clearance before issuance of working permission for area fall in Projected Area.	Yes Agree	
7	Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and action would be taken as prescribed in para 1.21 of Chapter 1 of the Handbook of Comprehensive Guidelines of forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 as issued by this Ministry's letter No 5-2/2017-FC dated 28.03.2019.	Yes Agree	
8	The Compliance report shall be uploaded on e-portal (http://parivesh.nic.in/).	Yes Agree	Report Uploaded in E-Portal
9	The KML files of diverted area and CA areas shall be uploaded on the e-Green watch portal with all requisite details prior to Stage-II approval.	Yes Agree	

Terms and Condition Part - B

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3	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 also be charged by the State Government from the user Agency The User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to this effect.	Yes Agree	
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6	The User Agency shall comply with the guideline for laying transmission lines through forest as per Chapter 10 of FCA. 1980 Handbook, 2019.	Yes Agree	
7	The boundary of the diverted forest land shall be suitably demarcated on ground at the project cost, as per the directions of the concerned Dy. Conservator of Forest.	Yes Agree	
8	The Layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without prior approval of Central Government.	Yes Agree	
9	No labour camp shall be established on the forest land	Yes Agree	
10	The user agency shall provide alternate fuels preferably LPG	Yes Agree	

	to the labourers and the staff working at the site so as to avoid any damage and pressure on the nearby forest area.		
11	No additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for transportation of construction materials for execution of the project work.	Yes Agree	
12	The period of diversion under this approval shall be co-terminus with the period of the project life.	Yes Agree	
13	The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the project proposal	Yes Agree	
14	The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agencies, department, or person without prior approval of central Government.	Yes Agree	
15	Any other condition that the ministry of environment, forest and climate change may stipulate from time to time in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forest and wildlife.	Yes Agree	

Thus as indicated by Gol in it's letter under reference Required action has been taken for all the conditions. Necessary Further action is requested for final approval.

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DEPUTY ENGINEER

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1. The Executive Engineer shree, PGVCL Savarkundla
2. The Deputy Conservatore of forest, Gir East forest Division Dhari.