

## PART- II

(To be filled by the concerned Deputy Conservator of Forests)

State serial No. of proposal.....

Location of the project/Scheme		
(i)	State /Union Territory.	Bihar
(ii)	District	Bhagalpur
(iii)	Forest Division	Bhagalpur forest Division.
(iv)	Area of forestland proposed for diversion (in ha.)	14.932 ha.
(v)	Legal status of forest.	Notified Protected forest
(vi)	Density of vegetation.	0.04
(vii)	Spice- wise (scientific names) and diameter class-wise enumeration of trees (to be enclosed. In case of irrigation/hydel projects enumeration at FRL, FRL-2 meter & FRL-4 meter also to be enclosed.)	Enclosed
(VIII)	Brief note on vulnerability of the forest area to erosion.	Area vulnerable to erosion on the edges of the road during monsoons. To mitigate the same, plantation can be done.
(ix)	Approximate distance of the proposed site for diversion from boundary of forest.	Road side is notified as protected forest. Area in the notified PF and away from natural forests. This is more than 10 Km away from Reserve Forest.
(x)	Whether forms part of National Park, wildlife sanctuary, biosphere reserve, tiger reserve, elephant corridor, etc. (if so, the details of the area and comments fo Chief Wildlife Warden to be annexed).	No
(xi)	Whether any rare/ endangered/ unique species of flora and fauna found in the area – if so details thereof.	Not found during site visit
(xii)	Whether any protected archaeological/ heritage site/ defense establishment or any other important monument is located in the area. If so, the details thereof with NOC from competent authority, if required.	Not Present



8.	Whether the requirement of forestland as proposed by the user agency in col. Of Part-I is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project. If no, recommended area item-wise with details of alternatives examined.	Yes, The requirement of the land is unavoidable and barest minimum.
9.	Whether any work in violation of the Act has been carried out (Yes/No). if Yes, details of the same including period of work done, action taken on erring officials. Whether work in violation is still in progress.	No
10.	Site inspection report of the DCF (to be enclosed) especially highlighting facts asked in col. 7 (xi, xii), 8 and 9 above.	Enclosed
11.	Division/District profile.	
	(i) Geographical area of the district.	2569 Sq.Km
	(ii) Forest area of the district.	0.018 Sq.Km
	(iii) Total forest area diverted since 1980 with number of the cases.	-
	(iv) Total compensatory afforestation stipulated in the District/Division since 1980 with number of cases. a) Forest land including penal compensatory afforestation, b) Non-forest land.	-
	(v) Progress of compensatory afforestation as on (done) _____ on a) Forest land b) Non forest land	-
12.	Specific recommendations of the DCF for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with reasons.	The project is recommended. Implementation of this project will improve traffic throughput and road connectivity in the area.
	Date :- 11-7-2022  Place :- Bhagalpur	Signature :-  Name :- Bharat Chintapalli Divisional Forest Officer Official Seal :- Bhagalpur Forest Division

## Site Inspection Report

The proposed project site (NH-80 from Ghorghat to Dogacchi) has been inspected along with the forest staff, arborist and the representative of the User Agency on 06.12.2021. The part of the proposed project site will affect about 14.932 ha of roadside protected forest in Bhagalpur district.

During the inspection, it was found that cutting of 1923 (LHS-1044, RHS-879) trees along with translocation of 1980 (LHS-984, RHS-996) has to be done by the implementing agency, also Tree numbered as 138,395,444,1973 (LHS) and 643,997,1233,1485,1642,1679,1683 (RHS) could be saved instead of cutting/translocation User Agency has been communicated regarding the same.

No violation of Forest Conservation Act 1980 has been observed in the proposed project area during this inspection.

The proposed project will aid in better road connectivity in Bhagalpur and improve traffic throughput.



**Divisional Forest Officer**

**Bhagalpur Forest Division**