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Name of the work:

Multi village water supply scheme to Sarjapur & other 16 villages in Ron Taluka of Gadag district. (Proposal for diversion of Forest land for the purpose of construction of water treatment plant, Master balancing reservoir & laying of pipeline)

SITE INSPECTION REPORT

I have visited the project spot on 12-02-2015 and observed that the proposed area falls in the limits of Scrub and degraded forest. No rare endangered unique species of Flora and fauna is found in the proposed area. The project does not affect any monument of Historical, Recreational, Archaeological importance including National Park and wildlife sanctuary.

The forest land demanded is barest minimum genuine and is unavoidable. The provisions of the Forest (Conservation) Act-1980 is violated in this case. FIR filed against the concerned contractor on 09-07-2014. Since the project is the Drinking water scheme for public purpose. Hence, recommended for acceptance.

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