

सङ्क परिवहन एवं राजमार्ग मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार

National Highways Authority of India

Ministry of Road Transport and Highways, Government of India परियोजना कार्यान्वयन इकाई - ठाणे, एम.टी.एन.एल. बिल्डींग, बाबुभाई पेट्रोल पंप के लामने,

एल.बी.एस. मार्ग, कॅसल मिल सकेल के पास. ठाणे (प) - ४००६०॥

Project Implementation Unit - ThaneMTNL Building, Opp. Babubhai Petrol Pump LBS Marg, Near Castle Mill Circle, Thane(w) - 400601

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Date: 12.05.2023

NHAI/ PIU-Thane/ VME/Forest (Spur)/2022-23/ 316

To,

Dy. Conservator of Forest,

Thane Forest Division, Near Teen Haath Naka,

Thane(W) -400602, Maharashtra

Diversion of 111,7321 ha. of Forest land for Development of Vadodara Mumbai Expressway (Phase-II SPUR) from km 0+000 to km 79+783 in Palghar, Thane & Raigad District in the State of Maharashtra

Submission of Stage II Compliance

Ref: Stage I Clearance Letter by Regional Office of MOEFCC, Nagpur letter no. 10338 dated

25.09.2022

Sir,

With reference to above, this office has received Stage-I clearance for the subject project vide ref. cited with certain conditions. The same was forwarded to all concerned stakeholders including DPR Consultant M/s. ICT Pvt. Ltd. Now, the DPR Consultant vide their email dated 12.05.2023 has furnished compliance for the same as below:

No.	Obser	vations	Š		CONTRACTOR			Compliance
	Legal s	status o	f the fore	st land shall	remain	unchang	ged	An undertaking in this regard is enclosed at Annex 1.
li(a)	Compensatory afforestation shall be taken up by the Forest Department over 225.00 ha degraded forest land in Shahpur Forest Division as per following details at the cost of User Agency:							Pertains to Forest Department
	Area (ha.)	t. No.	Range	Village	Round	Beat	Taluka	
	25.00	647	Vihigaon	Umbravane	Kasara	Umbra	Shahapur	
	20,00	638	Vihigaon	Umbravane	Kasara	Umbra	Shahagur	
	30.00	624	Washala	Washala	Sakad bay	Sakad bav	Shahagur	
	25.00	240	Washala	Washala	Sakad bay	Kothar e	Shahapur	
	25.00	657	Washala	Washala	Pachiv Ara	Veluit	Shahapur	
	20.00	89	Dolkham b	Dolkhamb	Sakurti	Gandu	Shahapur	
	15.00	343	Dolkham b	Dolkhamb	Sakurti	Sakurt	Shahapur	
	20.00	585	Khardi	Khardi	Dapur	Dapur	Shahapur	
	25.00	684	Shahapur	Shahapur	(±)	Atgao n	Shahapur	
	20.00	119	Dhasal	Gegaon	Ansoli	Gegao n	Shahapur	
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	if existing tank/stop dams are available and needs desilting/repair, same shall be carried out to meet the water requirement of wild animals throughout the year.	
ii(b)	For protection from encroachment and better management of the CA plantation, the fencing shall be done from the compartment boundary.	A sum of ₹ 19,75,13,204/- has been deposited in four forest divisions for fencing. Copy of Demand Drafts are enclosed as Annex-2.
III	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 demand of ₹17,24,75,100/- for Compensatory Afforestation and ₹13,61,15,551/- was received. The amount has been deposited in CAMPA fund on 07.10.2022. The copy of receipt is enclosed as Annex- 3.
iv(a)	The State Government shall charge the Net Present Value (NPV) for the 111.7321 ha. forest area to be diverted under this proposal from the User Agency as per the orders of the Honble 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.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 in this regard;	The demand of ₹ 13,61,15,551/- for NPV was received. The amount was deposited in CAMPA Fund on 07.10.2022. The copy of receipt is enclosed as Annex- 3.
iv (b)	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;	An undertaking in this regard is enclosed at Annex 4,
V	User agency shall restrict the felling of trees to minimum number in the diverted forest land and the trees shall be felled under the strict supervision of the State Forest Department and the cost of felling of trees shall be deposited by the User Agency with the State Forest Department.	An undertaking to restrict felling of trees is enclosed at Annex 5. The demand of ₹ 170,66,584/-towards cost of tree felling was received. The amount was deposited to DCF Thane on 03.10.2022. The copy of receipt is enclosed as Annex-6.
vi	All the funds received from the User Agency under the project shall be transferred deposited to CAMPA fund only through e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in).	All funds as per Demand Notes are deposited in CAMPA through e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in) and copy of receipt are enclosed as Annex-3.
vii	State Government, Maharashtra / Nodal Officer (FCA), Maharashtra shall ensure settlement of rights under the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 (No. 2 of 2007) before issuing an order for handing over of forest land to the User Agency as per Rule- 9 (6) (b) (II) of Forest (Conservation) Rules, 2022 dated 28.06.2022.	The project road is located in 3 districts, namely Palghar, Thane and Raigad district. The FRA Certificates from District Collectors are enclosed in the following order as Annex 7.
viii	To improve the Forest/ Tree cover and to reduce pollution in the State, as mandated in National Forest Policy, 1988 and Environmental (Protection) Act, 1986 respectively, the User Agency with involvement of Joint Forest Management Committees (JFMC's) and in consultation with local DCF shall raise at least 75,000 seedlings of forestry species along with bamboo, fruit bearing, medicinal, ornamental	An undertaking in this regard is enclosed at Annex 8.

Observations	Compliance
shall be planted in the vicinity of project area and remaining 50% of seedlings shall be distributed among villagers as per choice of villagers. The concerned JFMC's shall maintain record of plantation/ seedling distribution to villagers.	
All small patches of forest up to 5 ha left over due to bifurcation of forest patches by constructing the road shall be restored by planting suitable native species by the State Forest Department at the cost of User Agency. A Forest Conservation Plan in this regard shall be prepared and submitted to the IRO, MoEFECC, Nagpur.	The demand of ₹ 2,08,52,058/- towards plantation cost native species was received. The amount was deposited to DCF Thane on 03.11.2022. The copy of receipt is enclosed as Annex- 9.
State Forest Department shall undertake avenue plantation of 8 feet tall plants as per IRC norms at the cost of User Agency all along the alignment.	Demand for plantation of 8 ft tall plants were received from Dahanu, Jawhar, Thane and Raigard forest divisions, totalling ₹ 15,13,52,011/ The amount was deposited and copy of demand drafts are enclosed as Annex 2.
Approval of SBWL/NBWL shall be obtained by the User Agency.	The project does not attract approval of SBWL/NBWL as the expressway does not pass through any Wildlife Sanctuary or their Eco sensitive Zones declared under the Wildlife Protection Act, 1972. However, wildlife conservation plan for the expressway was approved by the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Wildlife), Maharashtra State on 01.09.2021 and enclosed as Annex 10.
	The expressway passes through of Eco-Sensitive Area of Matheran, declared under The Environment Protection Act, 1986. Clearance from Matheran Monitoring Committee was accorded for the project on 22.03.2022 and enclosed as Annex 11.
User Agency shall obtain Environment Clearance as per the provisions of Environmental (Protection) Act, 1986, if applicable.	Environmental Clearance for the project was accorded by MoEF&CC on 12.04.2022, which was further amended on 23.08.2022. Copy of the EC Letter and its amendment is enclosed as Annex 12.
The overburden shall not be dumped outside the width of the road. The muck generated in the tunnelling and earth cuttings will be disposed of at the designated dumping sites outside the forest area.	The quantity of earth material likely to be generated from cutting operation is 28,78,295 m ³ , while 90,43,991 m ³ of earth material is required for construction of the expressway. Therefore, the excavated earth will be fully utilized in the road construction.
	and indigenous/local for 10 years. At least 50% of seedlings shall be planted in the vicinity of project area and remaining 50% of seedlings shall be distributed among villagers as per choice of villagers. The concerned JFMC's shall maintain record of plantation/ seedling distribution to villagers. All small patches of forest up to 5 ha left over due to bifurcation of forest patches by constructing the road shall be restored by planting suitable native species by the State Forest Department at the cost of User Agency. A Forest Conservation Plan in this regard shall be prepared and submitted to the IRO, MoEFECC, Nagpur. State Forest Department shall undertake avenue plantation of 8 feet tall plants as per IRC norms at the cost of User Agency all along the alignment. Approval of SBWL/NBWL shall be obtained by the User Agency. User Agency shall obtain Environment Clearance as per the provisions of Environmental (Protection) Act, 1986, if applicable. The overburden shall not be dumped outside the width of the road. The muck generated in the tunnelling and earth cuttings will be disposed of at the designated dumping sites

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		22,88,731 cum muck will be generated from tunnelling out of which 22,27,958 cum muck will be utilized in road work & concrete work between km 69.800 to km 79.783 (Bhoj village to Morbe village) and 60,773 Cum will used in proposed way side amenity / truck parking at km 61+000 to 61+525. The muck disposal plan submitted to Forest department and IRO Nagpur is enclosed as Annex 13.
xiv	Inside the Eco-sensitive Zone, only control blasting as permissible shall be permitted that too under the supervision of the State Forest Department.	An undertaking in this regard is enclosed at Annex 14.
ΧV	The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without prior approval of Central Government.	An undertaking in this regard is enclosed at Annex 15.
xvi	No labour camp shall be established in the forest land.	An undertaking in this regard is enclosed at Annex 16.
XVII	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 or the Forest Development Corporation or any other legal source of alternate fuel.	An undertaking in this regard is enclosed at Annex 17.
xviii	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.	An undertaking in this regard is enclosed at Annex 18.
xix	No additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for transportation of construction materials for execution of the project work.	An undertaking in this regard is enclosed at Annex 19.
XX	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.	An undertaking in this regard is enclosed at Annex 20.
xxi	The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the project proposal.	An undertaking in this regard is enclosed at Annex 21.
xxii	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.	An undertaking in this regard is enclosed at Annex 22.
xxdii	Violations of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Forest (Conservation Act) and action would be taken as per the MoEFECC Guideline F.No. 11-42/2017-FC dt. 29/01/2018.	Noted.
xxiv	Any other condition that the Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change may stipulate from time to time in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forests & wildlife.	An undertaking in this regard is enclosed at Annex 23.
XXV	The compliance report shall be uploaded on e-portal (https://parivesh.nic.in/)	Agreed



It is requested to kindly accord the STAGE- II Clearance for the forest diversion proposal.

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Encl : As above

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2. Chief Conservator of Forest, Thane: for kind information.

3. GM (Env.), NHAI-HQ, New Delhi: for kind information.

4.M/s. ICT Pvt. Ltd : for information & necessary follow up at your end without fail.

DCF Raigad: for information.
 DCF Dahanu: for information.

7. DCF Jawhar: for information.



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Annex 1

Sub: Diversion of 111.7321 ha of Forest land for Development of Vadodara Mumbai Expressway (Phase-II SPUR) from km 0+000 to km 79+783 in Thane District in the State of Maharashtra

Condition no.	Undertaking
ī	NHAI Undertake that Legal Status of the forest land shall remain unchanged

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Annex-2

Condition No: (ii)b – Fencing Condition No: (x) 8 ft tall plants for Avenue Plantation



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Date: 06.04.2023

To,
Dy. Conservator of Forest
Dahanu Forest Division, Dahanu Agar Road,
Dahanu
Dist. Palghar-401601, Maharashtra

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Ref: DCF Thane letter no. 6607/2022-23 dated 09.03.2023.

With reference to above cited subject DCF Thane vide letter no. letter no. 6607/2022-23 dated 09.03.2023 has sent demand note as per the conditions of the Stage-I Clearance letter no. 103338 dated 25.09.2022 from Ministry of Environment & Forest (MoEFCC). The details are as below:

Item	Demand draft in favour of	Amount(in Rs.)	Payable at
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Cost of Construction of Wire fence to protect forest area	Deputy Conservator of Forest, Thane	16,14,12,200/-	Thane
Avenue Plantation of 8 feet tall	Deputy Conservator of Forest,	3,62,14,092/-	Dahanu
Cost of Construction of Wire fence to	Deputy Conservator of Forest,	V X-62/1046-103/304/50	Dahanu
Avenue Plantation of 8 feet tall plants	Deputy Conservator of Forest, Jawhar	1,16,22,007/-	Jawhar
Cost of Construction of Wire fence to protect forest area	Deputy Conservator of Forest, Jawhar	4,11,500/-	Jawhar
Avenue Plantation of 8 feet tall plants	Deputy Conservator of Forest, Alibag	25,11,901/-	Alibag
Cost of Construction of Wire fence to protect forest area	Deputy Conservator of Forest, Alibag	2,06,561/-	Alibag
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 It is inform that, the same has been released herewith by this office in the form of Demand draft. The details are as below:

Sr.	DD Number	Date of issue of DD	In Favour of	Amount of DD
NO.	806331	31/03/2023	DEPUTY CONSRVATOR OF	62,14,095/-
- 1)	4444	3110372023	FOREST, DAHANU	99,99,999/-
2)	806832		TOREST, DATABASE	

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3)	806821			99,99,999/-
4)	806815			99,99,999/-
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1)	806827	31/03/2023	DEPUTY CONSRVATOR OF	99,99,999/-
2)	806828		FOREST, DAHANU	99,99,999/-
3)	806812			99,99,999/-
4)	806832			54,82,946/-
		on of Wire fence to pro	tect forest area)	3,54,82,943/-

Kindly acknowledge the receipt.

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Sir.

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1)	806835	31/03/2023	DEPUTY CONSRVATOR OF	16,22,008/-
2)	806813	Asses - Tolling to	FOREST, JAWAHAR	99,99,999/-
Total (Avenue Plantation	1,16,22,007/-		

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Sr. No.	DD Number	Date of issue of DD	In Favour of	Amount of DD
1)	806810	31/03/2023	DEPUTY CONSRVATOR OF FOREST, JAWAHAR	4,11,500/-
Total (Cost of Constructi	on of Wire fence to protec	t forest area)	4,11,500/-

Kindly acknowledge the receipt.

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,	Cost of Construction of Wire fence to protect forest area	Deputy Conservator of Forest, Jawhar	4,11,500/-	Jawhar
7	Avenue Plantation of 8 feet tall plants	Deputy Conservator of Forest, Allbag	25,11,901/-	Alibag
8	Cost of Construction of Wire fence to protect forest area	Deputy Conservator of Forest, Alibag	2,06,561/-	Alibag

 It is inform that, the same has been released herewith by this office in the form of Demand draft. The details are as below:

	DD Number	Date of issue of DD	In Favour Of	Amount of DD
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1)	806851	03.04.2023	DEPUTY CONSRVATOR OF	-0.3 4 0.0 -4 0.0 -0.0
2)	806814		FOREST, THANE	99,99,999/-
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3)	806863			99,99,999/-
4)	806838			0.000.00
5)	806839			99,99,999/-

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6)	806840			99,99,999/-
7)	806841			99,99,999/-
8)	806842			99,99,999/-
9)	806843			99,99,999/-
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10)	806845			99,99,999/-
11)	806846			99,99,999/-
12)				99,99,999/-
13)	806847			99,99,999/-
14)	806848			99,99,999/-
15)	806849			99,99,999/-
16)	806850			14,12,216/-
17)	806837			16,14,12,200/-
lotal (A	enue Plantation of	f 8 feet tall plants)		
1)	806853	03.04.2023	DEPUTY CONSRVATOR OF	99,99,999/-
2)	806854		FOREST, THANE	99,99,999/-
3)	806855			99,99,999/-
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7)	806860			99,99,999/-
8)	100000000000000000000000000000000000000			99,99,999/-
9)	806861			99,99,999/-
10)	806862			10,04,021/-
11)	806836	n of Wire fence to pro		10,10,04,011/-

Demand draft in favour of DCF Jawhar, DCF Dahanu and DCF Alibag send to concerned department by separately.

Kindly acknowledge the receipt.

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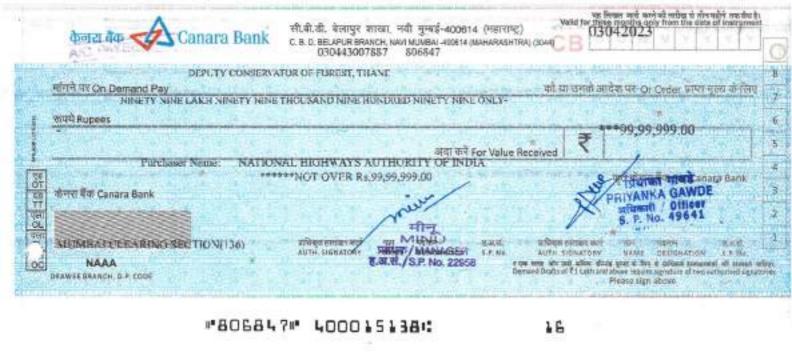
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National Highways Authority of India

Ministry of Road Transport and Highways, Government of India परियोजना कार्यान्वयन इकाई - ठाणे, एम.टी.एन.एल. बिल्डींन, बबुभाई पेट्रोल पंप के सामने,

एल.बी.एस. मार्ग, कॅसल मिल सर्कल के पास, ठागे (प) - ४००६०१ Project Implementation Unit - ThaneMTNL Building, Opp. Babubhai Petrol Pump LBS Marq, Near Castle Mill Circle, Thane(w) - 400601

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Date: 06.04.2023

NHAI/ PIU-Thane/VME/ 2022-23/4-6

To Dy. Conservator of Forests Alibag Forest Division, Near Collector Office, Alibag Dist. Raigad - 402 201, Maharashtra

Sub: Diversion of 111.7231 Ha. of Forest land for Development of Vadodara Mumbai Expressway (Phase-II SPUR Alignment) from km 0+000 to km 79.783 in Palghar, Thane & Raigad District in the State of Maharashtra - Payment of fees to Forest Department- Cost of Avenue Plantation Trees & Cost of Construction of Wire fence to protect area border - Reg

Ref: DCF Thane letter no. 6607/2022-23 dated 09.03.2023.

Sir,
With reference to above cited subject DCF Thane vide letter no. letter no. 6607/2022-23
dated 09.03.2023 has sent demand note as per the conditions of the Stage-I Clearance letter no.
103338 dated 25.09.2022 from Ministry of Environment & Forest (MoEFCC). The details are as below:

Sr.	Item	Demand draft in favour of	Amount(in Rs.)	Payable at
1	Avenue Plantation of 8 feet tall plants	Deputy Conservator of Forest, Thane	10,10,04,011/-	Thane
2	Cost of Construction of Wire fence to protect forest area	Deputy Conservator of Forest, Thane	16,14,12,200/-	Thane
3	Avenue Plantation of 8 feet tall plants	Deputy Conservator of Forest, Dahanu	3,62,14,092/-	Dahanu
4	Cost of Construction of Wire fence to protect forest area	Deputy Conservator of Forest, Dahanu	3,54,82,943/-	Dahanu
5	Avenue Plantation of 8 feet tall plants	Deputy Conservator of Forest, Jawhar	1,16,22,007/-	Jawhar
6	Cost of Construction of Wire fence to protect forest area	Deputy Conservator of Forest, Jawhar	4,11,500/-	Jawhar
7	Avenue Plantation of 8 feet tall plants	Deputy Conservator of Forest, Alibag	25,11,901/-	Alibag
8	Cost of Construction of Wire fence to protect forest area	Deputy Conservator of Forest, Alibag	2,06,561/-	Altbag

It is inform that, the same has been released herewith by this office in the form of Demand draft. The details are as below:

Sr. No.	DD Number	Date of issue of DD	In Favour of	Amount of DD
1)	806809	31/03/2023	DEPUTY CONSRVATOR OF FOREST, ALIBAG	25,11,901/-
otal (A	venue Plantation	of 8 feet tall plants)		25,11,901/-

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Sr. No.	DD Number	Date of issue of DD	In Favour of	Amount of DD
1)	806811	31/03/2023	DEPUTY CONSRVATOR OF FOREST, ALIBAG	2,06,561/-
Total (Cost of Construc	tion of Wire fence to pr	otect forest area)	2,06,501/-

Kindly acknowledge the receipt.

धन्यवाद,

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Copy to: 1. CGM (T) & RO, Mumbai: for kind information.

2. Chief Conservator of Forest, Thane: for kind information.

3. DCF Thane: for information, please.

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Annex-3

Condition No: iii & iv(a) – Deposit of CA & NPV in CAMPA Fund



Tel No. - 022 25421373 25434349

Email- defthane@gmail.com dyeftahne@mahaforest.gov.in



State Government

Forest

Deputy Conservator of Forests, Thane Forest Division

Thane Office

Marethon Circle, Lal Bahadur Shastri Marg, Naupada Thane- 400 602.

Letter No. 25/Survey/FCA/ 3679 /2022-23

Date - 3º /09/2022

To.

Project Manager,

PIU Thane, National Highway Authority of India,

Project implementation Unit Thane,

MTNL building Opp. Babubhai Petrol Pump,

LBS Marg, Near Castle Mill Circle.

Thane west - 400 601.

Subject :-

Diversion of 111,7231 Ha. of forest land for Devlopment of Vadodara Mumbai Expressway (Phase II SPUR Alignment) from Km 0+000 to Km 79.783 in Palghar, Thane & raigad District in the State of Maharashtra. (Demand Note)

Reference :-

- Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change vide letter No FC-III/MH-50/2022-NGP/10338 Dt. 25/09/2022.
- Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change vide letter No 5-2. 3/2011-FC (Vol-1) Dt. 06/01/2022.
- Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change vide letter No 5-3/2011-FC (Vol-1) Dt. 19/01/2022.
- 4. User Agency vide Letter No.NHAI/PIU/THANE/VME-16/2022-23/1233 Dt. 26/09/2022.

As per the reference cited above, Project Manager, PIU Thane, National Highway Authority of India Thane is requested to pay the item -wise amount of compensatory levies as per the following detail.

Compensatory Levies

Sr. No	Item	Condition as Mentioned in- principle approval	Amount in Rs	Remarks
1	Cost towards Compensatory Afforestation	iii	172475100 /-	Ad Hoe CAMPA through E-Portal
2	Cost towards Addl. Compensatory Afforestation	948	5	-
3	NPV 3	iv(a) ावक संख्या	136115551/-	Ad Hoc CAMPA through E-Portal

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1	Cost towards catchment area treatment area	-	÷	
5	Cost towards Wildlife Mitigation measure		*	
5	Cost of felling of trees.	V	17066584 /-	DCF Thane
7	RCC Pillar	*	*	
-	TOTAL		325657235 /-	

The Project Manager, PIU Thane, National Highway Authority of India Thane is also requested to submit the documents, certificate and undertakings as stipulated in the in-principle approval as per the following details.

Sr. No.	Condition No. as mentioned in- principle approval	Name of Document/Certificate/ Undertaking required to be submitted by the User Agency
1	i	Undertaking
2	iv(b)	Undertaking
3	vi	Undertaking
4	vii	FRA Certificate
.5	viii	Undertaking
6	xi	Undertaking
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8	xiii	Undertaking
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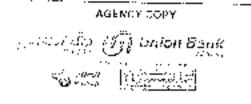
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Deputy Conservator of Forests Thane Forest Division, Thane

Copy submitted to Chief Conservator of Forests (T.), Thane for information.

Copy submitted to DCF, Shahahpur, Dahanu, Jawhar and Alibag for information and necessary action.

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Annex 4

Diversion of 111.7321 ha of Forest land for Development of Vadodara Mumbai Expressway (Phase-II SPUR) from km 0+000 to km 79+783 in Thane District in the State of Maharashtra

Condition no.	Undertaking				
iv(b)	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 undertakes to pay the above charges if required after receipt of demand from Forest Department.				

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Annex 5

Sub: Diversion of 111.7321 ha of Forest land for Development of Vadodara Mumbai Expressway (Phase-II SPUR) from km 0+000 to km 79+783 in Thane District in the State of Maharashtra

Condition no.	Undertaking
v	NHAI undertake that user agency shall restrict the felling of trees to minimum number in the diverted forest land and the trees shall be felled under the strict supervision of the State Forest Department and the cost of felling of trees shall be deposited by the User Agency with the State Forest Department.

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Annex-6

Condition No: v – Deposition of Tree Felling Cost



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NHAI/ PIU-Thane/ VME-16/2022-23/ 12-83

Date: 04.10.2022

To, Dy. Conservator of Forests Thane Forest Division Marathon Circle, LBS Marg Naopada, Thane Maharashtra - 400 602

Sub: Diversion of 111.7231 Ha. of Forest land for Development of Vadodara Mumbai Expressway (Phase-II SPUR Alignment) from km 0+000 to km 79.783 in Palghar, Thane & Raigad District in the State of Maharashtra -Payment of fees to Forest Department- Cost of felling of Trees -Reg.

Ref.: 1. MoEF&CC letter no. F.No.FC-III/MH-50/2022-NGP/10338 dated 25.09.2022.
 DCF, Thane letter no.25/Survey/FCA/3679/2022-23 dated 30.09.2022

Sir, With reference to above cited subject, your office has submitted demand note for Cost of felling of trees Rs. 1,70,66,584/- vide letter no.3679/2022-23 dated 30.09.2022 (Sl.no.6).

 The same has been released by this office on 03.10.2022 through NEFT (NEFT/AXISP00325281147 Dated 03.10.2022).

This is for your information and record.

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Chief Conservator of Forest, Thane: for kind information.

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Condition No: vii – FRA Certificates

FORM - I

(For Linear Projects other than Plantation)
(Rule 6 (3) (e) of Forest (Conservation) Rules 2003 as amended up to date)
Government of Maharashtra
Office of District Collector Palghar

No/Rev/Vanhakka/SR.No- 2588 /22

Date 13 /01/2023

TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

In compliance of the Rule 6 (3)(e) of the Forest (Conservation) Rules, 2003 [as amended vide the Forest (Conservation) Amendment Rules 2014; Forest (Conservation) second Amendment Rules 2014; and Forest (Conservation) Amendment Rules 2016], it is certified that 19.4521 hectares of forest land proposed to be diverted in favour of National Highways Authority of India (NAHI) for the propose Vadodara Mumbai Expressway (Phase II- SPUR) in the Palghar District falls within jurisdiction of Villages in Vasai Tehsils. It is further certified that;

Forest Land Details

Sr. No.	Taluka	Village Name	Survey No./	Gut No.	Kind of Land	Area required (Hector)
1		Koshimbe	404	23	Protected forest	1.6993
4		Kosnimbe	412	22	Protected forest	1.2134
2		Khardi	152 (472- old)		Protected forest	0.1229
		Shirsad	77		Protected forest	1.7515
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4	Vasai	Kashidkopar	3.0	173	Protected forest	0.3703
		Candip	90/1		Protected forest	2,1127
5			90/8		Protected forest	0.5929
•		Land Land	90/7		Protected forest	0.1068
-			90/6		Protected forest	0.1516
		Kalambhon	102A		Protected forest	2.0012
6	1		103 A		Protected forest	2.3657
0			33		Private forest	2.2634
			68/2		Protected forest	0.0332
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It is further certified that-

A) The complete process for recognition and vesting of forest rights under the FRA has been carried out for the entire 19.4521 hectares of forest land proposed for diversion. A copy of records of all consultations and meetings of the Forest

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- Rights Committee(s) Gram Sabha(s), / Waed Committee(s), Sub-Division Level Committee (s) and the District Level Committee are enclosed as attachment A to attachment.
- B) The diversion of forest tand for facilities managed by the Government as required under section 3(2) of the FRA, 2006 have been completed and the Gram Sabhas have given their consent to it.
- C) The proposed area does not involve recognized rights of Primitive Tribal Groups and Pre - Agricultural communities.

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(Saving Boske)
District Collector, Palghar

FORM-I

(for linear projects other than Plantations)
[Rule 6(3) (e) of Forest (Conservation) Rules 2003 as amended up to date]

Government of Maharashtra
Office of District Collector Thane
No. RB/Desk. IV/T.2./FRA/Noc/CR-07/2021
Date - 12_/01/2023

TO WHOMSOEVER IT, MAY CONCERN

In compliance of the Rule 6(3)(e) of the Forest (Conservation) Rules, 2003 [as amended vide the Forest (Conservation) Amendment Rules 2014; Forest (Conservation) second Amendment Rules 2014; and Forest (Conservation) Amendment Rules 2016] it is certified that 18.8858 hectares of forest land proposed to be diverted in favour of National Highways Authority of India PIU Thane for Development of Vadodara Mumbai Expressway (Phase-II SPUR) from km 0+000 to 97+783 in the State of <a href="Mailto:Mail

Village Survey Gutt No Forest Type Area (ha.) Current Status

Taluka	Village Name	Survey	Gutt No	Forest Type	Area (ha.)	Current Status
Bhiwandi	Ghotgaon		108/2/1	Private Forest	0.9432	No rights affected
	550	***	108/1	Private Forest	0.013	No rights affected
			108/5	Private Forest	0.0476	No rights affected
			108/2/2	Private Forest	0.1119	No rights affected
5			108/2/6	Private Forest	0.1778	No rights affected
			108/6	Private Forest	0.0948	No rights affected
			108/7	Private Forest	0.0925	No rights affected
			108/8	Private Forest	0.1613	No rights affected
			108/9	Private Forest	0.1847	No rights affected
			108/10	Private Forest	0.1637	No rights affected
			108/11	Private Forest	0.439	No rights affected
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()	1000		112/8	Private Forest	0.0971	No rights affected
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	Malbidi	155	54	Reserved Forest	0.1928	No rights affected
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Bhiwandi	Supegaon	6	8//1 part	Private Forest	0.7748	No rights affected
		95	18	Protected Forest	0.0962	No rights affected
		22	22	Protected Forest	0.1443	No rights affected
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Bhiwandi	Vadpe		139	Reserved Forest	3.0105	03 IFR Rights affected
		-	138	Reserved Forest	0.0384	No rights affected
A STATE OF THE STA		Total	Area		3.0489	
Bhiwandi	Boriwali	54	**	Reserved Forest	0.3908	No rights affected
		56	22	Reserved Forest	0.4696	No rights affected
		20	-	Private Forest	0.059	No rights affected
		19		Private Forest	0.4573	No rights affected
		16//7		Private Forest	0.6446	No rights affected

FORM-I

(for linear projects other than Plantations)
[Rule 6(3) (e) of Forest (Conservation) Rules 2003 as amended up to date]

Government of Maharashtra
Office of District Collector Thane
No. RB/Desk. IV/T.2/FRA/Noc/CR-07/2021
Date _____/12/2022

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In compliance of the Rule 6(3)(e) of the Forest (Conservation) Rules, 2003 [as amended vide the Forest (Conservation) Amendment Rules 2014; Forest (Conservation) second Amendment Rules 2014; and Forest (Conservation) Amendment Rules 2016] it is certified that 32.8271 hectares of forest land proposed to be diverted in favour of National Highways Authority of India PIU Thane for Development of Vadodara Mumbai Expressway (Phase-II SPUR) from km 0+000 to 97+783 in the State of Maharashtra in the Thane district for falls within the jurisdiction of Balyani, Manivali, Apte Tarfe Barbe village(s) in Kalyan tehsils. & Badlapu, Bhoj village(s) in Ambarnath tehsils. It is further certified that:

Taluka	Village Name	Survey No	Forest Type	Area (ha.)	Current Status
Kalyan	Balyani	79	Protected Forest	0.133	No rights affected
	33-537-51-51-5	79	Protected Forest	0.0346	
	Manivali	32/4	Private Forest	0.4664	
		32/2	Private Forest	0.093	
		32/3	Private Forest	0.2211	No rights affected
		32/5	Private Forest	0.389	20
		32/7	Private Forest	0.0146	
		32/8	Private Forest	0.4291	
		32/9	Private Forest	0.0476	
		32/10	Private Forest	0.0329	
	Apti trfe Barhe	56	Reserved Forest	3.9591	No rights affected
		38/1	Private Forest	0.2156	
		38/4	Private Forest	0.1624	
		38/3	Private Forest	0.899	
		38/5	Private Forest	0.2267	
		38/10	Private Forest	0.2421	
		38/9	Private Forest	0.0251	
		38/8	Private Forest	0.0160	
	Harry Marine		Total Area	7.6073	
Ambernath	Badlapur	257	Protected Forest	0.9184	
	100 A COM (20) 441	257	Protected Forest	0.6458	No rights affected
9		13A	Protected Forest	0.0491	
	Bhoj	88	Reserved Forest	23.6065	No rights affected
HI CHERON			Total Area	25.2198	
			Grand Total	32.8271	

(a) the complete process of recognition and vesting of forest rights under the FRA has been carried out for the entire 32.8271 hectares of forest land proposed for diversion. A copy of records of all consultations and meetings of the Forest Rights Committee(s), Gram Sabha(s)/Ward Sabha(s), Sub- Division Level Committee(s) and the District Level Committee are enclosed as attachment. 1... to attachment. 7; (As there are no forest rights claims received in the affected area by the said project, the ward committee meetings, sub-divisional level committee and the District Level Committee meetings have not been organized.)

(b) the diversion of forest land for facilities managed by the Government as regulated under section 3 (2) of the FRA, 2006 have been completed and the Gram Sobbas have given their consent to it;

(c) the proposed area does not involve recognized rights of Primitive Pribal Groups and Pre-Agricultural Communities.

Encl.: As above.

CC: 1. National Highways Authority of India PIU Thane

Sub-Division Officer, Kalyan, Ulhasnagar

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Collector, Thane

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FORM -I

(For linear projects other than Plantations) [Rule 6(3)(e) of Forest (Conservation) Rules 2003 as amended up to date] Government of Maharashtra Office of the District Collector Raigad.

No.RB/LND/A-03/VANHAKKA/38433/2022

Dated :- | 0 /08/2022.

TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

In compliance of the Rule 6(3)(e) of the Forest (Conservation) Rules, 2003 [as amended vide the Forest (Conservation) Amendment Rules 2014; Forest (Conservation) second Amendment Rules 2014; and Forest (Conservation) Amendment Rules 2016] it is certified that 14.2359 hectares of forest land proposed to be diverted in favour of GM (T) & Project Director, National Highways Authority of India for Development of Vadodara Mumbai Expressway (Phase-II SPUR) from km 0+000 to km 79+783 in Raigad district falls within jurisdiction of villages in Wangani trf Taloje, Karambeli, Shiravali - Panvel tehsils.

It is further certified that:

- a) the complete process of recognition and vesting of forest rights under the FRA has been carried out for the entire 14.2359 hectares of forest land proposed for diversion. A copy of records of all consultations and meetings of the Forest Rights Committees, Gram Sabhas, Sub-Division Level Committees and the District Level Committee are enclosed as attachment I, II and attachment III.
- b) the diversion of forest land for facilities managed by the Government as required under section 3(2) of the FRA, 2006 have been completed and the Gram Sabhas have given their consent to it.
- c) The local tribal community is using 0.05.00 H.R. area for burial ground out of the total 696.40.00 H.R. area of Gut No.2 in Karambeli trfe Taloje. The remaining proposed area does not involve recognized rights of Primitive Tribal Groups and Pre-agricultural Communities.

Encl. :-

Details of proposed forest land (Attachment

COLLECTOR RAIGAD

Copy to :-1) Deputy Conservator of Forest Division, And

2) GM (T) & Project Director, National Highways Authority of India, Project Implementation Unit - Thane, MTNL Building, Opposite Babubhai Petrol Pump, LBS Marg, Near Castle Mill Circle, Thane (W) - 400601.

Development of Vadodara Mumbai Expressway (Phase-II SPUR) from km 0+000 to km 79+783 in Raigad district

DETAILS OF PROPOSED FOREST LAND ATTACHMENT - IV

Sr.No.	Name of Village	Survey/ Gut No	Area Under Proposal (Hector)
- 1	2	3	4
1	Wangani trf Taloje	Forest	2.4687
2	Wangani trf Taloje	15	0.0044
3	Wangani trf Taloje	22	0.6177
4	Wangani trf Taloje	13/1	3.0740
5	Karambeli	02	6.3492
6	Shirayali	22	1.7219
	TOTAL	and the same	14.2359



Annex 7



भारतीय राष्ट्रीय राजमार्ग प्राधिकरण

सङ्क परिवहन एवं राजमार्ग मंत्रालय, भारत सरकार

National Highways Authority of India

Ministry of Road Transport and Highways, Government of India परियोजना कार्यान्वयन इकाई - वाणे, एम.टी.एम.एस. बिरुडींग, बाबुआई पेट्रोल पंप के सामने, एस.बी.एस. मार्ग, कॅसल मिल सर्कल के पास, ठाणे (प) - ४००६०१ Project Implementation Unit - ThaneMTNL Building, Opp. Babubhai Petrol Pump LBS Marg, Near Castle Mill Circle, Thane(w) - 400601 इंगेल: piuthane@nhai.org / piuthane@gmail.com विमाइट / Website: nhai.gov.in



Annex 8

Sub: Diversion of 111.7321 ha of Forest land for Development of Vadodara Mumbai Expressway (Phase-II SPUR) from km 0+000 to km 79+783 in Thane District in the State of Maharashtra.

Condition no.	Undertaking		
viii	We undertake as under, 'To improve the Forest/Tree cover and to reduce pollution, as mandated in National Forest Policy, 1988 and Environmental (Protection) Act, 1986 respectively, the User Agency shall develop a separate nursery at one or more places to raise at least 75,000 seedlings of forestry species along with bamboo, fruit bearing, medicinal, ornamental and indigenous/local every year. At least 50% of seedlings shall be planted by User Agency in the vicinity of project area including forest area and for hand holding with local people residing in vicinity of proposed road, User Agency shall voluntary distribute remaining 50% of seedlings to them free of cost. A compliance report including species wise details of seedlings raised, location of plantation area and details of villagers whom seedlings have been distributed need to be prepared every six month and submitted to Regional Office of MoEF&CC'.		

आमकाः भवदीय,

(सुहास दें चिटणिस) परियोजना निर्देशक प. का. ई. ठाणे

प्रधान कार्यालय : जी. 5 एवं 6, सेक्टर 10, द्वारका, नई दिल्ली - 110 075. Tel. : 011-25074100 / 25074200 वेबसाईट : http://www.nhai.org Corporate Office : G. 5 & 6, Sector - 10, Dwarka, New Delhi - 110 075. Tel. : 011-25074100 / 25074200 Website : http://www.nhai.org

Annex-9

Condition No: ix –Planation of native species



भारतीय राष्ट्रीय राजमार्ग प्राधिकरण

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National Highways Authority of India

Ministry of Road Transport and Highways, Government of India परियोजना कार्यान्ययन हकाई - डाणे, एम ती.एम एस विस्त्रोम, बबूध ई पेट्रोल पप के सामने, इस.बी.एन. मार्ग, संसास पिल सकत के पर, बाने (प) - ५००६०४

Project Implementation Unit - Thane VTNi, Building, Opp. Rabubble Petrol Pemp. LBS Marg. Near Castle Mill Crops, Thanolys) - 400601

अन : purhase@ulanceg / pratrane@gmail.com रंगसदर / Writeste inhargovin



Date: 05.11.2022

NHAI7 PlU-Thane/ VME/2022-23/ パイケス

To, Dy, Conservator of Forests Thane Forest Division Marathon Circle, LBS Marg Naopada, Thane Maharashtra - 400 602

Sub: Diversion of 111.7231 ha. of Forest land for Development of Vadodara Mumbai Expressway (Phase-II Spur Alignment) from km 0+000 to km 79.783 in Palghar, Thane & Raigad Districts in the State of Maharashtra - Release of Payment towards Cost of planting suitable native species -Reg.

Ref.; 1. MoEF&CC letter no. F.No.FC-III/MH-50/2022-NGP/10338 dated 25.09.2022.

2. Your office letter no. 25/Survey/CA/3679/2022-23 dated 30.09.2022.

Sir,
Kindly refer to your office letter no.3679/2022-23 dated 30.09.2022 vide which you have submitted the demand note as per conditions of MoEF&CC 1stage Clearance letter dated 25.09.2022.

2. This office has released the payment against conditions (ix) "Planting suitable native species" for an amount of Rs. 2,08,52,058/- on dated 03.11.2022.

This is for your information and record.

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आपका भवदीण.

एम. टा. अक्तस्त्र) परियोजना निर्देशक प्रकार्ड-ठाण

Copy to: 1, CGM (T) & RO, Mumbal: for kind information.

2. Chief Conservator of Forest, Thane: for kind information & necessary action.

Annex-10

Condition No: xi –Recommendation of Wildlife Conservation Plan by PCCF (Wildlife), Maharashtra



Forest Department

Qio Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Maharashtra State

Phone No.- 0712-2560953 Principal Chief Conservator of Forest (Wildlife) Maharashtra State E-mail - peefwingp@mahaforest.gov.in Website - www.mahaforest.gov.in "Van Bhavan", 3rd Floor, Ramgiri Road, Civil Lines, Nagpur 440 001.

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To,
The Member Secretary (EAC)
Scientist "E",
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change,
Indita Paryavaran Bhawan,
3rdFloor, Vayu Wing, Jor Bagh Road
Aliganj, New Delhi- 110 003
E-mail: ad <u>taju@nu.in</u>

Subject: Development of 8-lanc SPUR Starting from Kin 26.582 of Vadodara - Mumbai Expressway Main Alignment (Design Chainage km. 01000 of SPUR) and terminating at proposed junction with the Multi-Modal Corridor of MMRDA (Design Chainage of SPUR km. 79.783) in the state of Maharashtra by M/s National Highway Authority of India (MoEFCC F. No. 10-29/2019-1A.III)

Regarding Wildlife Conservation Plan

- Ref: J. Government of India, Ministry of Environment Forest and Climate Change, New Delhi letter No.F.No.10-29/2019-IA.III, dated 16/03/2020.
 - Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Finests, (Wildlife), West, Mumbai vide letter no. Cell-3/ Land/FCA/F.No.75/20-21/1444 dated 27th August 2021.

The Ministry of Environment, Forest and Chimete Change issued ToR for the captioned study vide letter dated 16th March 2020 (Ref-1). Point No. (xiii) and (xiv) of the Project Specific Conditions of the approved ToR says that:

(xiii) Since, the area is important from wildlife point of view and Schedale-I species exists in the study area (10 km radius of the proposed project), the proponent shall prepare a detailed Wildlife Conservation Plan along with adequate antigation or overview. The Wildlife Conservation shall be approved by the Chief Wildlife Warden concerned.

(xiv) The proponent shall also study wildlife corridor along the proposed alignment covering of least two seasons, winter and summer in consultation with Chief Wildlife Warden. Government of Maharushtra. The suggested mitigation measures should include options of long elevated stretches of the road to maintain and ensure contiguity of animal movement between Tangareshwar and Tansa forest areas.

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M/s National Highway Authority of India has prepared the Wildlife Conservation Plan for the project by conducting the study in two seasons (Winter and Summer) and submitted the Conservation Plan to the Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forest, (Wildlife) West, Mumbai. A presentation on the Conservation Plan was made before the APCCF (Wildlife), West, Mumbai and all the concerned DCF (Wildlife and Territorial divisions) on 22rd July 2021 at Membai.

During the presentation, the APCCF (Wildlife), West, Mumbai suggested some muxifications in the financial allocation in consultation with other members and also directed to all concerned forest divisions to convey their financial requirement on the said project.

Accordingly, the Deputy Conservator of Forests (Wildlife) Thane vide their letter no. Cell-4/Land/Mumbai-Vadodara/434/2021-22 dated 23/07/2021 conveyed the budget requirement of Rs. 100 Lakhs (Table-1)

Table 1: Financial Allocation for Wildlife Conservation Measures by DCF (WL)

Thane

Sr. No	ltem	Expected Expenditure (In Rs. Lakhs)
l	Creation of Waterholes for Wildlife animals wherever necessary (20 no.)	15
2.	Supply of water in waterholes by Tanker (For Five Years)	5
3.	Purchase of Camera Trap (50 Nos)	10
4.	Purchasing of Instruments required for animal recuse	15
5.	For wildlife conservation information propaganda, fixing information flex wherever necessary	15
რ .	For Forest and wildlife conservation, construction of Watch tower (5 Nos)	25
7.	Purchasing of Meterial for Guard unit	2
§.	Study of wildlife residence and movement	3
9.	Repairing and maintenance of existing Conservation Hut (5 no. Conservation Huts)	10
	Total	100

The Conservator of Forests and Director, Sanjay Gandhi National Park, Borisvali vide their letter no. Desk -2/Land/481/2021-22 dated 20/08/2021 conveyed the budget requirement of Rs. 100 Lakhs (Table-2)

Table 2: Financial Allocation for Wildlife Conservation Measures by Conservator of Forests and Director, SNGP, Boriwali

Sr. No	lleni	Expected Expenditure (la Rs. Lakhs)
· '-	Wildlife Patrolling Vehicle	10
2	Wildlife rescue equipment	10
3	Equipment for Animal Hospital for treatment of wildlife	20
4	Forest fireflighting equipment	10
5	Forest protection camps (2 nos.) at Tungareshwar Wildlife Sanctuory with Watch tower	50
Total		100

The Divisional Manger, Forest Project Division, Thane vide their letter no. Vivya/PVITII/Cell-7/Forest Land-Survey/1451/2021-22 dated 24/08/2021 conveyed the budget requirement of Rs. 104.1 Lakhs (Table-3)

Table 3: Figancial Allocation for Wildlife Conservation Measures by DM, FDCM Thane

Sr.		Number	Rate in Rs.	Expected
No				Expenditure (In Lakhs)
1	Deepening & removal of silt of existing waterholes under forest area.		Approx. 20,000 per Water hole	3.00
_2	. •	20 Camera Trap	Approx. 25,000 per Camera Trap	5,00
3	For Wounded /roote wandering wildlife caging them and after treating them and releasing in their natural habitet for said work purchasing of Cages.		Арргох. 2,00,000 рег Савс	8,00
4	For Wounded /ronte wandering wildlife caging them and after treating them and releasing in their natural habitat for said work purchasing Tranquilizing gun & other Medicines Full Kit	r 1 6	Approx. 1,00,000 per kit	1.00
5	Purchasing of Material for Fores and Wildlife purpose	t		

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	A) GPS Etrex 30 x	20 GPS	30,000/- per GPS	6.00
	B) Bingcular	4 Nos.	5,000/- per Binocular	0.20
	C) Search light / Torch	15	5,000/- per Search light/Torch	0.75
	D) Stick E) Helmet	10 10	500/- per Stick 1000/- per Helmet	0.05 0.10
6	Division, forest area for	2 Vehicle (Sumo/ Bolero)	10,00,000/- per Vehicle	20.00
7	Conservation of rare flora species under affected forestland of Thane Project Division, conservation on the suitable area Preparation of Herbal Garden	Garden	60,00,000/- per Herbal Garden	60.00
otal			'	104.1

The Chief Conservator of Forests (T) Thane communicated that Dahanu and Thane Furest Divisions sent their requirement of funds required for Forest and Wildlife Conservation vide letter no. Cell-10/FC/F.No 01/2021-22/234/21-22 dated 26/08/2021 conveyed the budget requirement of Rs. 15 Lakhs and Rs. 60 Lakhs respectively (Table-4&5)

Table 4: Financial Allocation for Wildlife Conservation Measures by Dy Conservator of Forests, Dahann Forest Division, Dahann

Sr. No	Details	Quantity	Rate	Amount in Lakhs
i	Camera Trap for Inspection migratory path of Wildlife	10	15,000	1.50
2	Man - Animal Conflict or Cages for rescue & Treatment of wounded Leopard	1	2,50,000	10.00
3	GPS	10	25,000	2.50
4	Research on Wildlife habitat	-	-	1.00
Total		1		15.00

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Table 5: Financial Allocation for Wildlife Conservation Measures by Dy Conservator of Forests (T), Thane Forest Division, Thane

Sr. No	Details	Quantity	Rate	Amount in Lakhs
1	Animal Rescue Vehicle	† ₁	20.00	20.00
2	GPS	20	0.20	4.00
	Camera Traps	75	0.28	21.00
4	Trap Cages	05	1.00	5.00
5	Rescue Equipment for Rescue team	+· -	10.00	10.00
 Total		<u>. </u>		60.00

Therefore, total financial allocation proposed by the Forest Department (Wildlife Division and Territorial Forest Division) is Rs. 3.79 Cr. as given in Table-6.

Table 6: Total Financial Allocation proposed by the Forest Department

Sr. No	Details of Department/ Agency	Table No	Amount in Lakbs
ι	Deputy Conscruator of Forests (Wildlife) Thane	l I	100.00
2	Conservator of Forests and Director, Sanjay Gandhi National Park, Boriwali	2	100.00
3	Divisional Manager, Forest Project Division, (FDCM) Thane	3	104 00
4	Dy Conservator of Forests, Dahanu Forest Division, Dahanu	4 	15.00
3	Dy Conservator of Forests (T), Thane Forest Division, Thane	5	60.00
Total			379.00
Rs. 3.79	Cr.		

As per 'Table No 6 all respective rive divisions have conveyed their cost for implementation of the conservation measures in project area of their respective divisions.

Apart from the above, M/s National Highway Authority of India has proposed Rs. 173.39 Crore under civil construction for construction of animal overpass, dedicated animal crossing and Small Vehicular / Animal Underpasses (Table-7) which is also part of the mitigation cost.

Table 7: Cost of Animal Overpass, Dedicated Animal Crossing and Animal Underpass

St. No.	Description	Description - Unit	Unit Cust (In Cr.)	Total(in Cr.)	
I	Animal overpass	2 πο.	11.025	22.05	
2	Dedicated Animal Crossing	53 no.	1.66	87.98	
3 Small Vehicular / Animal Underpasses		33 no.	1.92	63.36	
Total A	mount in Crore		173.39		

The total financial allocation proposed for implementation of the Wildlife Conservation Plan including its implementation responsibility, as approved from this office is given in Table-8. The Project Director, M/s National Highway Authority of India, PIU-Thane has agreed to defray the cost of Wildlife Conservation measure to the forest department.

Table-8 Approved Financial Allocation for Wildlife Conservation Measures

Description	Amount (in Cr.)	Implementation Responsibility
Civil Cost for construction of Animal Overpass, Dedicated Animal Crussing and Animal Underpass	338.00	Shall be implemented by the NHAI through the Contractor
Cost of conservation / mitigation suggested by the Forest Department	1	Shall be implemented by the Forest Department. NHAL will transfer the fund to the Forest Department.
Total Financial Allocation	177.18	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,

In view of the above the Wildlife Conservation Plan is approved with the mitigation measures suggested in this plan with following terms and conditions:

- This Wildlife Conservation plan shall be strictly followed till completion of the construction of said project by the above respective divisions
- M/s National Highway Authority of India shall defray the said cost of Rs. 3.79Cr. soon after according Environment Clearance from the MoEFCC. 'No objection Certificate' shall be obtained after payment of said amount from the APCCF (Wildlife), West, Mumhai before start of the construction.

- M/s National Highway Authority of India shall construct the Animal Overpass,
 Dedicated Animal Crossing and Animal Underpass through Contractor as per the approved plan.
- M/s National Highway Authority of India shall also implement conditions imposed by the MoEFCC separately as directed in the Environment clearance.
- There shall be no change in this plan without prior approval of this office by the undersigned.
- 6. M/s National Highway Authority of India shall obtain other requisite clearances (as applicable) from the concerned departments / authorities before commencement of the work.
- Felling of trees shall be strictly followed as per approval of Diversion of Forest land proposal under Forest (Conservation) Act 1980
- No harm shall be done to Forest & Wildlife due to negligence during Construction of this project.
- 9. M/s National Highway Authority of India shall engage Supervision Consultant for evaluation of construction work and monitoring of implementation of this wildlife Conservation Plan by respective Forest Department. The Supervision Consultant shall submit six monthly progress report and present the same before the committee constituted as below:

Monitoring and Evaluation Committee for this project

Details of Committee member	Position
Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, (Wildlife), West, Mumbai	Chairman
Dy Conservator of Forest (WL) Thane	Member
Director, Sanjay Gandhi National Park, Boriwali	Member
Divisional Manager, Forest Project Division, (FDCM) Thane	Member
Dy Conservator of Forests, Dahanu Forest Division, Dahanu	Member
Dy Conservator of Forests (T), Thane Forest Division, Thanc	Member
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7	Project Director, National Highway Authority of India	Member
8	Representative from the Contractor	Member
9	Supervision Consultant	Member

Encl: Wildlife Conservation Plan

Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Chief Wildlife Warden Maharushira State.

Copy: Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, (Wildlife), West, Mumbai for information & necessary action.

Annex-11

Condition No: xi –Approval of Matheran Monitoring Committee





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परियोजना निदेशकः, भारतीय राष्ट्रीय राजनार्ग प्रविकरण, परियोजना कार्यन्त्रयन विभाग - हाले, एम टी एम.एस. बिन्हींग, अबुभादे वेहोल वंपारानीर, एलबोरम मार्ग, केसल मिल सकेल जतक, टामे (५) १४० १७५

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ਦਿੱਲਮੇ : 1.आपलेकर्डल पत्र क्र. NHAD PLU-Thane/ VMF, (6/ 2021)। 22/1262, दिनाक 11,12,2031, 2,मध्याम भीतवंत्रण भीमतीच्या वेटीकचे इतिवृत्त दिनोक 18.00 2022 व ^{ક્}લાંજ 23,02,2022

महोदय

आएले कहील उपनेका जिल्लाचे अनुबंधाने, मंबर्ड, बहोदरा एक्सप्रेप व क्रीका मिल्डमांडल कोरिडोर तयार करण्याकांरक माधेरान इक्लेमेन्स्टीक झोनमधील कामाकारक माधेराम मीनव्यक भृभिक्षीच्या नाइरकत बाखल्याचे अनुष्टाने यादर प्रस्ताव | दिनांक | (१२ २०२) । नुसार प्रकरणी भावेगार मानवंबना लिमतीच्या विशंक (8.0) 2022 तसेच विशंक 23.02.2022 सेजीच्या आयोजिन वैद्यांसम्प्रे चर्चा करणेत आलेली असून, सदर **थेठक** दिनांका 18 00.2022 वर्तन दिनांका 23 02 2022 च्या पैर्टीकच्या दानसूनाची छ।याप्रत सोवत माहितीकरित, पाटविकी आहे,

> निवासी उपजिल्हाधिकारी रायगद्ध- अलिवाग

Minutes of the Meeting of Matheran Monitoring Committee dated 18,01,2022

The meeting of Matheran Eco-sensitive Zone Monitoring Committee was held on 18th January 2022 at 12.30 p.m. through Video Conferencing and it was presided over by Sri K P Bakshi, Chairman, MBSZMC. Following members were present for the said meeting-

	Dr Rakesh Kumar, Environment Expert	Member
2	Mr David R Cardoz (Arch, Heritage Expert)	Member
3	Mr. Bhushan Gagrani, Principal Secretary, Urban Development Department -1	Member **
4	Mr. Manesh Pathak, Principal Secretary, Urban Development Department -2.	Member
5	Mr. Joy Thakur, Representative of Principal Secretary, Environment & Climate	Member
	Change Department , Gov Of Maharashira	
6	Mr.Bharst Sharma , Director , CPCB	Member
7	Mr. Suresh Kumar Adapa , Member of Regional Office MoEF, Nagpur	Member
8	Dr Mahendra Kalyankar, District Collector, Raigad	Member
		Secretary

After ascertaining the quorum, the Chairman welcomed all the members and requested the Collector, Raigad & Convener of the Committee to start the meeting. Dr Mahendra Kalyankar Collector, Raigad & Convener MESMZC briefed the members on all issues.

Agenda

- 1) Confirmation of minutes of previous meeting held on 30.12.21
- 2) Discussion on the Writ Perition No. 17700/2021.
- Regarding Recommendation and gram of Approval for construction of Turnel in Section-1 and structure and alignment in Section-2 in Matheran Eco Sensitive Zone and Buffer bound areas, as demanded by NHAI vide letter dated. 11.12.2021.

Trans.	Subject	Discussions	Decision of the
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<u>n</u> o	Confirmation of minutes of previous meeting.	Minutes of the previous MESZMC meeting held on 30.12.21 were sent to all the members with the permission of the Chairman. Some minor corrections were suggested by Mr David R Cardoz in the minutes at \$r. No. 2, 26, 30. Dr Kolyankar informed the committee that all minor changes as suggested by Mr. David R Cardoz have been incorporated in the minutes and he proposed that the minutes may be confirmed. Accordingly it was unsatimously decided to confirm the minutes of the last MMC meeting dated 30.12.21	MESZMC meeting held on 30.12.21 were confirmed
2	Discussions on the Writ Petition No. 17700/2021	Mr Cardoz informed the committee that the Fire Engine and Ambulance were allowed in Matheran city limits as per the Hon'ble Supreme Court order and the use of tractors was prohibited as per the 2004 notification. Hence use of 3 E-Rickshaws on pilot basis for a period of three months should be allowed with the prior permission of the Hon. Supreme Court. Chairman agreed to the suggestion of Mr Cardoz. Or Kalyankar briefed the committee that two letters have been written to Joint Secretory MoEF, New Delhi and Adviser, MoEF, New Delhi to request Hon'hle Supreme Court of India for granting permission to ply E-rickshaw in Matheran Eco Sensitive Zone. It was unanimously decided, after due deliberations, that the Collector & Convener of MESZMC may please request the Joint Secretary, MoEF with a copy to the Principal Secretary Environment, Government of Maharashtra about the decision of this committee regarding allowing 3 E-Rickshaws in Matheran Manicipal limits on pilot basis for a period of 3 months, subject to the prior permission of Hon. Supreme Court. Hence necessary action may be taken at their end.	Cotlector & Convener of MESZMC may please request the Joint Secretary, MoEF with a copy to the Principal Secretary Environment, Government of Maharashtra to take necessary action for obtaining the permission of Hon. Supreme
	22		Court for allowing 3 E-Rickshaws in
		8 33 ⇒ ≤	Matheran Municipal limits on pilot basis for a period of 3 months.

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Recommendation and grant of Approval for construction of Tunne; in Section-1 and structure and alignment in Section-2 in Matheran Eco Sensitive Zone and Buffer bound areas, as demanded by NHAI vide letter dated.

11.12.2021.

Dr Rakesh Kumar wanted to know why MoEF wanted revalidation of the approval, because approval letter was already issued earlier also.

Chairman posited out that since the previous letter was signed by Mr Ranganathan, the then Chairman on a plain paper and not on the official letterhead of The MESZMC there was a confusion whether the letter was signed after the Committee deliberations or rot. Therefore, the 2D, PIU Thane, NHAI wrote to the Collector in 2021. Collector vide her letter in March 2021 informed that the project was discussed in the meeting and that the records are available in the office of the Collector Raigad and further affirmed that the letter still stands. Moreover, there were some changes in the design of the tunnel. That's why they want the proposal to be revisited and requested for formal approval and communication on official letterhead of the MESZMC.

Collector agreed to provide the official letterhead in due course.

Dr Rakesh Kumar further said that two issues need attention. Firstly impact due to vibration that will take place during execution is more important than noise. Similarly issue of socioeconomic aspect has not been highlighted in the current presentation, although this must have been covered in EIA report. Copy of EIA report has not been provided to the committee members.

Mr Cardoz informed that the Environmental Impact Assessment (EIA) Study was asked earlier in 2013 and NHAI informed that the sandy will be conducted after finalization of the alignment. Now the EIA report has been finalized in October 2021 but the report has not been circulated among the members. Hence he requested to provide the copy of the report and expressed concern about debris management.

PD PIU, NHA! replied that around 12.5 takh cum of debris is expected to be generated. 85% of the debris is proposed to be reused in the highway construction and 15% would be dumped on sites in consultation with the district authorities. PD PIU, NHA! committed that these identified sites will be outside of the £SZ and not in river coarses, natural spring or water bodies.

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Thane to circulate
the soft copy of
the EIA to all
members and
Collector to reconvene the
meeting of this
committee after
about 2 weeks.

Mr. David Cardoz further said that 100% debris should be utilized as most of the debris will be Basalt which is a very good building material. PD informed that they will my to utilise all the material in highway construction and other related works unless the material is found unsuitable. They forther confirmed that the debris shall not be dumped in ESZ area and shall be dumped in area beyond ESZ. with consent of District Administration. Dr Rakesh Kumar wanted that the monitoring of the progress of work including debrismanagement, when NHAI starts construction, will be more crucial than whatever is written in the paper and that is why munitoring committee should look at who and how to menitor this. Dr Cardoz requested to clarify whether the tunnel is proposed to start before the buffer zone and will end after the buffer zone. PD, PIU Thank, NHAI confirmed that the tunnel is proposed to start before the buffer zone and will end after the buffer zone. Mr. David Cardoz raised his concern regarding blasting during tunnel construction. The PD PIU clarified that rock mass behaviour of the numelling area show wide variation, hence, New Austrian Tunnelling Method (NATM) has been proposed in accordance with relevant codes of Bureau of Indian Standards and Indian Road Congress (IRC) and controlled blasting will be carried out when it is inevitable and in low intensity under the supervision of experts with the permission of the concerned authorities. Mr Mehesh Pathak, PS, UDD-II suggested that vibrations are more important than noise. He further opined that the took mass is of mixed type and also involves massive basalt and that may require blasting. However the blasting should be kept to minimum

and during daytime only. He further raised concern about vibration analysis & monitoring proposed during construction in the BIA Report.

Mr. Bharat Sharma from CPCB mised concern about noise level during construction and operation stage and noise modelling carried out for the project.

PD PIU NHAI presented the details of basetine noise monitoring, noise modeiling carried out for the project and vibration analysis results. He further explained that environmental monitoring during construction and operation phases for all environmental attributes such as air, noise, ground water, surface water, soil and vibration has been detailed out in Chapter-6 of the EIA Report.

Mr. Suresh Kumar from Regional Office MOEF Nagpur said that the NHAI should provide the copy of the EIA Report to all members for review.

PD PIU NHAI confirmed that copy of the Final EIA report will be shared to all the committee members for review.

Mr Cardoz said that in-principle approval of the VME-SPUR alignment was given in the first meeting in 2012 as it is a project of National importance. During that time it was suggested to shift the alignment 200m to save Section-II of the proposal. However, it could not be done and now it is too late for that.

Chairman said that deciding and freezing the alignment of such a project is the final outcome of a long drawn process and many aspects including environmental impact, cost, time, convenience of the users, technical feasibility are are examined sumpulously. We understand that after several corrections, the NHAI and Ministry have finalized this alignment and already 9 to 10 years of time has elopsed. NHAI has addressed all the observations and concerns of this committee raised so far. PD has also further informed that details of analysis of alignment alternatives are given in Chapter-5 of the EIA Report. Therefore the approval is now long overdue. Chairman requested the PD PIU Thane to circulate the soft copy of the EIA to all members and suggested

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4	Any other subject with the permission of the Chair	that we re-assemble after a couple of weeks to take final decision. It was unanimously agreed to. Since there was no other subject to be discussed, it was decided to close	

Dr. Mahendra Kalyankar, IAS Member Secretary, **Matheran Monitoring Committee**

K. P. Bakshi, IAS (Retd.) Chairman Matheran Monitoring Committee

Minutes of the Meeting of Matheran Monitoring Committee dated 23.02.2022

The meeting of Matheran Monitoring Committee was held on 23rd February, 2022 at 2.30 p. m. and it was presided over by Hon*ble Chairman Shri. K. P. Bakshi. The following members/office bearers were present for the said meeting-

1	Hon'ble Chairman Mr. K. P. Bakshi	Chairman
2	Dr. Rakesh Kumar, Environment Expert	Member
3	Mr. David R Cardoz (Arch, Heritage Expert)	Member
4	Mr.Mahesh Pathak, Principal Secretary, Urban Development Department -2.	Member
5	Mr. Joy Thakur, Representative of Principal Secretary, Environment & Climate Change Department, Government of Maharashtra	Member
6	Mr.Bharat Sharma , Director , CPCB	Member
7	Mr. Suresh Kumar Adapa, Member of Regional Office MoEF, Nagpur	Member
8	Dr. Mahendra Kalyankar, District Collector, Raigad	Member Secretary

The Member Secretary, Dr. Mahendra Kalyankar started the meeting by greeting all the members of the committee. The Member Secretary briefed the meeting on all the issues.

Agenda of the Meeting:

- 1) Discussion on minutes of previous meeting.
- Regarding Recommendation and grant of Approval for construction of Tunnel in Section-1 and structure and alignment in Section-2 in Matheran Eco Sensitive Zone and Buffer bound areas, as demanded by NHAI vide letter dated 11.12.2021.

- 3) Issues regarding Matheran Nagar Parishad -
 - Repairing of drainage of rain water near Madhumalati Hotel, within the area of Matheran Municipal Council.
 - Taking decision about construction of Alarm Clock Tower with siren system, within the area of Matheran Municipal Council.
 - iii) Taking decision about construction of FSTP project within the area of Matheran Municipal Council.

Sr. No.	Details of Discussion		Decision Taken
	Subject	Discussion	
		Development of 8-lane SPUR Starting from Km 26.582 of Vadodara - Mumbai Expressway Main Alignment (Design Chainage 0+000) and terminating at proposed Junction with the Multi-Modal Corridor of MMRDA (Design Chainage 79+783) in the state of Maharashtra - Revalidation of approval granted by the Matheran Monitoring Committee in 2012-2013 for VME-SPUR alignment in Matheran Eco-Sensitive Zone. The proposal was considered in the 4th meeting of the Matheran Monitoring Committee held on 23rd February 2022. NHAI presented details of environmental monitoring proposed to be carried out during construction phase as well as operation phase of the project including it's institutional & implementation arrangement. The Project Director, NHAI committed that conditions of all statutory clearances such as	implementation of EMF provisions and compliance of conditions in the Matheran Area to the Member Secretary of the Committee. If the Committee observe that there is any violation or any specific issue require

		clearance, Forest Clearance,	be responsible to implement the corrective action suggested by the Committee. 3) The approval shall be subject to condition that the Project Proponent should obtain Forest Clearance for the project from the MoEFCC before to start of the work in Matheran area. Further, the Project Proponent shall inform the Matheran Monitoring Committee prior to taking up the work of tree felling in Matheran area. All the above mentioned conditions are applicable for the stretch of the proposed expressway passing through the
2	Issues regarding Matheran Nagar Parishad - i) Repairing of drainage of rain water near Madhumalati Hotel, within the area of Matheran Municipal Council	The project was discussed in the committee. The site has been inspected by the sub-committee & repairs are being allowed as suggested by the sub-committee & also minutes of field visit of Matheran monitoring sub-committee carried out on 27th Jan & 28th Jan 2022 is also approved.	
3	ii) Taking decision about construction of Alarm Clock Tower with siren system, within the area of Matheran Municipal Council.	suggested, that Matheran Municipal Council, Should give all details regarding this system	to submit DPR to all members and this subject will be taken for discussion in the next meeting of
4	iii) Taking decision about construction of FSTP project within the area of Matheran Municipal Council.	The Faecal sludge treatment plant (FSTP) discussed in the committee. The sludge generated by the toilets at Matheran Municipal Council is not processed in any way. This matter is of serious nature and it is very necessary to set up at FSTP for the treatment of	Chief Officer will take further necessary action to implement FSTP project within the area of Matheran Municipal Council.

sludge and approval is being given in this regard. Although all the members discussed that, they have to go through all details of FSTP like, Estimate, Government Resolution (GR), Technical Section (TS) and Approval. Them will decided to give permission, after meeting. Chief Officer, Matheran Municipal Council send all details to committee members and all members has given concert to FSTP.

Dr. Mahendra Kalyanker, IAS Member Secretary, Matheran Monitoring Committee

K. P. Bakshi, IAS (Retd.) Chairman, Matheran Monitoring Committee

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Annex-12

Condition No: xii –Environmental Clearance

File No. 10/29/2019-IA.III [Proposal No. IA/MH/NCP/283349/2022]

Government of India

Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change
(Impact Assessment Division)

Indira Paryavaran Bhawan, JorBagh Road, Aliganj New Delhi - 110 003

Dated: 23rd August, 2022

To

The General Manager

M/s National Highways Authority of India

G-5 & 6, Sector-10, Dwarka, New DElhi-110075.

Subject: Development of 8-lane SPUR Starting from Km 26.582 of Vadodara -Mumbai Expressway Main Alignment (Design Chainage 0+000) and terminating at proposed Junction with the Multi-Modal Corridor of MMRDA (Design Chainage 79+783) in the state of Maharashtra (Length 79.783) by M/s National Highways Authority of India – Corrigendum reg.

Sir.

This has reference to the your proposal no IA/MH/NCP/283349/2022 received on 13th July, 2022 through PARIVESH Portal seeking corrigendum in Environmental Clearance(EC) issued vide letter no 10-29/2019-IA.III dated 12.04.2022.

- M/s National Highways Authority of India accorded the EC and CRZ clearance vide letter no. 10-29/2019-IA.III dated 12.04.2022 for Development of 8-lane SPUR Starting from Km 26.582 of Vadodara -Mumbai Expressway Main Alignment (Design Chainage 0+000) and terminating at proposed Junction with the Multi-Modal Corridor of MMRDA (Design Chainage 79+783) in the state of Maharashtra (Length 79.783).
- 3. However the Subject of the EC letter dated 12.04.2022 mentions 'Grant of Environmental Clearance (EC) to the proposed Project activity under the provision of EIA Notification 2006-regarding'. Thus the instant proposal is seeking factual corrections in the EC letter dated 12.04.2022 as details below:

As per EC letter dated 12.04.2022	Factual correction sought by the proponent in the EC letter dated 12.04.2022
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4. The proposal has been examined in the Ministry in accordance with the Environment Impact Assessment (EIA) Notification, 2006 & further amendments thereto and noted that an inadvertent typographical/technical error is occurred during automated EC generation process on the PARIVESH Portal. After examination of the instant proposal of M/s National Highways Authority of India the Ministry hereby decided to issue corrigendum in the EC letter dated 12.04.2022 w.r.t. factual corrections in the subject of the EC dated 12.04.2022. The revised subject shall be read as following:

"Grant of Environmental Clearance (EC) and CRZ Clearance to the proposed Project Activity under the provision of EIA Notification 2006-regarding".

- All other terms and Conditions mentioned in the Environmental Clearance letter no. 10-29/2019-IA.III dated 12.04.2022 shall remain unchanged.
- The PP shall obtain fresh Environment Clearance in case of change in scope of the project if any.
- This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

(Amardeep Raju) Scientist 'E'

Copy to:

- The Principal Secretary, Department of Forests & Environment and Chairman, MCZMA, Govt. of Maharashtra, Annexe Building, Mantralaya, Mumbai- 32.
- II The Chairman, Central Pollution Control Board, Parivesh Bhawan, CBD-cum-Office Complex, East Arjun Nagar, Delhi – 32.
- III The Member Secretary, Maharashtra Pollution Control Board, Kalpataru Points, 3rd & 4th

Floor, Opp. Cine Planet, Sion Circle, Sion, Mumbai-400 022, Maharashtra.

- IV The APCCF (C), MoEF& CC, Regional Office (WCZ), Ground Floor, East Wing, New Secritariat Building, Civil Lines, Nagpur-440 001, Maharashtra.
- V Monitoring Cell, MoEF&CC, Indira Paryavaran Bhavan, New Delhi.

VI Guard File/Record File.

VII Notice Board.

(Amardeep Raju) Scientist 'E' and Virtuous Environment Single-Window Hub)

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Government of India Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (Impact Assessment Division)

To.

The General Manager National Highways Authority of India G-5 & 6, Sector-10, Dwarka, New DElhi-110075, G-5 & 6, Sector-10, Dwarka, New DElhi-110075, South West, Delhi-110075

Subject: Grant of Environmental Clearance (EC) to the proposed Project Activity under the provision of EIA Notification 2006-regarding

Sir/Madam,

Schedule No.

This is in reference to your application for Environmental Clearance (EC) in respect of project submitted to the Ministry vide proposal number IA/MH/MIS/110764/2019 dated 15 Oct 2021. The particulars of the environmental clearance granted to the project are as below.

1. EC Identification No. EC22A034MH143498 2. File No. 10-29/2019-IA.III 3. **Project Type** New 4. Category 5. Project/Activity including 7(f) Highways

Development of 8-lane SPUR Starting Name of Project from Km 20.002 5. Expressway Main Alignment (Deoig Chainage km. 0+000 of SPUR) and Chainage km from Km 26.582 of Vadodara - Mumbai Expressway Main Alignment (Design terminating at proposed junction with the Multi-Modal Corridor of MMRDA (Design Chainage of SPUR km. 79.783) in the

state of Maharashtra (Total Length is 79.783 km)

7. Name of Company/Organization National Highways Authority of India 8. **Location of Project** Maharashtra 9. **TOR Date** 16 Mar 2020

The project details along with terms and conditions are appended herewith from page no 2 onwards.

(e-signed) Amardeep Raju Date: 12/04/2022 Scientist E IA - (INFRA-1 sector)

Note: A valid environmental clearance shall be one that has EC identification number & E-Sign generated from PARIVESH.Please quote identification number in all future correspondence.

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- 2. The proposed Vadodara Mumbai Expressway (VME) SPUR is a Greenfield alignment, which starts at km 26.582 of main alignment of the Vadodara Mumbai Expressway at Koshimb village of Palghar district at Ch. 0+000 and terminate at the proposed junction with the Multi-Modal Corridor of Mumbai Metropolitan Region Development Authority (MMRDA) in Morbe village of Raigad district at Ch. 79+783. Total length of the VME-SPUR alignment is 79.783 km; out of which 18.900 km lies in Palghar district, 55.260 km lies in Thane district and remaining 5.623 km lies in Raigad district of Maharashtra.
- 3. The proposed alignment is passing through 68 villages and 6 Talukas (Vasai, Wada, Bhiwandi, Kalyan, Ambarnath and Panvel) in the State of Maharashtra.
- 4. The proposal was considered by the Expert Appraisal Committee (EAC) in its 220th meeting held on 26 July, 2019 and 232nd meeting held on 27th February, 2020 for the ToR. The ToR was issued vide F. No. 10-29/2019-IA.III dated 16th March 2020.
- 5. The geo-coordinates of project site are starting point 19°29'19.44"N, 72°52'58.86"E, 19° 3'59.65"N, 73°10'49.57"E. Length of the proposed expressway is 79.783 km. Virar Railway Station is located at a distance of approx.11.5 km from the start point of the expressway and Pavel Junction Railway Station is located at a distance of approx.12.6 km from the end point of the expressway. Chhatrapati Shivaji International Airport / Mumbai Airport is approx. 30 km from the start point of the proposed expressway.
- 6. About 7 major bridges, 6 major bridge cum viaduct, 23 minor bridges, 7 interchange, 3 flyover, 2RoB,4.160 km tunnel, 5 vehicular underpasses, 8 vehicular overpass, 29 light vehicular / pedestrian underpasses, 2 animal overpass, 53 dedicated animal crossing (box culvert), 33 small vehicular / animal underpasses,185 culverts, toll plaza at 7 locations, truck parking at 2 locations, wayside amenity at 1 location, smaller parking with toilet facilities at 2 locations and connecting roads at the identified locations for a length of 2.389 km on left side and 5.170 km on right side have been proposed along the expressway.
- 7. The proposed project falls under 7(f), Category-A, Highway as per EIA notification 2006. Total Project Cost including Centage & Pre-construction Cost is Rs, 10,510 Cr.
- 8. The proposed Right of Way (RoW) in general is 100 m in non-forest area and 70 m forest area except at interchanges, highway amenities, truck parking, where additional land shall be required as per actual design.
- 9. The proposed alignment is passes through plain, rolling and hilly terrain with elevation varies from about 3 m to 639 m above MSL.
- 10. Public Hearing was conducted in three District Raigad on 15th March 2021, Thane on 16th March, 2021 and Palghar on 24th March, 2021.
- 11. The proposed project involves diversion of approx. 122.6133 ha Forest Land. Proposal has been uploaded on 6th November 2020 (FC Proposal No. FP/MH/ROAD/53857/2020) and it is under examination with the State Government.
- 12. The proposed SPUR alignment is located at a distance of 0.619 km from the boundary of the Tungareshwar Wildlife Sanctuary and at a distance of 0.275 km from the notified ESZ boundary.

- 13. The proposed alignment passes through Matheran Eco-Sensitive Zone from km 71+532 to 75+426(both buffer and eco-sensitive zone) and from km 77+115 to km 77+691 (only buffer zone).
- 14. Water requirement: The total water demand of the project is 23,75,760 KL. In compliance to the Sub-Clause 111.8.3 of MoRTH Specifications, the contractor will identify the nearest source of water body at plant and camp site and shall source the water preferably from surface water bodies, rivers, streams in the project area. Only at locations where surface water sources are not available, the contractor shall contemplate extraction of ground water, after intimation and consent from the CGWB.As per the CGWB classification, all the Talukas, through which the proposed VME-SPUR is passing, fall under "safe" category. During the operations phase the water would be required primarily for domestic use at the toll plaza and landscaping.
- 15. Daily water requirement for drinking & domestic purposes in the 4 construction camps are 42,000 liters (10,500 liters in each construction camp) and generation of wastewater is 33,600 liters (8,400 liters in each construction camp). Therefore, Packaged Wastewater Treatment Plant has been recommended for each construction camp.
- 16. Refuse Containers will be provided at site for the management of domestic waste generated by the construction laborers and these containers shall be emptied at least once daily and will be disposed of as per SWM Rules, 2016 in consultation with the local authority.
- 17. Tree cutting: Loss of flora will occur due to vegetation clearing within the proposed ROW. There are approximately 55,355 trees within the proposed RoW; out of which 13,839 trees in forest land and 41,516 trees in non-forest land. About 69,680 no. of trees and 40,098 no. of hedges have been proposed to be planted under greenbelt development plan. Preference to native species including fruit species shall be given. These species are valuable from the socio-economic point of view. Plantation will be maintained upto 5 years and protected from cattle, wildlife and illegal felling. Dead saplings will be replaced to maintain the survival percentage of 90%. A capital cost provision of about Rs. 14.46 Crore has been kept for greenbelt development.
- 18. As per the CGWA classification, all the Talukas (Vasai, Wada, Bhiwandi, Kalyan, Ambarnath and Panvel) through which the proposed expressway is passing fall under safe category. However, as per MoRTH requirement rainwater harvesting structure has been proposed.75 numbers (1 structure in every km excluding tunnel area) of Rain water harvesting with provision of oil filters and de-silting chambers shall be provided along the expressway as per requirement of IRC SP: 42-2014 and IRC SP: 50-2013.
- 19. The proposed VME-SPUR alignment crosses tidal influenced parts of a small nala (connected to Tansa River), the Bhatsa River and Kalu River. CRZ map and report has been prepared by the National Centre for Earth Science Studies (NCESS), Thiruvananthapuram. Length of the proposed expressway in CRZ area is 609 m and total area in CRZ is 6.972 ha.

Location	CRZ IA		CRZ IB	CRZ II			CRZ IVB
	Mangrove	Mangrove Buffer			III	IVA	
KashidKopar	-	-	141.19	-	1533.8	-	280.47



Sange	-	-	2161.09	-	9093.73	_	4810.18
Konderi	-	-	938.22	-	9355.1	-	1488.8
Sangode	-	-	3889.35	-	16573.4 9	-	10472.23
Balyani	-	-	0	8978.1	0	-	0
Total (in sq. m.)			7129.85	8978.1	36556.1 2		17051.68
Total (in ha)			0.713	0.898	3.656		1.705
	Gra	nd Total = 6	9715.75 Sq. m	/ 6.972 ł	ıa		

- 20. The CRZ proposal was considered by the Environment and Climate Change Department, Government of Maharashtra on 21st September 2021 and recommended the proposal for grant of CRZ clearance to MoEF&CC, New Delhi vide letter dated 29.09.2021 with certain conditions.
- 21. The project falls under permissible activities as per the CRZ Notification, 2011.
- 22. R&R Issues: The land required for construction of proposed expressway is tentatively 1031.91 ha, which includes 122.6133 ha forest land and 909.2967 ha non-forest land. Land will be acquired by the CALA (Competent Authority for Land Acquisition) as per National Highways Act, 1956 and relevant provisions of the Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement (RFCTLARR) Act, 2013 & amendment of State Government.
- 23. Total manpower requirement is 2200 out of which 1400 manpower will be required during construction phase and 800 during operation phase.
- 24. Benefits of the project: The spur connects the main expressway to JNPT, Maha Samrudhi Marg (Mumbai-Nagpur Expressway) and Mumbai Pune Expressway. Therefore, the traffic bound for JNPT, Nagpur and Pune will play on SPUR and will not enter the Mumbai city. This will reduce both traffic congestion and pollution in the city. The Vadodara Mumbai Expressway with Spur is linking already existing Ahmedabad- Vadodara Expressway, Delhi-Vadodara Expressway, Mumbai –Nagpur Expressway and Mumbai Pune expressway and thus will provide expressway connectivity between Delhi-Mumbai-Nagpur-Pune. The expressway along with SPUR will provide connectivity to Dahej Port and Jawahar Lal Nehru Port (JNPT) thus facilitating imports and exports from these two ports. The project will be beneficial to Local Trade and Economy and will provide employment opportunity.
- 25. The PP has submitted the recommendations of the Matheran Monitoring Committee. The Matheran Monitoring Committee recommended the proposal for approval during its 4th meeting held on 23.02.2022. The Office of the District Collector, Raigad vide letter dated 22.03.2022 forwarded the copy of the minutes of the meeting of the Monitoring Committee.
- 26. Details of Court cases: No court case is pending against the proposed project.
- 27. The EAC based on the information submitted and clarifications provided by the project proponent and detailed discussions held on all the issues during 279th meeting on 15th November 2021, recommended the project for grant of environmental clearance and stipulated specific conditions along with other Standard EC Conditions.



28. The Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change has considered the proposal based on the recommendations of the Expert Appraisal Committee (Infrastructure, CRZ and other Miscellaneous projects) and hereby decided to grant Environmental Clearance and CRZ clearance for the "Development of 8-lane SPUR Starting from Km 26.582 of Vadodara - Mumbai Expressway Main Alignment (Design Chainage 0+000) and terminating at proposed Junction with the Multi-Modal Corridor of MMRDA (Design Chainage 79+783) in the state of Maharashtra (Length 79.783) by M/s National Highways Authority of India" under the EIA Notification, 2006 as amended, subject to strict compliance of the following specific conditions, in addition to all standard conditions applicable for such projects.

SPECIFIC CONDITIONS

Statutory Provisions

- i. All recommendations/decision taken by the Matheran Monitoring Committee (MMC) in its meeting dated 23.02.2022 shall be strictly complied with.
- ii. The proponent shall obtain Forest Clearance for diversion of forest land as per Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980. Proponent shall submit an undertaking that work on nonforestry land may only be executed upto such point (to be selected by the user agency) on either side of forest land if it is explicitly certified by the user agency that in case approval under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, for diversion of forest land is declined, it is technically feasible to execute the project along an alternate alignment without involving diversion of forest land. Details of all such stretches along with alternate alignment identified to bypass the forest land should be explicitly provided in the proposal seeking approval under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and the EIA Notification, 2006.
- iii. Commencement of work in non-forest land will not confer any right to NHAI for granting approval under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.
- *iv.* SACON will monitor and document the wildlife movement during the construction and for five years after the construction and document efficacy of over/underpasses. Adequate financial provisions be made for the same in consultation with SACON.
- v. All conditions stipulated by the Environment and Climate Change Department, Government of Maharashtra vide letter No CRZ 2021/CR126/TC4 dated 29.09.2021 shall be strictly complied with.

Green Belt

- vi. Green belt development (tree plantation) in lieu of the trees being felled in non forest land should be carried out by the State forest department as deposit work and not by the private contractor. No Ground water shall be extracted and used. Approval/permission of concerned authority shall be obtained before drawing surface water from canal or any other sources.
- vii. The proponent shall obtain permission from the competent authorities for tree felling along the proposed alignment.
- viii. Afforestation using compensatory plantation in the ratio of 1:10 shall be carried out.



Native tree species shall be provided as per the IRC Guidelines on Landscaping and Tree Plantation (IRC:SP:21-2009). Effort should be made to plant native trees and *Ficus* species on both sides of the alignment. Special attention shall be given for protecting giant trees, and locally important trees (having cultural importance) and should be identified chainage wise.

ix. Project alignment should be managed in such a way to save the Heritage/old trees supposed to be affected by the proposed alignment.

Water Environment

- x. Rain water harvesting pit shall be at least 3 5 m above the highest ground water table.
- xi. In borrow pits, the depth of the pit shall be regulated such that the sides of the excavation will have a slope not steeper than 1:2, from the edge of the final section of bank. Soil erosion checking measures shall be carried out. Details for Borrow area operation and rehabilitation given in EIA report shall be followed.
- xii. Quarry areas shall be barricaded during mining operations. The abandoned quarry shall be developed as water reservoirs with proper fencing around quarry area. Details for Quarry area operation and rehabilitation given the EIA report shall be followed.

Pollution Control/Safety

- xiii. In all the construction sites within 150 m of the nearest habitation, noisy construction work such as crushing, concrete mixing will be stopped during the night time between 10.00 pm to 6.00 am. No noisy construction activities will be permitted around educational institutions/health centres (silence zones) up to a distance of 100 m from the sensitive receptors. All plants and equipment used in construction shall strictly conform to the CPCB/SPCB noise standards.
- xiv. Traffic Control Devices/Road Safety Devices/ Roadside Furniture including various types of cautionary, informatory, regulatory as mandatory signboards, road markers, studs, etc. shall be provided at appropriate locations all along the project stretch in accordance with the specifications laid down in Manual of Specifications and Standards for Expressways (IRC: SP:99-2013) and IRC:8, IRC:25, IRC:26, IRC:35, IRC:67, IRC:79, IRC:103 and Section 800 of MORTH Specifications.
- xv. Prepare the traffic prediction report for complete project (including all packages of this project) considering the cumulative impact of the traffic on the environment and submit to the Ministry and concerned Regional Office within 3 months.
- xvi. All the major, minor bridges and culverts should not affect the drainage systems. Flood plains of the rivers/ drainage systems are not to be disturbed.
- xvii. As per the Ministry's Office Memorandum F. No. 22-65/2017-IA.III dated 30th September, 2020, the project proponent shall abide by all the commitments made by them to address the concerns raised during the public consultation. The project proponent shall initiate the activities proposed by them, based on the commitment made in the public hearing, and incorporate in the Environmental Management Plan and submit to the Ministry. All other activities including pollution control, environmental protection and conservation, R&R, wildlife and forest conservation/protection measures



including the NPV, Compensatory afforestation etc., either proposed by the project proponent based on the social impact assessment and R&R action plan carried out during the preparation of EIA report or prescribed by EAC, shall also become part of EMP and shall be implemented.

- xviii. Proponent shall keep the finish road level sufficiently elevated from ground level with provision of railing on both sides to restrict animal crossing in order to avoid the possibility of wildlife injury/death. Animal underpasses, watch tower, water holes and other mitigation measures proposed shall be constructed in supervision of forest department.
- xix. While constructing the over bridges as proposed over major water bodies efforts should be made to avoid construction of pillars in beds of water bodies.

GENERAL CONDITIONS AND IRC GUIDELINES

- i. Cut and fill works shall be carried out strictly in accordance with the design drawings proposed at the time of appraisal of the project.
- ii. Sidewalk shall be provided along the bridges.
- iii. The drain shall be at least 1m away from the toe of the embankment of the road adopting IRC guidelines. Longitudinal drains shall be provided all along the project road to ensure proper drainage of the area. In addition, adequate number of under passes and culverts to act as cross drainage structures shall also be provided.
- iv. Blasting shall be carried out during fixed hours (preferably during mid-day) or as permitted by the concerned authority. The timing shall be made known to all the people within 1000m (200m for pre-splitting) from the blasting site in all directions.
- v. Rain water harvesting including oil and grease trap shall be provided as prescribed by CGWB guidelines. Water harvesting structures shall be located at every 500m along the road. Vertical drain type rainwater harvesting structures shall be set up to minimize surface runoff losses of rainwater.
- vi. The embankments/slopes and the slopes left after cutting shall be provided with vegetative growth to avoid soil erosion.
- vii. Construction spoils including bituminous material and other hazardous materials must not be allowed to contaminate water courses and the dump sites for such materials must be secured so that they shall not leach into the ground water. The non-usable bitumen spoils shall be disposed off in a deep trench providing clay lining at the bottom and filled with soil at the top (for at least 0.5m)
- viii. Construction camps shall be proposed 500 m away from the nearest settlements to avoid conflicts and stress over the infrastructure facilities with the local community. Location for stockyards for construction materials shall be identified at least 1000m from water sources. Garbage tanks and sanitation facilities will be provided at camps.

(i) Compliance Reporting

(a) The project proponent shall submit online six-monthly reports on the status of the compliance of the stipulated environmental conditions on the website of the ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change and also upload the same, including results of monitored data, on their company website.



- (b) For compliance of conditions during operation phase, PP shall either itself undertake the responsibility of compliance or ensure setting up institutional mechanism for compliance of conditions under intimation on the website of the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change.
- (c) The Ministry may revoke or suspend the clearance, if implementation of any of the above conditions is not satisfactory.
- (d) The Ministry reserves the right to stipulate additional conditions, if found necessary.
- (e) Beside fulfilling obligations under Corporate Social Responsibilities as per Company's Act, 2013, the proponent has to adhere to the followings Environment Responsibilities:
 - i. The Company shall have a well laid down Environment Policy approved by the Board of Directors.
 - ii. The Environment Policy shall prescribe for standard operating process/ procedures to bring into focus any infringements/ deviation/violation of the environmental or forest norms/ conditions.
 - iii. The hierarchical system or Administrative Order of the company to deal with environmental issues and for ensuring compliance with the environmental clearance conditions shall be furnished.
 - iv. To have proper checks and balances, the company shall have a well laid down system of reporting of non-compliances/ violations of environmental norms to the Board of Directors of the company and/or shareholders or stakeholders at large.

NOTE:

- (i) The above conditions shall be enforced in a time bound manner
- (ii) The Environmental Clearance to the aforementioned project is under provisions of EIA Notification, 2006. It does not tantamount to approvals/consent/permissions etc. required to be obtained under any other Act/Rule/regulation. The Project Proponent is under obligation to obtain approvals /clearances under any other Acts/ Regulations or Statutes, as applicable, to the project.
- (iii) The PP is under obligation to implement commitments made in the to the issues raised during public hearing Conceptual Plan/ Environment Management Plan, which forms the part of this EC.
- 31. Further attention of project proponent is drawn towards the following Acts/ Regulations/ Statutes/ Guidelines issued from time to time:
 - (a) All the Indian Road Congress (IRC) guidelines wherever applicable may be followed.
 - (b) Provisions related to tree cutting as contained in the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and related rules of the respective state.
 - (c) Dust Mitigation Measures stipulated for Construction and Demolition Activities as provided in the amendment Notification GSR 94(E) dated 25.01.2018 of MoEF&CC.
 - (d) Provisions for use of Fly ash as building material in the construction as per stipulated under Fly Ash Notification of September, 1999 and amended as on 27th August, 2003 and 25th January, 2016.
 - (e) Provisions for management of construction and demolition activities related thereto as contained in Construction and Demolition Waste Management Rules, 2016.

32. **General Instructions:**

Part A



- (a) Approval/permission of concerned authority shall be obtained before drawing surface water from canal or any other sources.
- (b) The proponent shall obtain permission from the competent authorities for tree felling along the proposed alignment.
- (c) As per MoEF&CC's circular no. J-11013/41/2006-IA.II (I) dated 22.09.2008, provision shall be made for supply of kerosene or cooking gas and pressure cooker to the labourers, mobile toilets, mobile STP, safe drinking water, medical health care, Crèche and temporary structures for living during construction phase.
- (d) The funds earmarked for environmental protection measures shall be kept in separate account and shall not be diverted for other purpose. Year-wise expenditure shall be reported to MoEF&CC and its concerned Regional Office.

Part B

- (a) The project proponent shall prominently advertise it at least in two local newspapers of the District or State, of which one shall be in the vernacular language within seven days indicating that the project has been accorded environment clearance and the details of MoEF&CC/SEIAA website where it is displayed.
- (b) The copies of the environmental clearance shall be submitted by the project proponents to the Heads of local bodies, Panchayats and Municipal Bodies in addition to the relevant offices of the Government who in turn has to display the same for 30 days from the date of receipt.
- (c) The project proponent shall have a well laid down environmental policy duly approved by the Board of Directors (in case of Company) or competent authority, duly prescribing standard operating procedures to have proper checks and balances and to bring into focus any infringements/deviation/violation of the environmental / forest / wildlife norms / conditions.
- (d) Action plan for implementing EMP and environmental conditions along with responsibility matrix of the project proponent (during construction phase) and authorized entity mandated with compliance of conditions (during operational phase) shall be prepared. The year wise funds earmarked for environmental protection measures shall be kept in separate account and not to be diverted for any other purpose. Six monthly progress of implementation of action plan shall be reported to the Ministry/Regional Office along with the Six-Monthly Compliance Report.
- (e) Concealing factual data or submission of false/fabricated data may result in revocation of this environmental clearance and attract action under the provisions of Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.
- (f) The Regional Office of this Ministry shall monitor compliance of the stipulated conditions. The project authorities should extend full cooperation to the officer (s) of the Regional Office by furnishing the requisite data / information/monitoring reports.
- (g) Any appeal against this EC shall lie with the National Green Tribunal, if preferred, within a period of 30 days as prescribed under Section 16 of the National Green Tribunal Act, 2010.
- 33. This issues with the approval of the Competent Authority.

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Copy to:

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- 2. The Chairman, Central Pollution Control Board, Parivesh Bhawan, CBD-cum-Office Complex, East Arjun Nagar, Delhi 32
- 3. The Member Secretary, Maharashtra Pollution Control Board, Kalpataru Points, 3rd & 4th Floor, Opp. Cine Planet, Sion Circle, Sion, Mumbai-400 022, Maharashtra.
- 4. The APCCF (C), MoEF& CC, Regional Office (WCZ), Ground Floor, East Wing, New Secritariat Building, Civil Lines, Nagpur-440 001, Maharashtra.
- 5. Monitoring Cell, MoEF&CC, Indira Paryavaran Bhavan, New Delhi.
- 6. Guard File/Record File

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MUCK DISPOSAL PLAN

1.0 VME-SPUR Alignment in Matheran Eco-sensitive Zone

The proposed expressway (VME-SPUR) is intervening Matheran Eco Sensitive Zone at two locations as detailed below:

- Section I (Km 71.532 to 75.426): The proposed SPUR alignment enters the Buffer Zone at km 71.532 and after traversing 249 m it enters the Eco-sensitive Zone of Matheran at km 71.781. The alignment exits from the Eco-sensitive Zone at km 75.128 and from Buffer Zone at km 75.426. To preserve ecology of the Matheran, 4.160 km long tunnel is proposed in this section which will go under the Matheran Eco-Sensitive Zone.
- **Section II** (km 77.115 to km 77.691): Based on the suggestions of the Monitoring Committee of the Matheran ESZ in the year 2012, the proposed alignment was modified and shifted on the right side to minimize the impact. The width of the RoW at this location has also been reduced. Hence, in this section, the alignment is only passing through the Buffer Zone from km 77.115 to km 77.691 for a length of 576 m.

Approval of VME-SPUR Alignment in Matheran Eco-Sensitive Area: The VME-SPUR Project was considered in the 3rd and 4th meeting of the Matheran Monitoring Committee held on 18.01.2022 and 23.02.2022 respectively. **The Matheran Monitoring Committee approved the alignment in the 4th meeting held on 23.02.2022.**

2.0 Proposed Tunnel

To preserve ecology of the Matheran, **4.160 km long tunnel is proposed** which will go under the Matheran Eco-Sensitive Zone. The **start point of the tunnel** is at km **71.520** (before buffer zone) and **end point of the tunnel** is at km **75.680** (after buffer zone).

The tunnel shall be twin tube (2 x 4-lane) configuration. The tunnel cross section shall be 4-lanes in each direction without paved shoulders. The unidirectional tunnel tubes are aligned parallel at spacing of about 64.35 m from center line of one tube to center line of another tube. The **maximum overburden cover** along the tunnel alignment is of about **533.214m at Chainage 74+100** and **minimum overburden cover is of about 13.0 m at chainage 75+550**.

The tunnel ancillary works includes cross passage, drainage, water-proofing, ventilation, tunnel illumination, electrical sub-station on both sides portals including power supply from supply agencies, furnishing, signage, emergency facilities, etc. as per section 7 of IRC:SP:99-2013, IRC SP:91:2019. The location of the tunnel is shown in **Figure-1** and typical cross section of tunnel is shown in **Figure-2**.

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Figure-1 Map showing Location of proposed Tunnel in Matheran Area

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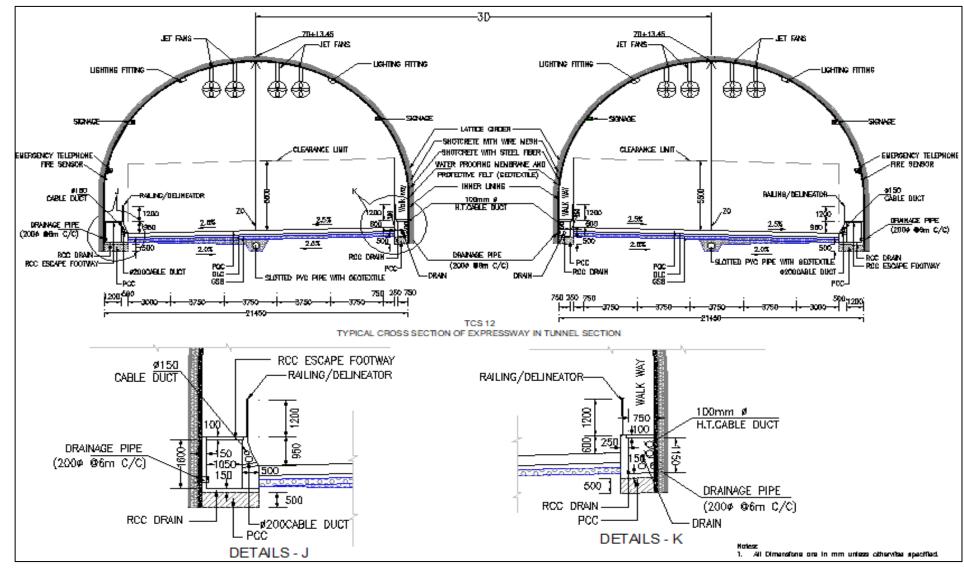


Figure 2 Typical Cross Section of Expressway in Tunnel Section

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3.0 Geophysical & Hydrogeological Study, 3-D Modelling and Vibration Analysis of Tunnel Alignment

A team comprising Prof. Sanjit Kumar Pal, and Prof. S. Datta Gupta, from **department of geophysics**, **IIT (ISM)**, **Dhanbad** with Mr. Aejaz Ahmad, Geologist Intercontinental Consultants & Technocrats Pvt. Ltd., New Delhi were visited the site during 28.12.2020 to 31.12.2020 for Electrical Resistivity Tomography (ERT) and Seismic Refraction Tomography (SRT) data acquisition for Geophysical study. M/s PMT INFRASCIENCE was engaged to conduct the Hydrogeological Study and 3-D Modelling of Tunnel Alignment.

Findings of Geophysical Study

The area is characterized by subordinate soil cover (red soil or laterite soil). The depth of soil is very shallow of approx. 10 to 25 cm, and at a few locations about 100 cm. Texture of soil is mostly gravelly sandy clay loam and gravelly clay.

The lithology of the area comprises basalt of Deccan Traps of upper Cretaceous to Palaeogene age except for a few patches of laterite capping and alluvium along rivers and streams. SRT data around both the portals also indicate 3 prominent layers of differential competency based on P-wave velocity.



Complete profile of soil-regolith-rock along a quarry section, top 100 cm is the soil, underlain by highly weathered vug filling basalt



Zeolite filling the vugs in basalt

The total thickness of the Deccan Trap Basalts (U. Cretaceous to Palaeogene) varies from a few meters in the northern part of the Thane district; above 2380 m thick trap is reported. **Two types of basalt occur in the area** which is grouped under - massive fine to medium grained basalt and medium grained amygdaloidal basalt with phenocrysts of plagioclase. The longitudinal profile of the proposed tunnel alignment has been prepared based on the available information and shown in **Figure-3**.

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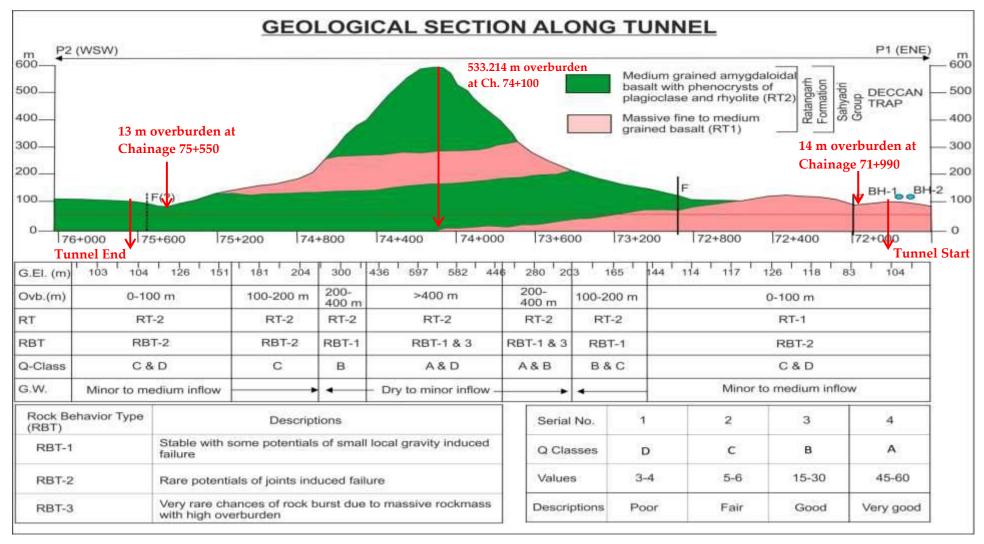


Figure - 3 Geological Longitudinal Section along the Proposed Tunnel Alignment

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ERT and SRT data have been acquired at two sites, viz., Bendshil and Taloje along four lines covering total length of about 2000 m. In general, mostly seismic sections indicate **compact hard rock throughout their span in the tunnel alignment**. No feature for possible aquifer is identified.

Findings of Hydrogeological Study, 3-D Modelling and Vibration Analysis

- The proposed tunnel is passing below the Navra-Navri Dongar of Matheran-Malangadh and two portal P1 and P2 lies on hill streams near Shiravali and Bendshil. About 60% of the tunnel alignment is passing through overburden of <200 m, whereas, about 40% (especially the middle of the alignment) passing underneath the overburden of around 200-550 m. Two types of basalt occur in the area which is grouped under 1) massive fine to medium grained basalt and 2) medium grained amygdaloidal basalt with phenocrysts of plagioclase. The basalt is massive with a few inherent joints. The rock mass is competent enough to overcome the overburden stress and tunnelling can be done safely through this region.</p>
- Proposed tunnel will be located in Matheran area and as per topographic survey and geological mapping and also from available information regarding water bearing medium and recharge and discharge condition of groundwater, the study area does not have any developed aquifer system, except some pockets with developed secondary porosity in the form of fractures and vugs, etc.
- The 3D Model prepared by considering different indicators shows that the negative impact on environment and groundwater condition due to tunnelling will be meagre, and that can even be modified, if required.
- No major nallahs or rivers are present on the corridor of the tunnel alignment. Basalt, which is lack on any significant joint opening (secondary porosity), thus penetration of water through this will be a rare case. Hence these seasonal nallahs do not face any problem of lack of water during the monsoonal period.
- The vibration impact assessment for proposed tunnel has also been done to carry out a predictive calculation of ground borne vibration (Peak Particle Velocity or PPV) to be induced during construction of the tunnel and the vibration to be induced by road traffic in tunnel during operational phase. The results show that the PPV is very low ranging from 0.045 to 0.077 mm/s that will not be problematic for the wildlife in the surrounding forest areas.
- The construction of tunnel is very feasible through this region and it will have very less negative impact on the environment as well as on groundwater

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4.0 Generated Muck Volume and It's Utilization

Construction of tunnels requires removal of excavated earth and boulder (muck) from tunnel interior to open area outside tunnel. The estimated volumes of muck to be generated from the proposed tunnel are presented in **Table-1**.

Table-1 Volume of Muck to be generated

Feature	From (km)	To (Km)	Length (m)	Cross Section Area (m²)	Volume (m³)
Tunnel	71.520	75.680	4160	275.09	22,88,731

- Tunnel muck should be considered as a valuable resource after treatment. It can be used for different purposes. This would lead not only to environmental benefits but also those of an economic nature.
- 22,88,731 cum muck will be generated from tunnelling out of which 22,27,958 cum muck will be utilized in road work & concrete work between km 69.800 to km 79.783 (Bhoj village to Morbe village) and 60,773 Cum will used in proposed way side amenity / truck parking at km 61+000 to 61+525 (Table-2).

Table-2 Generation of Muck from Tunnelling

SI. No.	Description	Quantity (Cum)
Α.	Excavated material from the Tunnel	22,88,731
A.	Quantity of Muck (A)	22,88,731
	Utilization in road work including construction of road embankment	15,85,058
В.	Utilization in Concrete work, sub base and base work	6,42,900
	Utilization in Way side amenity / Truck Parking	60,773
	Utilization in Construction (B)	22,88,731
С	Balance quantity of muck = (A - B)	0

Chainage wise location where muck will be utilized in road work including construction
of road embankment is presented in **Table-3** and where it will be utilized for concrete
work, sub base and base work is presented in **Table-4**.

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Table-3 Chainage wise location where muck to be utilized for Road Work including construction of road embankment

From (Km)	To (Km)	Length (m)	Average Area (m ²)	Volume (m ³)		
69.800	69.890	90	368.04	34,651.51		
69.995	70.190	195	509.32	1,01,732.41		
70.210	70.520	310	435.85	1,36,715.99		
70.555	71.335	780	271.09	2,01,402.72		
71.365	71.520	155	162.94	28,176.01		
75.650	75.755	105	40.18	3,815.89		
75.775	76.390	615	282.44	1,73,320.53		
76.430	76.765	335	396.46	1,30,471.13		
76.795	77.890	1095	58,993.11	2,69,388.36		
77.910	78.580	670	258.02	1,74,483.00		
78.600	79.240	640	273.71	1,72,897.97		
79.260	79.783	523	115.60	62,292.71		
Interchange (loops &		2980	32.12	95,709.77		
	Total Volume of Muck Utilized 15,85					

Table-4 Chainage wise location where muck to be utilized for Concrete work, sub base and base work

From (Km)	To (Km)	Description of Activity	Volume (m ³)
Concrete Wo	k for Constr	uction of	
69.895	69.990	Major Bridge	
70.195	70.205	Light Vehicular Underpass	
70.525	70.555	Minor Bridge	
71.340	71.360	Minor Bridge	
71.520	75.680	Tunnel	
75.760	75.775	Minor Bridge	
76.395	76.425	Vehicular Underpasses	6,42,900
76.770	76.790	Minor Bridge	
77.895	77.905	Animal Underpass	
78.585	78.595	Animal Underpass	
79.245	79.255	Animal Underpass	
Sub base and	Base work		
69.800	79.783	Sub base and Base work in 9.983 Km stretch of the expressway	

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Utilization in Way side Amenity / Truck Parking

• After utilization of muck in road work and concrete work between km 69.800 to km 79.783; the balance quantity of muck is **60,773 cum**.

To facilitate the road user, Way side amenity / Truck Parking has been proposed along the expressway at Ambeshiv Budruk village & Yeranjad village. Quantity of fill material required for an average height of 0.6m is 63,000 cum. Therefore, the balance quantity of muck (60,777 cum) will be utilized at this location. The details of the location are presented in Table-5. Location on Revenue Map and on Satellite Image is shown in Figure-4.

Table-5 Details of Proposed Way side Amenity / Truck Parking

Description	Village	Survey No.	Length (m)	Width (m)	Average Height (m)	Volume of fill material (m³)
Way side amenity /	Ambeshiv Budruk	55, 56				
Truck Parking at km 61.000 to Km 61.525	Yeranjad	104, 102, 63	525	200	0.6	63,000

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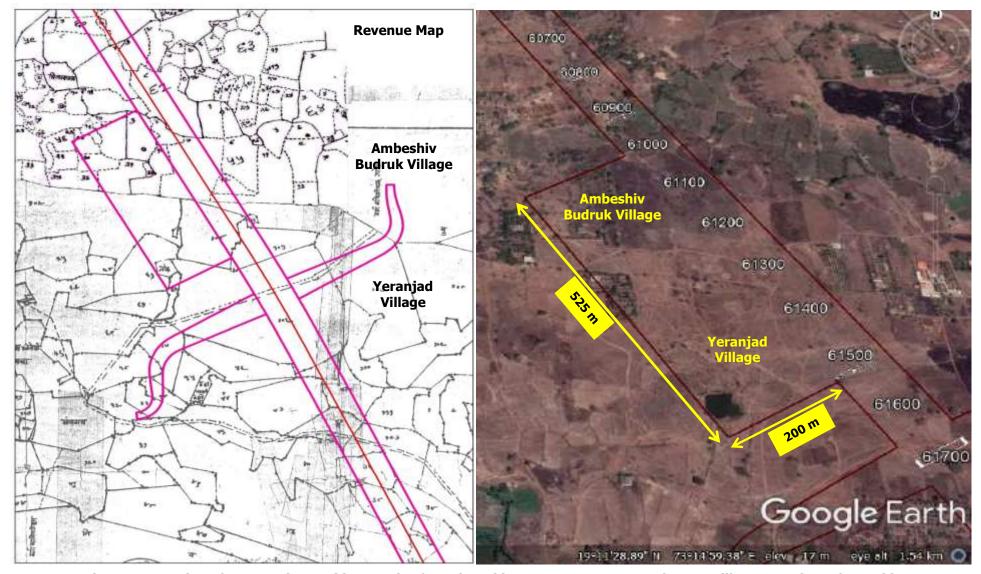
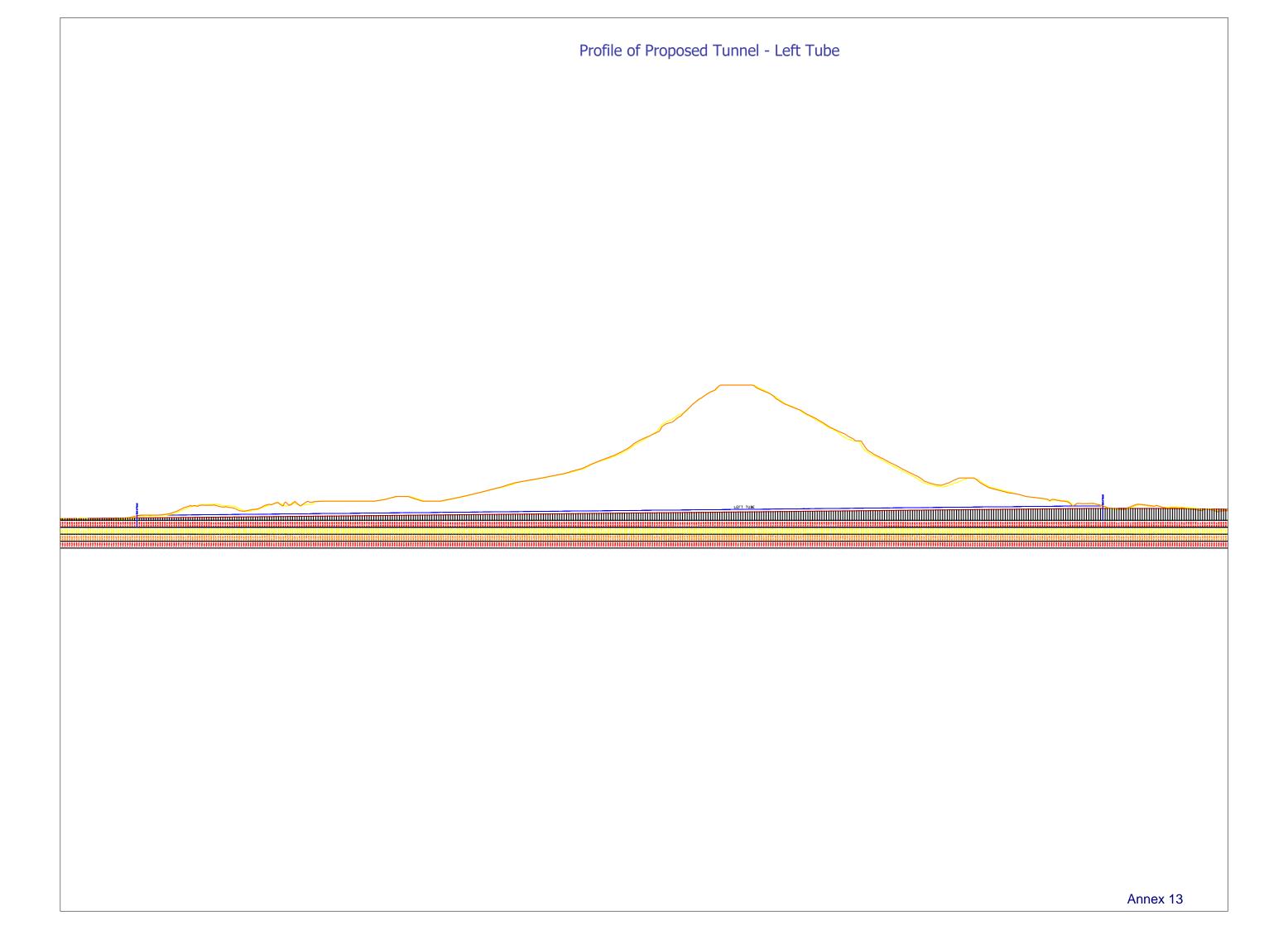
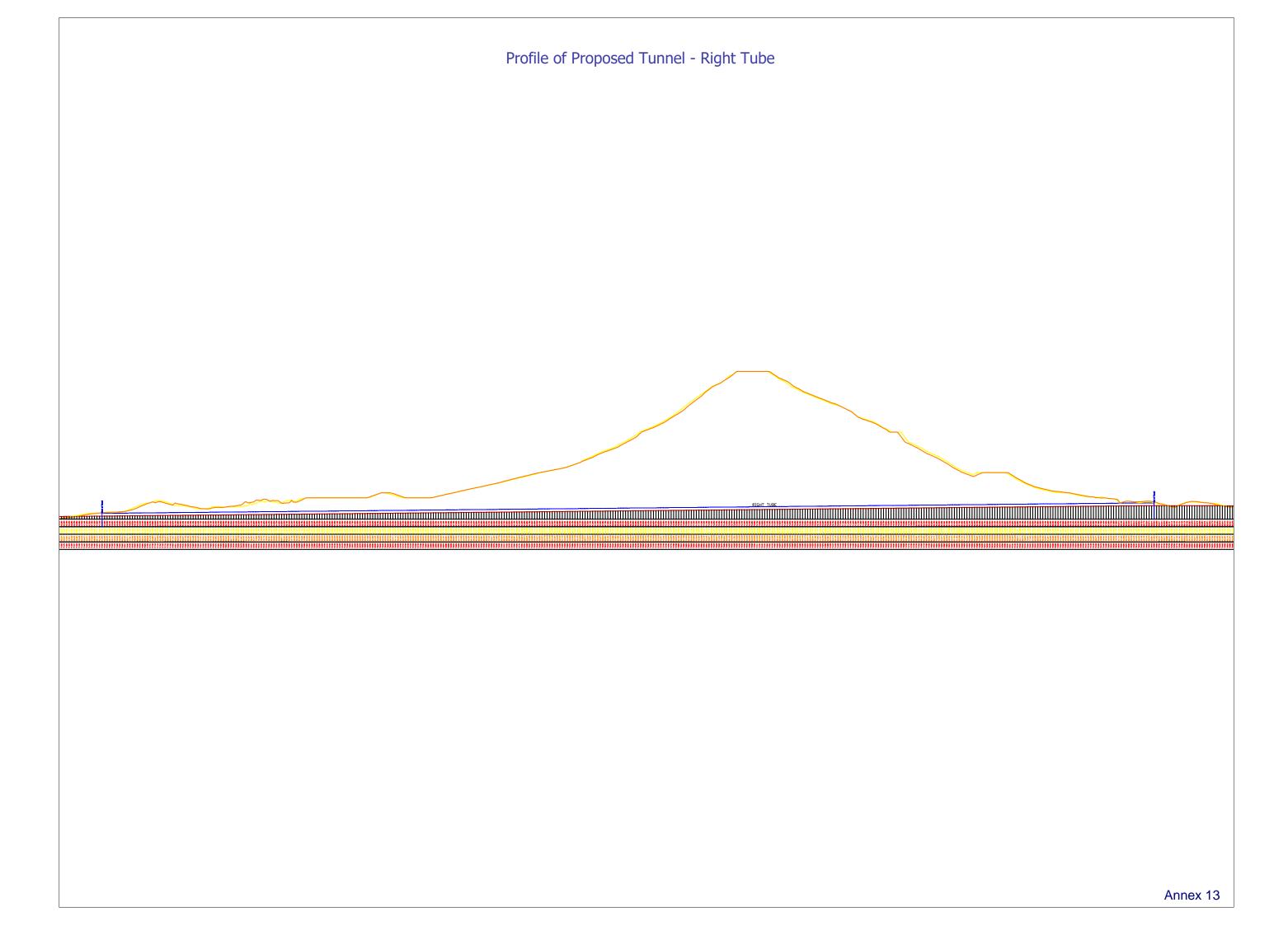


Figure -4 Location of Proposed Way side Amenity / Truck Parking on Revenue Map and on Satellite Image (Google Earth)







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Annex 14

Diversion of 111.7321 ha of Forest land for Development of Vadodara Mumbai Expressway (Phase-II SPUR) from km 0+000 to km 79+783 in Thane District in the State of Maharashtra.

Condition no.	Undertaking
xiv	We undertake that, inside the Eco-sensitive Zone, only control blasting as permissible shall be permitted that too under the supervision of the State Forest Department

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Condition no.	Undertaking
xv	We undertake that, the layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without prior approval of Central Government;

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Condition no.	Undertaking
XVÎ	We undertake that, no labour camp shall be established by the Concessionaire on the forest land

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Condition no.	Undertaking
xvii	We undertake that, 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 or the Forest Development Corporation or any other legal source of alternate fuel.

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Condition no.	Undertaking
xvili	We undertake that, 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.

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Condition no.	Undertaking
xix	We undertake that, no additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for transportation of construction materials for execution of the project work.

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Condition no.	Undertaking
xx	We undertake that, 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.

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Condition no.	Undertaking
xxi	We undertake that, the forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the project proposal.

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Condition no.	Undertaking
XXXII	We undertake that, 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.

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Condition no.	Undertaking
vivo	We undertake that any other condition that the Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change may stipulate from time to time in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forests & wildlife shall be complied.

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