


SITE INSPECTION REPORT

1	Name of the project	Construction of 2x350 MW Coal Based Thermal Power Plant at Sahajbahal.	
2	Name of the District/ Division	Jharsuguda/ Sambalpur North Forest Division.	
3	Date of Inspection	14.02.2012	
4	Name & Designation of inspecting officer.	Shri Basil Barla, OFS, Divisional Forest Officer, Sambalpur (North) Forest Division.	
5	Name and Designation of the officers who attended the inspection including representative of user Agency.	(1) Kishore Kumar Pradhan, Range Officer, Brajarajnagar. (2) Sri Ramesh Ch Nath, Forester, Brajarajnagar. (3) Sri Sanjaya Rout	
6	Legal status of forest land with area proposed for diversion.	Gramya Jungle = 35.985 Ha.	
7	If area required for diversion has been demarcated on the ground.	Demarcated on the ground.	
8	Item-wise break up of the forest land proposed for diversion.	Purpose	Gramya Jungle (Ha)
		2x350 MW Coal Based thermal Power Plant	35.985
9	Condition of vegetation & type of forest in applied area.	The vegetation conforms to 5B/C2 Dry mixed deciduous forest which comprises Open Revenue Forest with species like Sal(<i>Shorea robusta</i>), Char(<i>Buchanania lanzan</i>), Mai(<i>Lannea grandis</i>), Semul(<i>Bombax ceiba</i>), Kaju (<i>Anacardium occidentale</i>), Mahul(<i>Madhuca indica</i>), Khair(<i>Acacia catechu</i>), Harida(<i>Terminalia chebula</i>), Gambhari(<i>Gmelina arborea</i>), Siris(<i>Albizia lebek</i>), Tentuli(<i>Tamarindus indica</i>), Sidha (<i>Legerstroemia parviflora</i>) etc.	
10	Position of wild life in general	Snake, Squirrel, Jackle, Mongoose etc.	
11	Whether the applied area is involve with any eco sensitive zone/ national park/ Sanctuary.	Not falling within any eco-sensitive zone, national park or sanctuary.	
12	Nos. of trees to be felled and its impact on the system.	263 nos of tree will be felled, the details of the same is enclosed as Annexure -XVI with the proposal. Though there will be some negative impact due to felling of the trees available on the diverted forest land but it can be compensated by taking up compensatory afforestation in the nearby area.	
13	Details of broken up area and reclamation done, if any	Nil	
14	Position of displacement of people and adequacy of rehabilitation, if any.	Displacement of people not required.	
15	Position of rare and en-dangerous species available or importance of area from eco social point of view	No rare and endangered species are available in the locality of the project is going to be constructed. Construction of the project will not have adverse affect from the eco-social point of view.	
16	Area selected for diversion if included in DLC report or not	Nil	
17	Suitability of identified non forest area for Comp. Afforestation	Suitability certificate attached with the proposal as Annexure- XVIII over an area of 36.0 ha of Patit land at Singharpur village of Lakhanpur Tahasil.	
18	Violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, if any and action taken there on.	No violation noticed under Forest (Conservation Act, 1980.	


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