Site Inspection Report

(Request for permission for Drilling 300 Bore Hole in North Betul Division)

S.No.	Particular	Inspection Report By DFO (T)
1	Extent is hectares.	1650.000 Hec.
2	Location (lat-long) of the forest land proposed for diversion.	Lat /Long of bore holes to be done for prospecting of minerals by user agency. 1- N-22° 19' 4.2" एवं E-77° 45' 0" 2- N-22° 19' 4.2" एवं E-77° 48' 48'' 3- N-22° 16' 21.6" एवं E-77° 45' 0.0" 4- N-22° 16' 21.6" एवं E-77° 48' 48"
3	Legal status of the forest land (Protected forest, reserved forests, revenue forest lands or any other forest land)	Demarcated Protected Forest (Notified under Section 4 (1) of Indian Forest Act 1927) & Reserved Forest.
4	Demarcation of the area with temporary cairns etc.	No
5	Any signs of encroachment.	No
6	Any activity already taken up within the forest land or adjoining non-forest land as part of the proposed project by the user agency. Details of action taken against the User Agency in case of violation of the FC Act and guidelines there under.	Nil
7	Status of vegetation. Site quality, species composition etc.	The Area compositions of 10 Compartment namely - RF- 121, 125, 132, 126, 127, 128 & PF- 388, 389, 390, 1595 Site Quality - PF- 388, 389, 390 - IV a PF- 1595 - IV b RF- 121, 125, 132, 126, 127, 128 - III & IV a The main species composition includes - <i>Chloroxylon swietenia (Bhirra), Dispyros</i> <i>melanoxylon (Tendu), Terminalia tomentosa (Saj),</i> <i>Legerstroemia parviflora (Lendia), Anogeissus</i> <i>latifolia (Dhawada), Miliusa tomentosa (Kari),</i> <i>Tectona grandis (Sagon), Ficus religiosa (Pipal),</i> <i>Butea monosperma (Palas)</i>

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8	Importance of area from wildlife point of view.	N/A
	Status of wildlife (density and abundance of	
	important species, bird life reptiles, butterflies and	
	other scheduled animals, any endangered wildlife)	
	Any latest census of wildlife in this area.	
9	Endemism of flora / fauna or any other unique ecosystem in the area.	Nil
10	Current land use. Is this area managed as per prescriptions in the Working Plan and, if not, why?	Yes
11	Importance of the area from historical or religious point of view.	No
12	Any dependent person / families on this land.	Nil
13	Any displacement of person proposed.	Nil
14	Is there any Rehabilitation and Resettlement Plan for the persons to be affected? Is there any dissenting	Nil
	voice among the persons proposed to be displaced?	
15	Compensatory afforestation proposed is on forest land or non-forest land. Location of this area, suitability of the area for CA.	Proposal for Prospecting survey for mineral hence N/A.
	If in the degraded forest land then what is the current	
	Working Plan prescription for the area? Distance of	
	the non-forest land for CA from the nearest forest area. Number of patches in case the area should be more than to kms.	
16	Proposed area should not be part of any protected area. Also distance from the boundary of the nearest protected area should be more than 10 kms.	Proposed area is not part of any protected area and the distance from the boundary of the neares protected area is more than 10 kms.
17	Dependence of tribal's in the area. Whether the rights of the tribal's have been recognized in this area.	No Dependence & No sights have been given.
18	Utility of the project, including the people living in close vicinity of the project.	No

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19	In case of renewal whether all the conditions stipulated in the earlier sanction order have been complied with.	Fresh application for prospecting survey for mineral
20	Alternatives examined by the user agency in case of non-site specific projects.	Site specific project.
21	A certificate by the user agency that the forest land requested for diversion for non-forestry purpose is bare minimum.	Proposal for Prospecting survey for mineral hence N/A
22	Any scope of saving tree growth while ensuring that the purpose for which the forest land is being diverted is also not adversely affected.	Tree growth shall be not effected since prospecting survey for mineral (Uranium) shall be carried out by drilling bore holes hence forest land shall not be affected adversely & the holes have to be close after the test drills.
23	Any other issue of significance.	Nil
24	Specific recommendations of the DFO with reasons for approval of the project.	Applicant shall carry out drilling of bore holes for Prospecting of mineral (Uranium). No damage to any flora & fauna shall be made in the process. Thus, this office recommends for the approval of the project.

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