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No. /9F (Pipeline) – 401/2022  
Dated, Bhubaneswar the August' 2025

To

The Deputy Inspector General of Forests (FC)  
Government of India,  
Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change (F.C. Division)  
Indira Paryavaran Bhawan, Aliganj, Jor Bagh Road  
New Delhi-110003

**Sub:-** Proposal for diversion of 1.849Ha. of Forest Land for implementation of Dhamra-Haldia Pipeline (DHPL) project, a spur line of Jagadishpur-Haldia-Bokaro-Dhamra Pipeline (JHBDPL) project in Bhadrak, Balasore & Mayurbhanj Districts of Odisha by GAIL (India) Limited (A Govt. of India Undertaking)- Stage-I Compliance regarding

**Ref:-** Stage-I approval order issued dated 08.01.2025 by GoI, MoEF & CC, FC Division New Delhi

Sir,

In inviting reference to the above mentioned subject, this is to inform that Government of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change, FC Division, New Delhi have accorded Stage-I approval on dated 08.01.2025 for diversion of 1.849Ha. of Forest Land for implementation of Dhamra-Haldia Pipeline (DHPL) project, a spur line of Jagadishpur-Haldia-Bokaro-Dhamra Pipeline (JHBDPL) project in Bhadrak, Balasore & Mayurbhanj Districts of Odisha by GAIL (India) Limited (A Govt. of India Undertaking) in the State of Odisha subject to fulfilment of Thirty Two (31) nos. of conditions stipulated therein. The User Agency has complied all the conditions imposed by Govt. of India, MoEF & CC, FC Division, New Delhi. The point wise compliance based on the reports of the DFO, Baripada, Balasore (WL) and Bhadrak (WL) Divisions and the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle are furnished as follows:-

**Condition No.1:** Legal status of the diverted forest lad shall remain unchanged.

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the User Agency has furnished undertakings duly

countersigned by the DFO, Baripada, Balasore (WL) and Bhadrak (WL) Division that the legal status of the forest land proposed for diversion shall remain unchanged which are enclosed as Annexure-1 Series.

**Condition No.2: Compensatory Afforestation:**

***Condition No.2 (i): Compensatory Afforestation over degraded forest land, double in extent to the forest land being diverted i.e, 4.2 ha, shall be raised by the State Forest department at the project cost within two years from the date of grant of final approval.***

***Condition No.2.(ii): The user agency shall transfer the cost of raising and maintaining the compensatory afforestation as per the approved CA scheme at the current wage rate in consultation with State Forest Department in the account of CAMPA of the concerned State through online portal;***

***Condition No.2 (iii): The cost of survey, demarcation and erection of permanent pillars, if required on the identified CA land, shall be deposited in advance with the Forest Department by the user agency. The CA will be maintained for 10 years. The scheme may include afforestation of indigenous species with appropriate provision for anticipated cost increase for works scheduled for subsequent years;***

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the above 3 Nos. of conditions, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the Divisional Forest Officer, Baripada Division has informed that 4.2 ha of degraded forest land has been identified in Nuagaon RF under Betnoti Range of Baripada Forest Division for raising compensatory afforestation. The User Agency has also deposited ₹58,09,700/- in Odisha State CAMPA Account vide UTR No.SBINR52025031078012573 on dt.10.03.2025 towards CA as per approval of Addl. PCCF (FD&NO, FC Act) vide Memo No.1871 dt.24.01.2025. Regarding proof of such payment of CA the undertaking furnished by the UA, the CA Scheme approval letter, the demand notice of the DFO, Baripada Forest Division vide his Memo No.1871 dated 24.01.2025 and Memo No.795 dated 04.02.2025 and the payment particulars made by the UA etc. are enclosed as **Annexure – 2(i), (ii) & (iii) Series respectively**. The approved CA Scheme made by the APCCF (FD & NO) FC, Act is with 10 years of maintenance inclusive of the cost of plantation, fencing and watering with SMC measures to be adopted and watch and ward provision.

**Condition No.3:- Net Present Value:**

***Condition No.3 (i): User Agency shall transfer the funds towards the cost of Net Present Value (NPV) of the forest land being diverted under this proposal from the User Agency as per the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India dated 28.03.2008, 24.04.2008 and 09.05.2008 in Writ Petition (Civil) No. 202/1995 and the guidelines issued by this Ministry vide its letter No. 5-3/2007-FC dated 06.01.2022 read with 22.03.2022 through online portal of CAMPA account of the State Concerned;***

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the User Agency has deposited an amount of ₹18,15,601.00 pertaining to Baripada, Balasore (WL) and Bhadrak (WL) Division towards the cost of NPV for the project over a total forest area of 1.8490 ha proposed to be diverted for construction of the Dhamra-Haldia Pipeline (DHPL) Project. The Payment details is furnished below:

Sl. No	Name of Division	Demand raised vide memo no. & Date	Forest Area (in Ha.)	Rate of NPV per Ha. (in Rs.)	Amount demanded (in Rs.)	Amount deposited (in Rs.)	UTR No. & Date.
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
1	Baripada	No.792, dt.04.02.2025	0.2807	₹.11,16,900.00	₹.3,13,514.00	₹.3,13,514.00	SBINR520250 31078012573, Dated- 10.03.2025
2	Balasore (WL)	No.713, dt.28.01.2025	1.1921	₹.9,57,780.00	₹.11,41,770.00	₹.11,41,770.00	
3	Bhadrak (WL)	No.473, dt.28.01.2025	0.3762	₹.9,57,780.00	₹.3,60,317.00	₹.3,60,317.00	
<b>Total:</b>						<b>₹18,15,601.00</b>	

Regarding proof of such payment of NPV amount the undertaking furnished by the UA, the demand notice of the DFOs concerned and the payment particulars made by the UA etc. are enclosed as **Annexure-3(i) Series**.

**Condition No.3 (ii):** At the time of payment of the Net Present Value (NPV) at the present rate, the user agency shall furnish an undertaking to pay the additional amount of NPV, if so determined, as per the final decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India);

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the User Agency has furnished undertakings duly countersigned by the DFO, Baripada, Balasore (WL) and Bhadrak (WL) Division to pay the additional amount of NPV, if so determined, as per the final decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India which are enclosed as **Annexure - 3(ii) Series**.

**Condition No.4:** Compensatory levies to be realized from the User Agency under the project shall be transferred/ deposited, through e-payment module on PARIVESH portal (<https://parivesh.nic.in/>), into the account of CAMPA of the State concerned, managed by the National Authority (CAMPA);

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the DFOs concerned have reported that all the funds has been transferred/ deposited in State CAMPA Account account only through e-portal (<https://parivesh.nic.in/>). In proof of such payment, the 12 Point CAMPA format duly signed by all the DFOs concerned with details of Compensatory Levies transferred duly countersigned by the APCCF (FD&NO) FC Act are enclosed herewith as **Annexure – 4 Series**. However, the User Agency has furnished undertakings in this regard duly countersigned by all the DFOs concerned, which are also enclosed as **Annexure-4 Series**.

**Condition No.5:** *The penalty for violation shall be equal to NPV of forest land per hectare for each year of violation from the date of actual diversion as reported by the inspecting officer with maximum up to five (5) times the NPV plus 12 percent simple interest from the date of raising of such demand till the deposit is made.*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the DFO, Baripada Division vide his letter no.1110, dt.13.02.2025 has raised demand to the User Agency for payment of Rs.6,87,021.00 towards penal NPV for use of 0.2379 ha of forest land. The user agency has also deposited the said amount of ₹6,87,021.00 towards the cost of penal NPV for the project through NEFT vide UTR No.SBINR52025031078012573, dt.10.03.2025 in Odisha State CAMPA Account through e-portal. Regarding proof of such payment of Penal NPV amount, the undertaking furnished by the UA, the demand notice of the DFO concerned and the payment particulars made by the UA etc. are enclosed as **Annexure-5 Series**.

**Condition No.6:** *Action under section 3A / 3B of Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 shall be initiated for violation of the provisions of Adhiniyam.*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the User Agency has furnished undertakings duly countersigned by the DFO, Baripada, Balasore (WL) and Bhadrak (WL) Division to that effect which are enclosed as **Annexure – 6 Series**.

**Condition No.7:** *The matter regarding imposition of penal CA is under consideration for the formulation of a uniform policy guideline in the matter. Keeping this in view, the imposition of penal CA (if any) shall be as per the said guideline, if issued.*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the User Agency has furnished undertakings duly

countersigned by the DFO, Baripada, Balasore (WL) and Bhadrak (WL) Division to that effect which are enclosed as **Annexure – 7 Series**.

***Condition No.8:*** *It has been observed that pits are visible over the DFL proposed for CA (as per the satellite imagery available on 29.04.2010). The suitability of the CA area in view of the same shall be ascertained by the state and if needed alternate DFL shall be provided for CA and requisite details shall be submitted prior to final approval.*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada Circle has reported that the degraded forest land identified for CA is suitable for plantation. The DFO, Baripada Forest Division has requested the User Agency to conduct DGPS survey referring the GPS map of the CA land with RO, Betnoti Range and to submit report online vide his Memo No.5298 dated 14.07.2022. Such DGPS report duly countersigned by the Forest Officials, Land Suitability Certificate provided by the DFO, Baripada Forest Division and the Joint Verification report of the identified CA land by the forest officials concerned etc. all are enclosed herewith as **Annexure – 8 Series**.

***Condition No.9:*** *The reclamation of quarry should be done under the supervision of the State Forest Department. The quarry shall be reclaimed and afforested completely before the project is closed;*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the DFO, Baripada, Balasore (WL) and Bhadrak (WL) Division in their compliances report have reported that this condition is not applicable for this project.

***Condition No.10:*** *Overburden shall not be dumped outside the width of the RoW. The muck generated in the earth cuttings will be disposed of at the designated dumping sites and in no case the muck/debris will be allowed to roll down the hill slopes.*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the User Agency has furnished undertakings duly countersigned by all the DFOs concerned that the earth cuttings shall be filled up properly and in no case the muck/debris will be allowed to roll down which are enclosed as **Annexure – 10 Series**.

***Condition No.11:*** *The user agency will undertake comprehensive soil conservation measures at the project cost in consultation with the State Forest Department. A scheme of the same shall be submitted to the Regional Office along with the Stage-I compliance report;*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the User Agency has furnished undertakings duly countersigned by all the DFOs concerned that the comprehensive soil conservation measures will

be undertaken at the project cost in consultation with the State Forest Department, as required which are enclosed as **Annexure-11 Series**. However, the Soil Moisture Conservation Schemes approved by the RCCFs concerned are enclosed as **Annexure-11 Series**.

***Condition No.12: The user agency will ensure that forest area nearby shall not be encroached upon due to implementation of the project;***

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the User Agency has furnished undertakings duly countersigned by all the DFOs concerned that they shall ensure that forest area nearby shall not be encroached upon due to implementation of the project which are enclosed as **Annexure – 12 Series**.

***Condition No.13: The State Government shall ensure that the minimum number of trees/plants/poles in any case not more than mentioned in the applied forest area will be removed and the trees should be felled under strict supervision of the State Forest Department;***

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the User Agency has furnished undertakings duly countersigned by all the DFOs concerned to that effect which are enclosed as **Annexure – 13 Series**.

***Condition No.14: The cost of felling of trees shall be deposited by the user agency with the State Forest Department;***

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the User Agency has furnished undertakings duly countersigned by all the DFOs concerned that the cost of felling of trees shall be deposited by them with the State Forest Department which are enclosed as **Annexure – 14 Series**.

***Condition No.15: The user agency shall explore the possibility of translocation of maximum number of trees identified to be felled and shall ensure that any tree felling shall be done only when it is unavoidable and that too under strict supervision of the State Forest Department;***

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the User Agency has furnished undertakings duly countersigned by all the DFOs concerned that they shall explore the possibility of translocation of maximum number of trees identified to be felled and shall ensure that any tree felling shall be done only when it is unavoidable and that too under strict supervision of the State Forest Department which are enclosed as **Annexure – 15 Series**.

**Condition No.16:** *The user agency shall obtain the Environment Clearance as per the provisions of the Environmental (Protection) Act, 1986, if required;*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that Environment Clearance as per the provisions of the Environmental (Protection) Act, 1986 is not required for this project. However, the User Agency has furnished undertakings duly countersigned by all the DFOs concerned to that effect which are enclosed as **Annexure – 16 Series.**

**Condition No.17:** *The State Government shall complete settlement of rights, in term of the Scheduled Tribes and Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006, if any, on the forest land to be diverted and submit the documentary evidence, in accordance with the Rule 11 (7) of the Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Rules, 2023;*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the Collector, Mayurbhanj has issued Certificate under FRA,2006 for diversion of 0.2807 ha of forest land for the project coming under the jurisdiction of Mayurbhanj District of Baripada Forest Division vide his Order No.2562 dt.01.06.2023. Similarly, the Collector, Balasore has issued Certificate under FRA, 2006 for diversion of 1.1921 ha of forest land required for the project coming under the jurisdiction of Balasore District of Balasore (WL) Division. Further, the Collector and District Magistrate, Bhadrak District has issued Certificate under FRA, 2006 for diversion of 0.3762 ha of forest area required for this project vide his order No.80 dated 25.01.2023. The copies of all the FRA Certificate issued by the concerned Collectors and District Magistrates are enclosed as **Annexure – 17 Series.**

**Condition No.18:** *No labour camp shall be established on the forest land and the User Agency shall provide fuels preferably alternate fuels to the labourers and the staff working at the site so as to avoid any damage and pressure on the nearby forest areas;*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the User Agency has furnished undertakings duly countersigned by all the DFOs concerned that no labour camp shall be established on the forest land and the User Agency shall provide fuels preferably alternate fuels to the labourers and the staff working at the site so as to avoid any damage and pressure on the nearby forest areas which are enclosed as **Annexure – 18 Series.**

**Condition No.19:** The boundary of the diverted forest land shall be demarcated on ground at the project cost, by erecting four feet high reinforced cement concrete pillars, each inscribed with its serial number, forward and back bearing and distance from pillar to pillar;

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the User Agency has submitted photographs of boundary pillar posted around by erecting four feet high reinforced cement concrete pillars, each inscribed with its serial number, forward and back bearing and distance from pillar to pillar in respect of Baripada Division which are enclosed as **Annexure-19 Series:**

Division	Tahasil	Village	Area (in Ha.)	Pillar posted (in Nos.)
1	2	3	4	5
Baripada	Rasgobindapur	Muruda	0.0428	04
	Betnoti	Shikharakhunta	0.1566	08
		Kainphulia	0.0813	06
<b>Total:</b>			<b>0.2807</b>	<b>18</b>

The User Agency has submitted photographs of boundary pillar posted around by erecting four feet high reinforced cement concrete pillars, each inscribed with its serial number, forward and back bearing and distance from pillar to pillar in respect of Balasore (WL) Division as below are enclosed **Annexure-19 Series:**

Division	Tahasil	Village	Area (in Ha.)	Pillar posted (in Nos.)
1	2	3	4	5
Balasore (WL)	Bahanaga	Baringia	0.006	04
		Atapur	0.0015	04
		Mulakudai	0.0359	05
	Remuna	Uthuli	0.0061	08
		Bimbiria	0.0548	09
		Tadap	0.0005	03
		Rasalpur	0.084	04
		Kurunia	0.051	07
		Bramahanchhada	0.2169	21(Out of 21pillars the UA has submitted 12nos. pillars i.e. pillar no.4,5,6,8,14 to 21)
		Badpal	0.0128	04
	Kalyanpur	0.5155	18	
	Basta	Lachhman Khunta	0.15	11
		Manikpur	0.0206	05
	Jaleswar	Balikbar	0.0337	10
Bhagorai	Amidhanagadia	0.0028	03	
<b>Total:</b>			<b>1.1921</b>	<b>107 (Out of 116)</b>

Further, the User Agency has submitted photographs of boundary pillar posted around by erecting four feet high reinforced cement concrete pillars, each inscribed with its serial number, forward and back bearing and distance from pillar to pillar in respect of Bhadark (WL) Division which is enclosed as **Annexure-19 Series**.

**Condition No.20:** *The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the proposal;*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the User Agency has furnished undertakings duly countersigned by all the DFOs concerned that the forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the proposal which are enclosed as **Annexure – 20 Series**.

**Condition No.21:** *The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agency, department or person without prior approval of the Central Government.*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the User Agency has furnished undertakings duly countersigned by all the DFOs concerned that the forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agency, department or person without prior approval of the Central Government which are enclosed as **Annexure – 21 Series**.

**Condition No.22:** *The user agency shall implement the R & R Plan, if applicable, as per the R & R Policy of State Government in consonance with National R&R Policy, Government of India before the commencement of the project work and implementation. The said R & R Plan will be monitored by the State Government/Regional Office of MoEF&CC along with indicators for monitoring and expected observable milestones;*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the above condition is not applicable for the project since there is no displacement of any human habitation.

**Condition No.23:** *No damage to the flora and fauna of the adjoining area shall be caused;*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the User Agency has furnished undertakings duly countersigned by all the DFOs concerned that no damage to the flora and fauna of the adjoining area shall be caused which are enclosed as **Annexure – 23 Series**.

**Condition No.24:** *The User Agency shall ensure that because of this project, no damage is caused to the wildlife available in the area;*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the User Agency has furnished undertakings duly countersigned by all the DFOs concerned that they shall ensure that because of this project, no damage is caused to the wildlife available in the area which are enclosed as **Annexure – 24 Series.**

**Condition No.25:** *The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Central Government;*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the User Agency has furnished undertakings duly countersigned by all the DFOs concerned that the layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Central Government which are enclosed as **Annexure – 25 Series.**

**Condition No.26:** *Any other condition that the concerned Regional Office of this Ministry may stipulate with the approval of competent authority in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forests & wildlife;*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the User Agency has furnished undertakings duly countersigned by all the DFOs concerned to abide by any other condition that the concerned Regional Office of the Ministry may stipulate with the approval of competent authority in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forests & wildlife which are enclosed as **Annexure – 26 Series.**

**Condition No.27:** *The user agency in consultation with the State Government shall create and maintain alternate habitat/home for the avifauna, whose nesting trees are to be cleared in this project. Bird's nests artificially made out of eco-friendly material shall be used in the area, including forest area and human settlements, adjoining the forest area being diverted for the project.*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the User Agency has furnished undertakings duly countersigned by all the DFOs concerned to that effect which are enclosed as **Annexure – 27 Series.**

**Condition No.28:** *The user agency shall comply all the provisions of the all Acts, Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, Hon'ble Court Order (s) and NGT Order (s) pertaining to this project, if any, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project;*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the User Agency has furnished undertakings duly countersigned by all the DFOs concerned that they shall comply all the provisions of the all Acts, Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, Hon'ble Court Order (s) and NGT Order (s) pertaining to this project, if any, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project which are enclosed as **Annexure – 28 Series.**

**Condition No.29:** *Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhinyam, 1980 and action would be taken as prescribed in para 1.16 of Chapter 1 of the Consolidated Guidelines and Clarifications on Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhinyam, 1980 as issued by this Ministry's letter dated 29.12.2023;*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the User Agency has furnished undertakings duly countersigned by all the DFOs concerned that Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhinyam, 1980 and action would be taken as prescribed in para 1.16 of Chapter 1 of the Consolidated Guidelines and Clarifications on Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhinyam, 1980 as issued by the Ministry's letter dated 29.12.2023 which are enclosed as **Annexure – 29 Series.**

**Condition No.30:** *The User Agency shall submit the annual self-compliance report in respect of the above stated conditions to the State Government, concerned Regional Office and to this Ministry by the end of March every year regularly;*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the User Agency has furnished undertakings duly countersigned by all the DFOs concerned that they shall submit the annual self-compliance report in respect of the above stated conditions to the State Government, concerned Regional Office and to the Ministry by the end of March every year regularly which are enclosed as **Annexure – 30 Series.**

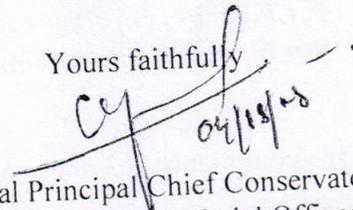
**Condition No.31:** *The compliance report shall be uploaded on e-portal (<https://parivesh.nic.in/>).*

**Compliance:-** In compliance to the condition, the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and Bhubaneswar Circle have reported that the compliance report has already been uploaded on e-portal (<https://parivesh.nic.in/>).

In view of the above, the compliance to the conditions imposed by Government of India, MoEF & CC, FC Division, New Delhi is sent herewith for according final approval for diversion of 1.849Ha. of Forest Land for implementation of Dhamra-Haldia Pipeline (DHPL) project, a spur line of Jagadishpur-Haldia-Bokaro-Dhamra Pipeline (JHBDPL) project in Bhadrak, Balasore & Mayurbhanj Districts of Odisha by GAIL (India) Limited (A Govt. of India Undertaking) in the State of Odisha under Section-2 (1) (ii) of Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980.

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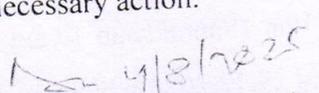
Yours faithfully,

  
Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forests  
Forest Diversion and Nodal Officer, FC Act

Memo No.

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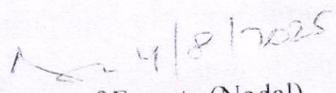
  
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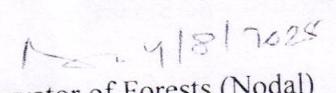
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Copy forwarded to the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada and RCCF, Bhubaneswar Circle for information and necessary action with reference to their Memo No.2841 dated 10.07.2025 and No.1646 dated 02.06.2025 respectively.

  
Chief Conservator of Forests (Nodal)

Memo No.

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Copy forwarded to the DFO, Baripada/ Balasore (WL)/ Bhadrak (WL) Divisions for information and necessary action with reference to Memo No.2842 dated 10.07.2025 of the FD, STR-Cum-RCCF, Baripada Circle and Memo No.1649 dated 02.06.2025 of the RCCF, Bhubaneswar Circle to their address respectively.

*M-4/8/2025*

Chief Conservator of Forests (Nodal)

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