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From	CGM(G), I/C, UAS Block, A&AA Basin	Date : 01/06/2023
To	The Divisional Forest Officer Golaghat Forest Division Dist.- Golaghat, Assam	

Subject: Submission of compliance report of In-Principle approval dated 07.09.2022
(Diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Dayang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat)

Ref: 1) Forest diversion proposal no FP/AS/MIN/36318/2018.
2) In-Principle Approval vide No-3-AS B 072/2022-GHY/2993-2994 dated 07.09.2022 from MOEF&CC, Integrated Regional Office, Guwahati.

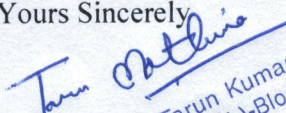
Dear Sir,

With reference to the subject cited above, please find the enclosed compliance report of In-Principle Approval vide.3-AS B 072/2022-GHY/2993-2994 dated 07.09.2022 from MOEF&CC, Integrated Regional Office, Guwahati in respect of Golaghat Forest Division along with necessary enclosures.

This is submitted for your onward necessary action for processing the issuance of Final Approval (Stage-II) for diversion of 1.75 Ha Forest land from MOEF&CC.

Thanking You

Yours Sincerely


(T. K. Mathuria)
CGM (G)
I/C-UAS Block

Enclosed: As above

Copy to: The Chief Conservator of Forest & Nodal Officer (F.C Act), O/o PCCF&HoFF, Assam, Panjabari, Guwahati for favor of kind information.



OIL AND NATURAL GAS CORPORATION LIMITED
HSE Division, Assam & Assam Arakan Basin
Cinnamara Complex, Jorhat, Assam -785 704
Phone: 0376-2707304

COMPLIANCE REPORT FOR # KSAH

A. Conditions which need to be complied prior to handing over of forest land by the State Forest Department.

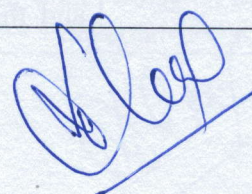
Point No. Stipulated by MoEF&CC, IRO, Guwahati, In Principal Approval	Conditions Stipulated by MoEF&CC, IRO, Guwahati In Principal Approval	Complied by User agency
1	The User Agency shall transfer, the Net Present Value (NPV) in the revised rate of the forest land being diverted under this proposal, 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 as per the guidelines issued by the Ministry vide letters No. 5-3/2007-FC dated 05.02.2009 and File No.5-3/2011-FC(Vol-I) dated 21.03.2022. The requisite funds shall be transferred through online portal into CAMPA account of the State concerned;	NPV of Rs. 19,54,575.00/- as per advice of DFO-Golaghat letter ref no. B/62/ONGC/KSAH/Glt. Divn/2022/5848 dated 07.10.2022 by generating online challan in Parivesh portal vide RTGS-UTR to Assam CAMPA paid to the A/c No/ 150615836318654 of Union Bank of India, FCS Centre 21/1,III Floor,Jelitta Towers,Mission Road,Bengaluru-560027 on 20.01.2023. payment receipt is enclosed as Annexure I .
2	The user agency shall transfer the cost of raising and maintaining the compensatory afforestation at the current wage rate in consultation with the State Forest Department in the account of CAMPA of the concerned State through online portal. The scheme may include appropriate provision for anticipated cost increase for works scheduled for subsequent years;	Deposited the cost of Rs. 45,91,058.00/- of raising and maintaining the compensatory afforestation & 50% overhead cost on CA of Rs. 22,95,529.00/- in the account of CAMPA has been paid as per advice of DFO-Golaghat letter ref no. B/62/ONGC/KSAH/Glt. Divn/2022/5848 dated 07.10.2022 by generating online challan in Parivesh portal vide RTGS-UTR to Assam CAMPA paid to the A/c No/ 150615836318654 of Union Bank of

		India FCS Centre 21/1,III Floor,Jelitta Towers,Mission Road,Bengaluru-560027 on 20.01.2023. payment receipt is enclosed as Annexure I.
3	All the funds received from the user agency under the project shall be transferred/ deposited to CAMPA account only through e-portal { https://parivesh.nic.in/ }. Amount deposited through other mode will not be accepted as compliance of the Stage-I clearance.	All the funds have been deposited to CAMPA account. The vouchers & payment information are attached for your kind perusal
4	The compliance report shall be uploaded on e-portal { https://parivesh.nic.in/ }	Complied
5	The KML files of the area to be diverted and the CA areas shall be uploaded on the e-Green watch portal with all requisite details before submitting compliance report for seeking Stage II approval;	Already complied
6	The user agency shall deposit 2% of the total project cost for Human Elephant Conflict mitigation and wildlife conservation purposes and the amount shall be deposited into account of CAMPA.	The user agency has transferred through e payment for an amount of Rs. 4000000/- against Elephant/Wildlife conflict mitigation & wildlife conservation plan, was deposited on 14.02.2023 at A/c No. 735101000804-ICICI BANK LIMITED IFSC code :ICIC0007351, in favour of Chief Wildlife Warden, Panjabari Branch, Near Sikkim House Guwahati,Guwahati, 781037 Annexure 2.
7	The State Govt. shall ensure that under no circumstances, implementation of such mitigation measures envisaged in Human Elephant/wildlife Conflict mitigation and wildlife conservation plan should be delayed beyond a period of 2 years to ensure commencement of rejuvenation of ecosystem services lost from the forest area allowed for non-forestry use of forest land at the earliest possible time.	Noted & ONGC has deposited Rs. 4000000.00 against Elephant/Wildlife conflict mitigation & wildlife conservation plan , was deposited on 14.02.2023 . The payment receipt has been attached for your kind reference. Annexure 2.
8	The State Govt. shall submit Human Elephant/wildlife Conflict mitigation and wildlife conservation plan approved by Chief Wildlife Warden, Govt. of Assam	ONGC has complied with Human Elephant/wildlife Conflict mitigation and wildlife conservation plan approved by Chief Wildlife Warden, Govt. of

	along with detail cost of its implementation.	Assam along with detail cost of its implementation & deposited Rs.4000000.00 to Chief Wildlife Warden , Panjabari Branch, Near Sikkim House Guwahati Guwahati 781037
9	The complete compliance of the FRA,2006 shall be ensured by way of prescribed certificate from the District Collector;	Complied The documents has been attached for your reference Annexure 3
10	The User Agency shall obtain the Environment Clearance as per the provisions of Environment (Protection) Act, 1986.	EC is obtained via SEIAA.1296/2020/EC/ 52/1416 against Proposal No. SIA/AS/IND2/143045/2020 dated 26.04.2021 from State Environment Impact Assessment Authority (SEIAA), Guwahati. Annexure 4
11	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.	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 4 Of “ All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat ”
12	Any change in the diameter of borehole and number of bore holes will be reported to the concerned Integrated Regional Office in advance for consideration and recommendations to the Central Government;	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 26 Of “ All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat ”
13	Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Forest(Conservation) Act, 1980 and action would be taken as prescribed in para 1.21 of Chapter 1 of the Handbook of comprehensive guidelines of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 as issued by this Ministry's letter No.5-2/2017-Fc dated 28.03.2019.	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 20 Of “ All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat ”

B. Conditions which need to be strictly complied on field after handing over of forest land to the user agency by the state forest department but the compliance in form of undertaking shall be submitted prior to Stage –II approval.

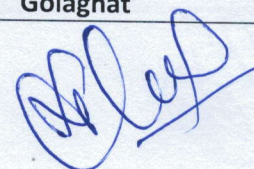
Point No. Stipulated by MoEF&CC,	Conditions Stipulated by MoEF&CC, IRO, Guwahati In Principal Approval	Complied by User agency
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IRO, Guwahati, In Principal Approval		
1	Legal status of the diverted forest land shall remain unchanged;	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 1 Of " All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat
2	The compensatory afforestation shall be raised and maintained by the State Forest Department over double the degraded forest land of 3.5 ha in Compartment No.5 in Upper Dehing Reserve Forest, Digboi Range under Digboi Division in Tinsukia District of Assam at the cost of the User Agency. As far as practicable a mixture of local indigenous species will be planted and monoculture of a species has to be avoided.	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 2 Of " All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat
3	At the time of payment of the Net Present Value (NPV) at the then prevailing rate, the User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to pay the additional amount of NPV, if so determined, as per the final decision of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India;	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 3 Of " All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat
4	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;	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 4 Of " All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat
5	The period of diversion of the said forest land under this approval shall be for a period co-terminus with the period of the mining lease granted under the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act 1957, as amended and the Rules framed there-under;	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 5 Of " All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat
6	No labour camp shall be established on the forest land;	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 6 Of " All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat
7	The User Agency shall provide fuels preferably alternate fuels to the labourers and the staff working at the site so as to	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 7 Of " All Undertakings for diversion of

	avoid any damage and pressure on the nearby forest areas;	1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat
8	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;	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 8 Of "All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat"
9	No damage to the flora and fauna of the adjoining area shall be caused;	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 9 Of "All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat"
10	The layout plan of the mining plan/proposal shall not be changed without the prior approval of the Central Government;	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 10 Of "All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat"
11	The user agency shall not expand its occupation or use surrounding forest/forest land in any manner otherwise expressed in this clearance;	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 11 Of "All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat"
12	Land so diverted shall revert back to the forest Department in case it is not needed for the above use after due restoration to its original status (as far as possible and to the satisfaction of State Forest Department).	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 12 Of "All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat"
13	The user agency shall take all possible precautions & care all the time not to impact adversely the surround forests and forestland by their actions/activities;	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 13 Of "All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat"
14	Trees felling shall be done only when absolutely unavoidable and such removal, is any, shall be done under the supervision of the Forest department;	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 14 Of "All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat"
15	The concerned Divisional Forest Officer, will monitor and take necessary mitigative measures to ensure that there is no adverse impact on the forests in the surrounding area;	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 15 Of "All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat"

16	The user agency shall undertake mining in a phase manner after taking due care for reclamation of the mined over area. The concurrent reclamation plan as per the approved mining plan shall be executed by the user agency from the very first year, and an annual report on Implementation thereof shall be submitted to the Nodal Officer, Forest (Conservation) Act, 1900, in the concerned State Govt and the concerned Integrated Regional Office of the Ministry. If it is found from the annual report that the activities indicated in the concurrent reclamation plan area not being executed by the user agency, the Nodal Officer or the concerned integrated Regional Office may direct that the mining activities shall remain suspended till such time, reclamation activities are satisfactorily executed;	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 16 Of "All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat
17	The permission for exploratory drilling or prospection would not ipso facto imply any commitment on the part of Central Govt for diversion of forest land even if minerals/oil/hydrocarbons are struck for mining.	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 17 Of "All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat
18	The period of exploratory drilling will be for a period of 3(three) years and in case of non-completion of the drilling, the user agency shall apply for extension through the State Govt 6(six) months prior to the expiry of approval period,	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 18 Of "All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat
19	The User Agency shall submit the annual self-compliance report in respect of the above stated conditions to the State Government, concerned Integrated Regional Office and to this Ministry by the end of March every year; and	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 19 Of "All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat
20	Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and action would be taken as prescribed in Para	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 20 Of "All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat



	1.21 of Chapter 1 of the Handbook of comprehensive guidelines of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 as issued by this Ministry's letter No. 5-2/2017-Fc dated 28.03.2019.	
21	The user agency shall comply <i>all</i> 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.	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 21 Of " All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat "
22	All other clearance /NOCs under different applicable rules/regulations /local laws and under Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 as required vide MoEF, New Delhi guideline No.11-9/1998-FC(pt) dated 03.08.2009 shall be complied with.	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 22 Of " All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat "
23	This approval may be revoked if the above conditions of approval are not complied to the satisfaction of the Integrated Regional Office, Guwahati.	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 23 Of " All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat "
24	Any other conditions that the Integrated Regional Office, Guwahati, Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change may stipulate from time to time in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forests & wildlife. The state govt. shall ensure compliance of all the above conditions;	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 24 Of " All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat "
25	As per Ministry's letter No 11-30/96-FC(Pt) dt 14.9.2001, if the compliance of stipulated conditions is awaited from the State Govt for more than 5(five) years, the in-principle approval would be summarily be revoked considering that the user agency is no longer interested in the project.	Agreed Undertaking furnished in point no. 25 Of " All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under Golaghat Division, Golaghat "

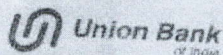


S. Lily P. Chawang
GM (E&T)
I/C HSE, A&AA Basin

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Annexure - 1

AGENCY COPY

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NEFT / RTGS CHALLAN for CAMPA Funds

Date : 20-01-2023

Agency Name.	OIL AND NATURAL GAS CORPORATION LIMITED
Application No.	5836318654
MoEF/SG File No.	3-AS-B-072/2021-GHY
Location.	ASSAM
Address.	Dhansiri Bhavan, Cinnamara Jorhat Assam Jorhat
Amount(in Rs)	8841162/-

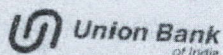
Amount in Words : Eighty-Eight Lakh Forty-One Thousand One Hundred and Sixty-Two Rupees Only

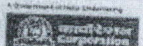
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IFSC Code:	UBIN0996335
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Bank Name & Address:	Union Bank Of India FCS Centre, 21/1, III Floor, Jelitta Towers, Mission Road, Bengaluru-560027

• This Challan is strictly to be used for making payment to CAMPA by NEFT/RTGS only

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Note: After making the required payment through challan, if the payment status has not been updated even after 7 working days, then kindly mail a copy of your challan with transaction date and reference id to Email: fcsblr@unionbankofindia.bank, epurse@unionbankofindia.bank, ubin0903710@unionbankofindia.bank

VJP NO. SBINR520230124 28062884

Dt 24/1/23

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20/01/2023

(NITESH K. GUPTA)

Manager (HR) - LAQ

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23/1/23
CA ROHIT MAHUR
DCM (F&A)
JORHAT FINANCE



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20/01/23

मृ. साईकीया/M Saikia

उप महाप्रबंधक (भौगिकी)/DGM (Geology)
LAQ Section A&AAB, ONGC, Jorhat

[Signature]
Minat Singh
Chief Manager (HR)
ONGC-Cinnamara Jorhat

Jan 20

Date	Value Date	Description	Ref No./Cheque No.	Branch Code	Debit	Credit	Balance
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Method used for TRANSFERS:

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Current Transfers Report 3/0

Cumulative Balance of transfers

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Munish Borthakur
3/2/2023

MRINAL J. BORTHAKUR
Chief Manager (F&A)
A&AAB Jorhat



OIL AND NATURAL GAS CORPORATION LTD

Annexure II

Annexure-2

CHIEF WILDLIFE WARDEN

PANJABARI BRANCH
NEAR SIKKIM HOUSE GUWAHATI

GUWAHATI 781037

PAYMENT ADVICE

Your Account with us :164474
Bank Account No :735101000804
Bank :ICICI BANK LIMITED
IFSC code :ICIC0007351
Payment Date :Feb 14, 2023
Payment Reference :P002482613

Dear Sir / Madam,

This is to inform you that instructions have been sent to our banker for the credit of Rs. 4000000.00 (RUPEES FORTY LAKH ONLY) to your account as mentioned above.

Payment Details

Document	Tracking No. / RegID	Reference	Amount Passed
2522003897	409687	2%project cost_Elephant/wildlife conserv	4000000.00
		Net Amount	4000000.00
Total Amount Paid Rs :4000000.00			

Kind Regards

ONGC Ltd.

This is a system generated document and does not require any signature. TDS certificate(s) , wherever applicable , will be issued in due course.

Regd Office: 4002, DEEN DAYAL URJA BHAVAN, 5, NELSON MANDELA MARG
VASANT KUNJ, DELHI-110070, PH 011-26753020

GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT COLLECTOR

NO.ITDP/G/FRA-2006/89/PT-I/2017/723

Dated: 21/12/2017

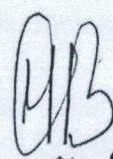
TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

In compliance of the Ministry of Environment and Forest(MoEF),Government of India's letter No.11-9/98/FC(Pt.) dated 3rd August 2009 wherein the MoEF issued guidelines on submission of evidences for having initiated and completed the process of settlement of rights under the Scheduled Tribes and other Traditional Forest Dwellers(Recognition of Forest Rights) Act,2006(FRA,for short) on the forest land proposed to be diverted for non-forest purposes read with MoEF's letter dated 5th February 2013 wherein MoEF issued certain relaxation in respect of linear projects,it is certified that **1.75** hectares of forest land proposed to be diverted in favour of **ONGC,Jorhat**(name of the user agency) for drilling location **KSAH**(purpose for diversion of forest land) in Golaghat district falls within jurisdiction of **Tarani chuk** villages(s) in **Chawdang pathar** tehsil.

It is further certified that:

- (d) The complete process for identification and settlement of rights under FRA has been carried out for the entire **1.75** hectares of forest area proposed for diversion.A copy of records of all consultations and meeting of the Forest Rights Committee(s), Gram Sabha(s),Sub-Division Level Committee(s) and the District Level Committee are enclosed as annexure I to III annexure
- (e) The diversion of forest land facilities managed by the Government as required under section 3(2) of the FRA have been completed and the Grama Sabhas have given their consent to it.
- (f) The proposal does not involve recognized right of Primitive Tribal Groups and Pre-Agricultural communities.

Enclo :As above.


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(1.76 ha. as per sketch map of staking)

FORM-II

ANNEXTURE-II

(for project(s) other than linear project)
GOVERNMENT OF ASSAM
OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT COLLECTOR

NO.ITDP/G/FRA-2006/89/PT-I/2017/ 723

Dated: 21/12/2017

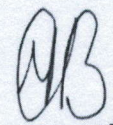
TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

In compliance of the Ministry of Environment and Forest(MoEF),Government of India's letter No.11-9/98/FC(Pt.) dated 3rd August 2009 wherein the MoEF issued guidelines on submission of evidences for having initiated and completed the process of settlement of rights under the Scheduled Tribes and other Traditional Forest Dwellers(Recognition of Forest Rights) Act,2006(FRA,for short) on the forest land proposed to be diverted for non-forest purposes,it is certified that 1.75 hectares of forest land proposed to be diverted in favour of **ONGC,Jorhat**(name of the user agency) for drilling location **KSAH** (purpose for diversion of forest land) in Golaghat district falls within jurisdiction of **Tarani chuk** villages(s) in **Chawdang pathar** tehsil.

It is further certified that:

- (g) The complete process for identification and settlement of rights under the FRA has been carried out for the entire 1.75 hectares of the forest land proposed for diversion.A copy of records of all consultation and meetings of the Forest Rights Committee(s), Gram Sabha(s),Sub-Division Level Committee(s) and the District Level Committee are enclosed as annexure I to III annexure..... ;
- (h) The proposal for such diversion (with full details of the project and its implications,in vernacular/local-language) have been placed before each concerned Gram Sabha of forest dwellers,who are eligible under the FRA;
- (i) The each of concerned Gram Sabha(s),has certified that all formalities/processes under the FRA have been carried out,and that they have given their consent to the proposed diversion and the compensation and ameliorative measures,if any,having understood the purpose and details of proposed diversion.A copy of certificate issued by the Gram Sabha of **N/A** village(s) is enclosed as annexure --- --- to annexure ---- ;
- (j) The discussion and decisions on such proposals had taken place only when there was a quorum of minimum 50% of the members of Gram Sabha present;
- (k) The diversion of forest land for facilities managed by the Government as required under section 3(2) of the FRA have been completed and the Gram Sabha have given their consent to it;
- (l) The rights of primitive Tribal Groups and Pre-Agricultural Communities,where applicable have been specifically safeguarded as per section 3(1) (e) of the FRA.

Encl: As above.


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STATE ENVIRONMENT IMPACT ASSESSMENT AUTHORITY, ASSAM
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Government of India B
AMUNIMAIDAM, GUWAHATI-21

No. SEIAA.1296/2020/EC/52 /1416

Dated: 26/4/2021

Proposal No: SIA/AS/IND2/143045/2020

To

I/C HSE Basin,
Oil and Natural Gas co. Ltd (ONGC)
HSE Division, Assam & Assam Arakan Basin, Jorhat
Assam-785704

Sub: Environment Clearance for Exploration in Upper Assam Shelf (South) in Jorhat and Golaghat District, Assam for 4 forest locations (KSAD, KSAE, KSAI and KSAH) in forest area.

Dear Sir,

This has reference to your application dated 25/01/2021 seeking Environmental Clearances for the above project under EIA Notification 2006. The proposal has been appraised as per prescribed procedure in the light of provisions under the EIA Notification 2006 and subsequent modification vide S.O. 236(E) dtd 16/01/2020 and on the basis of the mandatory documents enclosed with the application and additional clarifications furnished in response to the observation of the State Level Expert Appraisal Committee.

2 Brief details of the Project:

1	Category/ Item No. (In Schedule):	1(b) B2	
2.	Location of Project	(a) Plot/ survey/ Khasra No. Jorhat and Golaghat Dist, Assam. (b) Bounded Latitudes (North) From 26.0225 to 26.2927 (c) Bounded Longitudes (East) From 93.4935 to 94.1259 (d) Survey of India Topo Sheet No 83 (e) Distant of nearest HFL from the project boundary within the study area 50. (f) Seismic Zone - 5	
3.	Project Details	“Exploration in Upper Assam Shelf (South) in Jorhat and Golaghat District, Assam for 4 forest locations (KSAD, KSAE, KSAI and KSAH) in forest area.” A&AA Basin, ONGC, Jorhat Nambar – 1, ONGC, Cinnamara, Jorhat, Assam – 785704 Central PSU	
4.	Total Project Cost	120 Crores	
5.	Water Requirement & source	Water requirement: 25 Cu.M per day per well water will be required for drilling of wells. Sourcing of water requirement: water requirement for all the project activities would be sourced locally through approved / authorized sources of surface water and/ or ground water (e.g PHD bore wells, privately owned bore wells, irrigation Dept./ water Resources Dept. of state Govt.).	
6.	Power Requirement:	a) Quantity (Kilo Volt Amps (KVA)	250
		b) Source	Gen Set
		c) Uploaded copy of agreement	Not Applicable
		d) Standby Agreement (Details of DG Sets)	250
		e) Stack Height (in m)	7
7.	Funds allocated Environment Management	2.67% of the Project cost	

8	CSR /ESR Activities	provided on rank form and the solvent assets of the project spent in various social development cost based on the assessed needs.	
		Investment	Cost Allocation (INR, crores)
		Total Estimated Project Cost	120 Crores.
		Total CER (indicative)	2.0% of the estimated project cost (as per OM No. F.No.22-65/2017-IA.III dated: 1 st May, 2018)
9	Green Belt/ Plantation	Greenbelt/ Plantation will be carried out suitably. 33% of the total project area.	

The SEIAA, Assam after considering the proposal and recommendations of the SEAC, Assam in its 18th Meeting held on 18.03.2021, it is found that the **land use report** of the block area land use /land cover map has not been furnished. Similarly, satellite image of the block area printed on 1: 50000 scale has also not furnished. On detail deliberation the committee recommended for approval of the proposal for wells (KSAD, KSAH, KSAE & KSAI) subject to the condition that the above-mentioned report & satellite image shall have to be furnished before the Authority within two weeks' time.

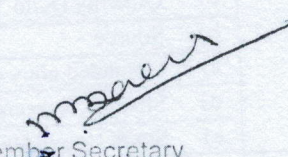
The proponent shall have to strictly adhere to the general terms and condition applicable in such projects as per the guide lines issued by the MOEF & CC, GOI from time to time.

GPS locations of the proposed well site

Sl. No	Name of Location	Lat-Long
1.	KSAI	26° 16'39.753" 93° 59'48.375"
2.	KSAE	26° 18'07.94" 94° 02'13.79"
3.	KSAH	26° 17'52.331" 94° 02'09.268"
4.	KSAD	26° 16'57.01" 94° 01'52.91"

I. Statutory compliance:

- The project proponent shall obtain forest clearance under the provisions of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1986, in case of the diversion of forest land for non-forest purpose involved in the project.
- The project proponent shall obtain clearance from the National Board for Wildlife, if applicable.
- The project proponent shall prepare a Site-Specific Conservation Plan & Wildlife Management Plan and approved by the Chief Wildlife Warden, if applicable. The recommendations of the approved Site- Specific Conservation Plan / Wildlife Management Plan shall be implemented in consultation with the State Forest Department. The implementation report shall be furnished along with the six-monthly compliance report. (in case of the presence of Schedule-I species in the study area)
- The Project proponent shall obtain Consent to Establish / Operate under the provisions of Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981 and the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974 from the concerned State Pollution Control Board/Committee.
- The project proponent shall obtain authorization under the Hazardous and other Waste Management Rules, 2016 as amended from time to time.
- The Company shall strictly comply with the rules and guidelines under Manufacture, Storage and Import of Hazardous Chemicals (MSIHC) Rules, 1989 as amended time to time. All transportation of Hazardous Chemicals shall be as per the Motor Vehicle Act (MVA), 1989.


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II. Air quality monitoring and preservation.

- i. The project proponent shall install 24x7 continuous emission monitoring system at process stacks to monitor stack emission with respect to standards prescribed in Environment (Protection) Rules 1986 and connected to SPCB and CPCB online servers and calibrate these system from time to time according to equipment supplier specification through labs recognized under Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 or NABL accredited laboratories.
- ii. The project proponent shall monitor fugitive emissions in the plant premises at least once in every quarter through labs recognized under environment (Protection) Act, 1986.
- iii. The project proponent shall install system to carryout Ambient Air Quality monitoring for common/criterion parameters relevant to the main pollutants released (e.g. PM10 and PM25 in reference to PM emission, and SO2 and NOx in reference to SO2 and NOx emissions) within and outside the plant area at least at four locations (one within and three outside the plant area at an angle of 120 each), covering upwind and downwind directions.
- iv. To control source and the fugitive emissions, suitable pollution control devices shall be installed to meet the prescribed norms and/or the NAAQS. Sulphur content should not exceed 0.5% in the coal for use in coal fired boilers to control particulate emissions within permissible limits (as applicable). The gaseous emissions shall be dispersed through stack of adequate height as per CPCB/SPCB guidelines.
- v. Storage of raw materials etc shall be either stored in silos or in covered areas to prevent dust pollution and other fugitive emissions.
- vi. The DG sets shall be equipped with suitable Pollution control devices and the adequate stack height so that the emissions are in conformity with the extant regulations and the guidelines in this regard.
- vii. National Emissions Standards for Organic Chemicals Manufacturing Industry issued by the Ministry vide G.S.R. 608(E) dated 21st July, 2010 and amended from time to time shall be followed.
- viii. The National Ambient Air Quality Emission Standards issued by the Ministry vide G.S.R. No. 826(E) dated 16th November, 2009 shall be complied with.

III. Water quality monitoring and preservation

- i. The project proponent shall provide continuous monitoring of effluent and flow meters in the channel/drain carrying effluent within the premises (applicable in case of the projects achieving ZLD)
- ii. As already committed by the project proponent, Zero Liquid Discharge shall be ensured and no waste/treated water shall be discharged outside the premises (applicable in case of the projects achieving the ZLD).
- iii. The effluent discharge shall conform to the standards prescribed under the Environment (Protection) Rules, 1986, or as specified by the State Pollution Control Board while granting Consent under the Air/Water Act, whichever is more stringent.
- iv. Total fresh water requirement shall not exceed the proposed quantity or as specified by the Committee. Prior permission shall be obtained from the concerned regulatory authority/ CGWA in this regard.
- v. Process effluent/any waste water shall not be allowed to mix with storm water. The storm water from the premises shall be collected and discharged through a separate conveyance system.
- vi. The company harvest rainwater from the roof tops of the buildings and storm water drains to recharge the ground water and utilized the same for different industrial operations within the plant, if applicable.

IV. Noise monitoring and preservation

- i. Acoustic enclosure shall be provided to DG set for controlling the noise pollution.
- ii. The overall noise levels in and around the plant area shall be kept well within the standards by providing noise control measures including acoustic hoods, silencers, enclosures etc. on all sources of noise generation.
- iii. The ambient noise levels should conform to the standards prescribed under E(P)A Rules, 1986 viz, 75 dB(A) during day time and 70 dB(A) during night time.

V. Energy Conservation measures

- i. The energy sources for lighting purposes shall preferably be LED based

- provided on tank farm and the solvent transfer through pumps.
- ii. Process organic residue and spent carbon, if any, shall be sent to cement industries. ETP sludge, process inorganic & evaporation salt shall be disposed off to the TSDF.
- iii. The Company shall undertake waste minimization measures as applicable given below:-
 - a. Metering and Control of quantities of active ingredients to minimize waste.
 - b. Reuse of by-products from the process as raw materials or as raw material substitutes in other processes.
 - c. Use of automated filling to minimize spillage.
 - d. Use of Close Feed system into batch reactors.
 - e. Venting equipment through vapors recovery system.
 - f. Use of high pressure hoses for equipment clearing to reduce waste water generation.

VII. Green Belt

The green belt of 5-10 m width shall be developed in more than 33% of the total project area, mainly along the plant periphery, in downward wind direction, and along road sides etc. Selection of plant species shall be as per the CPCB guidelines in consultation with the State Forest Department.

VIII. Safety, Public hearing and Human health issues

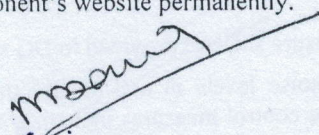
- i. Emergency preparedness plan based on the Hazard identification and Risk Assessment (HIRA) and Disaster Management Plan shall be implemented.
- ii. The unit shall make the arrangement for protection of possible fire hazards during manufacturing process in material handling. Firefighting system shall be as per the norms.
- iii. The PP shall provide Personal Protection Equipment (PPE) as per the norms of Factory Act/Mines act.
- iv. Training shall be imparted to all employees on safety and health aspects of chemicals handling. Pre-employment and routine periodical medical examinations for all employees shall be undertaken on regular basis. Training to all employees on handling of chemicals shall be imparted.
- v. Provision shall be made for the housing of construction labour within the site with all necessary infrastructure and facilities such as fuel for cooking, mobile toilets, mobile STP, safe drinking water, medical health care, creche etc ,if applicable. The housing may be in the form of temporary structures to be removed after the completion of the project.
- vi. Occupational health surveillance of the workers shall be done on a regular basis and records maintained as per the Mines/Factory Act.
- vii. There shall be adequate space inside the plant premises ear marked for parking of vehicles for raw materials and finished products, and no parking to be allowed outside on public places.

IX. Corporate Environment Responsibility

- i. The project proponent shall comply with the provisions contained in this Ministry's IM vide F.No. 22-65/2017-IA III dated 1st May 2018, as applicable, regarding Corporate Environment Responsibility.
- ii. The company shall have a well laid down environment policy duly approve by the Board of Directors. The environment policy should prescribe for standards operating procedures to have proper checks and balances and to bring into focus any infringements/ violation of the environmental/ forest/ wildlife norms/ conditions. The company shall have defined system of reporting infringements / deviation / violation of the environmental/ forest/ wildlife norms/ conditions and / or shareholders / stake holders. The copy of the board resolution in this regard shall be submitted to the MOEF& CC as a part of six-monthly report.
- iii. A separate environmental Cell both at the project and company head quarter level, with qualified personnel shall be set up under the control of senior Executive, who will directly to the head of the organization.
- iv. Action plan for implementing EMP and environmental conditions along with responsibility matrix of the company shall be prepared and shall be duly approved by competent authority. The year wise funds earmarked for environmental protection measures shall be kept in separate account and not to be diverted for any other purpose. Year wise progress of implementation of action plan shall be reported to the Ministry/Regional Office along with the Six Monthly Compliance Report.
- v. Self environmental audit shall be conducted annually. Every three years third party environmental audit shall be carried out.

X. Miscellaneous

- i. The project proponent shall make public the environmental clearance granted for their project along with the environmental conditions and safe guards at their cost by prominently advertising it at least in two local newspapers of the District or State, of which one shall be in the vernacular language within seven days and in addition this shall also be displayed in the project proponent's website permanently.


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- ii. 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.
- iii. The project proponent shall upload the status of compliance of the stipulated environment clearance conditions, including results of monitored data on their website and update the same on half-yearly basis.
- iv. The project proponent shall monitor the criteria pollutants level namely; PM₁₀, SO₂, NO_x (ambient levels as well as stack emissions) or criteria sectoral parameters, indicated for the projects and display the same at a convenient location for disclosure to the public and put on the website of the company.
- v. The project proponent shall submit 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 at environment clearance portal.
- vi. The project proponent shall submit the environmental statement for each financial year in Form-V to the concerned State Pollution Control Board as prescribed under the Environment (Protection) Rules, 1986, as amended subsequently and out on the website of the company.
- vii. The project proponent shall inform the Regional Office as well as the Ministry, the date of financial closure and final approval of the project by the concerned authorities, commencing the land development work and start of production operation by the project.
- viii. The project authorities must strictly adhere to the stipulations made by the State Pollution Control Board and the State Government.
- ix. The project proponent shall abide by all the commitments and recommendations made in the EIA/EMP report, commitment made during Public Hearing and also that during their presentation to the Expert Appraisal Committee.
- x. No further expansion or modifications in the plant shall be carried out without prior approval of the Ministry of Environment Forest and Climate Change (MoEF & CC).
- xi. 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.
- xii. The Ministry may revoke or suspend the clearance, if implementation of any of the above conditions is not satisfactory.
- xiii. The Ministry reserves the right to stipulate additional conditions if found necessary. The Company in a time bound manner shall implement these conditions.
- xiv. 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.
- xv. The above conditions shall be enforced, inter-alia under the provisions of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, Hazardous and Other Wastes (Management and Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2016 and the Public Liability Insurance Act, 1991 along with their amendments and Rules and any other orders passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India / High Courts and any other Court of Law relating to the subject matter.
- xvi. 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.

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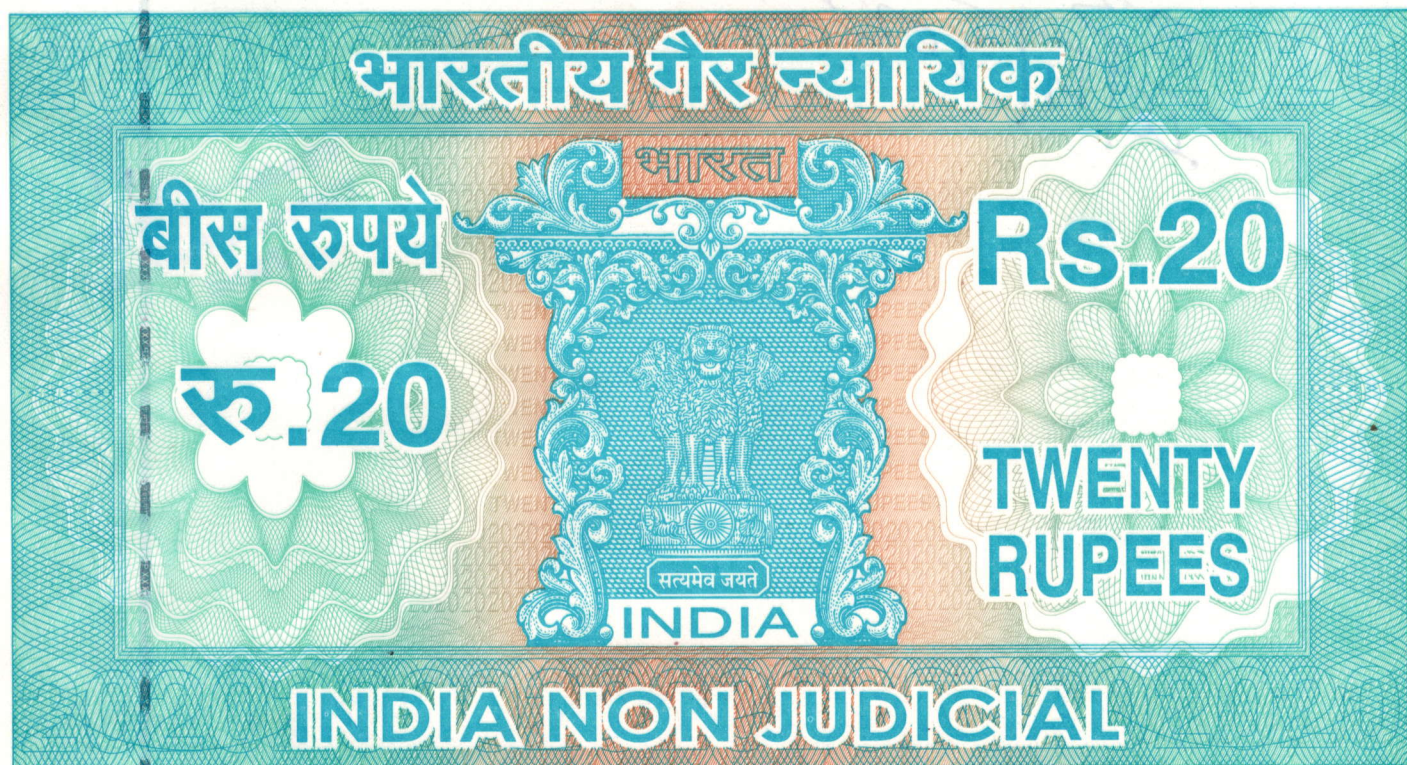
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Copy to:

- The Secretary to the Govt. of Assam, Environmental & Forest Department, Dispur, Guwahati-6 for favour of kind information.
- The Chairman, PCBA for information.
- The Regional Office, MoEF, Govt. of India, Low-U-sib, Lumbatngen, Near MTC Workshop, Shillong-21 for information.
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SEIAA, Assam



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All Undertakings for diversion of 1.75 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F under
Golaghat Division, Golaghat

Proposal No- FP/AS/MIN/36318/2018

1. Undertaking Regarding Legal Status of Forest Land:

Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC), hereby undertakes that Legal Status of Forest Land proposed for diversion will remain unchanged. The forest land will only be used for the laying and future operation / Maintenance of KSAH.

2. Compensatory Afforestation shall be raised by the State Government at the cost of User Agency (ONGC)

Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC), hereby gives the undertaking to bear the cost of Compensatory Afforestation to raise over 3.5 ha in compartment no. 5 in Upper Dehing Reserve Forest, Digboi Range under Digboi Division in Tinsukia District of Assam. As far as practicable a mixture of local indigenous species will be planted and monoculture of a species has to be avoided.

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All Undertakings for diversion of 1.25 Ha of Forest Land for KSAH in Doyang R.F. under
Golaghat Division, Golaghat

Proposal No-FP/AS/MIN/353/18/2018

Undertaking Regarding Legal Status of Forest Land
Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC), hereby undertakes that legal status of forest
land proposed for diversion will remain unchanged. The forest land will only be used
for the laying and future operation / Maintenance of KSAH.

Compensatory Afforestation shall be raised by the State Government at the cost of
User Agency (ONGC)
Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC), hereby gives the undertaking to bear the cost
of Compensatory Afforestation to raise over 3.2 ha in compartment no 2 in Upper
Dohing Reserve Forest, Digpur Range under Digpur Division in Tinsukia District of
Assam. As far as practicable a mixture of local indigenous species will be planted and
monoculture of a species has to be avoided.

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3. Undertaking for Net Present Value

Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC), hereby undertakes to pay the additional amount of NPV, if so determined, as per the final decision of the Hon'ble Supreme court of India.

4. Undertaking Demarcation of Boundary

Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC), hereby undertakes 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.

5. Undertaking for Period of Diversion

Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC), hereby undertakes that the period of diversion of the said forest land under this approval shall be for a period of coterminous with the period of the mining lease granted under the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 as amended and the Rules framed there-under.

6. Undertaking regarding establishment of no labour camp

Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited (ONGC), hereby undertakes that no labour camp shall be established on the Forest Land

7. Undertaking to provide fuel to the labourer and staffs

Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited (ONGC), hereby undertakes that ONGC shall provide fuels preferably alternate fuels to the labourers and staff working at site so as to avoid any damages and pressure on the nearby forest areas.

8. Undertaking for non-transfer of Proposed Forest Land to any other agency

Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited (ONGC), hereby undertakes 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.

9. Undertaking regarding for no damage of flora and fauna

Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited (ONGC), hereby undertakes that no damage to the flora and fauna of the adjoining area shall be caused.

10. Undertaking regarding no change in layout plan

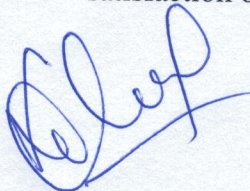
Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited (ONGC), hereby undertakes that the layout plan of the mining plan/proposal shall not be changed without prior approval of the Central Government.

11. Undertaking of non-expansion of occupation

Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited (ONGC), hereby undertakes that ONGC shall not expand its occupation or use surrounding forest/forest land in any manner otherwise expressed in this clearance.

12. Undertaking for reverting back in case land not in use

Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited (ONGC), hereby undertakes that the land so diverted shall revert back to the forest Department in case it is not needed for the above use after due restoration to its original status (as far as possible and to the satisfaction of State Forest Department).



13. Undertaking to take all possible precaution

Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited (ONGC), hereby undertakes that ONGC shall take all possible precautions & care all the time not to impact adversely the surround forests and forestland by their actions/activities.

14. Undertaking regarding translocation of tree

Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC), hereby undertakes that Trees felling shall be done only when absolutely unavoidable and such removal, if any, shall be done under the supervision of the Forest department.

15. Undertaking regarding monitoring by concern Divisional Forest Officer

Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC), hereby undertakes that the concerned Divisional Forest Officer, will monitor and take necessary mitigative measures to ensure that there is no adverse impact on the forests in the surrounding area.

16. Undertaking for Mining in a phased manner

Though phased manner mining is not required in case of oil exploration, Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC), hereby undertakes that ONGC shall undertake mining in a phase manner after taking due care for reclamation of the mined over area. The concurrent reclamation plan as per the approved mining plan shall be executed by the user agency from the very first year, and an annual report on Implementation thereof shall be submitted to the Nodal Officer, Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, in the concerned State Govt and the concerned Integrated Regional Office of the Ministry. If it is found from the annual report that the activities indicated in the concurrent reclamation plan area not being executed by the user agency, the Nodal Officer or the concerned integrated Regional Office may direct that the mining activities shall remain suspended till such time, reclamation activities are satisfactorily executed.

17. Undertaking for permission of drilling

Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC), hereby undertakes that The permission for exploratory drilling or prospection would not ipso facto imply any commitment on the part of Central Govt for diversion of forest land even if minerals/oil/hydrocarbons are struck for mining.

18. Undertaking for the period of exploration

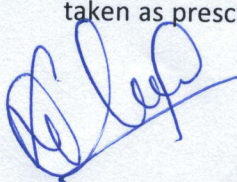
Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC), hereby undertakes that the period of exploratory drilling will be for a period of 3(three) years and in case of non-completion of the drilling, the user agency shall apply for extension through the State Govt 6(six) months prior to the expiry of approval period.

19. Undertaking regarding submission of annual self-compliance report

Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC), hereby undertakes that ONGC shall submit the annual self-compliance report in respect of the above stated condition to the State Government, concerned Integrated Regional office and to the Ministry by the end of March Every year.

20. Undertaking for violation of any of these conditions

Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC), hereby undertakes that violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and action would be taken as prescribed in Para 1.21 of Chapter 1 of the Handbook of comprehensive guidelines



of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 as issued by this Ministry's letter No. 5-2/2017-Fc dated 28.03.2019

21. Undertaking regarding comply of all acts, rules, Regulation, Guideline, Hon'ble Court Order(s) & NGT Orders(S)

Oil and Natural Gas Corporation (ONGC), hereby undertakes to comply of all the provision of the all Acts, Rules, Regulations, Guidelines, Hon'ble Court Order(s) & NGT Orders(s) pertaining to this project, if any, for the time being in force, as applicable to the project.

22. Undertaking for any other clearance/NOC's under different applicable rules/regulations/local laws

Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited (ONGC), hereby undertakes that all other clearance/NOC's under different applicable rules/regulations/Local laws and under Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 as required vide MoEF, New Delhi guideline no 11-9/1998-FC(pt) dated 03.08.2009 shall be complied with.

23. Undertaking for all the above compliances

Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited (ONGC), hereby undertakes that this approval may be revoked if the above conditions of approval are not complied to the satisfaction of the Integrated Regional Office, Guwahati.

24. Undertaking for any other conditions by Integrated Regional Office, Guwahati

Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited (ONGC), hereby undertakes to comply to any other conditions that the Integrated Regional Office, Guwahati, Ministry of Environment Forest & Climate Change may stipulate from time to time in the interest of conservation, protection and development of Forest and Wildlife.

25. Undertaking regarding revoke of In-Principal approval for noncompliance of stipulated conditions for more than 5(five) years

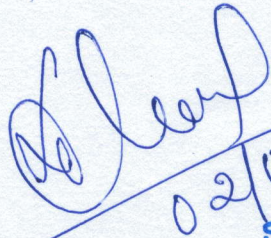
Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited (ONGC), hereby undertakes that as per Ministry's letter no 11-30/96-FC(Pt) dated 14.09.2001, if the compliance of stipulated conditions is awaited from the State Government for more than 5(five) years, the in-principle approval would be summarily revoked considering that the user agency is no longer interested in the project.

26. Undertaking regarding Change in Diameter of Borehole & No. of Borehole

Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited (ONGC), hereby undertakes that any change in the diameter of borehole and number of bore holes will be reported to the concerned Integrated Regional Office in advance for consideration and recommendations to the Central Government.

Date: 02.06.2023

Place: Jorhat


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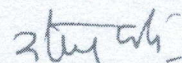
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Authorisation Letter by Competent Authority

S.Lily P. Chawang ,GM(E&T) CPF: 46889 , I/C HSE – Basin ONGC, Jorhat is hereby authorised for submitting online application and to seek approval for Forest Clearance under Section 2 of the Forest(Conservation) Act,1980 on behalf of A&AA Basin, ONGC, Jorhat (User Agency).

Date: 09/03/2023


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Sir/Madam,

Due to transfer posting of Shri Munindra Das, GM(D) under Annual Transfer-2023, Ms Lily Chawang, GM(E&T) & I/c-HSE of A&AA Basin will henceforth look after the Forest Clearances of Exploratory Locations falling under the Block-Upper Assam South Shelf in respect of A&AA Basin, ONGC, Jorhat.

It is to mention that I/c HSE & the team HSE has already been assigned to take up all necessary actions related to Forest clearances for the said areas including uploading of documents in the PARIVESH Portal etc.

Regards,

**Office of Basin Manager
A&AA Basin, ONGC Jorhat**

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