

Acknowledgement Slip

This is to certify that hard copy of the proposal seeking prior approval of Central Government under the Forest (Conservation) Act 1980, as per details given below, along with all necessary enclosures has been received in the Office of the Dadar & Nagar Haveli on 23/09/2021.

1. Proposal No. : FP/DN/Pipeline/147607/2021

2. Proposal Name : Gas Distribution Network in Dadra & Nagar Haveli Area (Surangi – Velugam Road, Surangi Connectivity, River crossing at Surangi – Velugam Road, Surangi Connectivity & River crossing at Udhawa – Khanvel)

3. Category of the Proposal : Pipeline

4. Date of Submission : 23/09/2021

5. Name of the User Agency with Contact Details

Name : Vipul
Mobile No. : 9925237529
State : Gujarat
District : Ahmedabad
Pincode : 380054

6. Area Applied (ha.) : 0.0735

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O/o.the Chief Conservator of Forests
दमण/DAMAN



GUJARAT GAS

No.: GGL/DNH GA/0.0735 He./FCA/Per/2021

Date: 24/09/2021

To,
**Chief Conservator of Forests,
Nodal Office,
Secretariat,
Dadra and Nagar Haveli and Daman & Diu,
Daman.**

Sub.: Gas Distribution Network in Dadra & Nagar Haveli Area (Surangi – Velugam Road, Surangi Connectivity, River crossing at Surangi – Velugam Road, Surangi Connectivity & River crossing at Udhawa – Khanvel Road Connectivity): **Diversion of 0.0735 Hectare Protected Forest land for laying 8" dia Steel pipeline parallel & across to Road side strip plantation declared as Protected Forest for Surangi – Velugam & Udhawa – Khanvel village Surrounding Area of Dadra and Nagar Haveli (U/T).**

Dear Sir,

Gujarat Gas Limited (GGL) is the company owned by the Government of Gujarat engaged in process to set up Piped Natural Gas (PNG) distribution network in all major Cities, District/Taluka Headquarters in entire Gujarat State. PNG is an eco-friendly gas and an alternative of Kerosene /LPG.

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Details of pipeline laying parallel & across to Asphalted Roads/Canal which has been declared as Protected Forest are furnished in **Annexure-A**.

For laying purpose 0.5 mtr. width of forest strip is proposed for the pipeline parallel & across to Asphalted Road in Dadra and Nagar Haveli. With this provision of 0.5 mtr width and 1470 mtr. length is required for parallel to Asphalted Road and across to Road

Total 0.0735 Hect. of area is required in protected forest for pipeline laying parallel & across to the Asphalted Roads various locations in Dadra and Nagar Haveli (U/T). It is stated here that the road side strip forest through which the pipeline across to the road is taken in such a way that minimum tree cutting is involved. For other areas, which are not been declared as protected forests, a separate proposal is being submitted for seeking permission for cutting of trees if any, obstructing the pipeline route.

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The forestlands as identified by us are included in the application. However, if any area is left out, the same may please be included. The route map of above said parallel and crossing Gas Distribution Network is enclosed herewith for your reference.

It will be worthy to state here that the pipeline will be laid 1.2 mtr. below ground level, the upper lands will be open for normal movement. During laying of pipeline no trees will be cut in the route. Accordingly the following formats are attached as per the procedure.

1. Annexure - A having details of pipeline laying parallel & across to roads en-route.
2. Route Map with pipeline marked along the Road.
3. Form - A for seeking prior approval under section-2.
4. Undertaking for NPV.
5. Undertaking for Compensatory Afforestation.

Necessary application, along with Annexure in six sets is submitting herewith for perusal and recommendation to grant permission to lay the pipeline. We are willing to pay compensation for compensatory afforestation and also Net Present Value (NPV), etc as per rules and given undertaking as required.

M/s. Secon Pvt. Ltd., having their regional office at 3rd floor, Satyam Complex, Chhani, Vadodara - 390002, Phone/Fax No. 0265-6630700/6538177 have been retained as bonafide consultant by us in connection with ROU and statutory clearance work for said project. They would provide further information and clarifications as required. They would also accompany authorities for field inspection.

Hope you will be kind enough to take the appropriate action for the act of which we shall be grateful to you.

In case you need any further information please feel free to contact us.

Thanking you,

Yours faithfully,

Vipul Patel
24/09/2021
Vipul Patel
Dy. Manager (ROU)

Encl.: As above

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Annexure - A

Statement showing the details of laying pipeline parallel & across to road declared as Protected Forest in Surangi - Velugam & Udhawa - Khanvel village Surrounding Area of Dadra and Nagar Haveli

Sl. No.	Details of Crossing	GGL Pipeline Chainage/Length in Km	Location	GGL Pipeline Connectivity	ROU in Mtr.		Area in Hectare
					Length	Width	
1	Pipeline laying Parallel to National Highway (Silvassa - Khadoli - Surangi - Velugam road)	(L=0/550 Km)	From Near RTO Check post to Near Balmer Lawrie & Co. Ltd., Surangi	Surangi - Velugam Road, Surangi Connectivity	550	0.5	0.0275
2	Asphalted Road (Surangi - Amboli - Kherdi Road) Crossing	-	Near RTO Check post, Surangi		10 X 2	0.5	0.0010
3	Pipeline laying Parallel to National Highway (Silvassa - Khadoli - Surangi - Velugam road)	(L=0/500 Km)	From Near BAPS, Swaminarayan Temple circle to Near crematorium, Surangi	River crossing at Surangi - Velugam Road, Surangi Connectivity	500	0.5	0.0250
4	Pipeline laying Parallel to Asphalted Road (Khanvel - Kherdi road)	(L=0/400 Km)	From Butterfly Park to Golden Pond Resort, village Khanvel	River Crossing at Udhawa - Khanvel Road Connectivity	400	0.5	0.0200
Total Area in Hectare							0.0735

For Gujarat Gas Limited



Chaudhary
24/09/21

कलेक्टर कार्यालय / COLLECTOR OFFICE
दादरा एवं नगर हवेली
DADRA AND NAGAR HAVELI
सिलवासा / SILVASSA



GUJARAT GAS

No. GGL/DNH GA/0.0735 He./ST&OTFD/NOC/2021

Date: 24.09.2021

To,
The Collector and Chairman,
District Level Forest Rights Committee,
Dadra and Nagar Haveli (U/T)
Silvassa

Sub.: Gujarat Gas Limited : Request for issuing Certificate complying Scheduled Tribe and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act 2006 (and amendments thereof) for diversion of 0.0735 hectare Forest Land for laying Natural Gas Pipeline in Surangi – Velugam & Udhawa – Khanvel village Surrounding Area of Dadra & Nagar Haveli (U/T).

Dear Sir,

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Details of pipeline laying parallel & across to Asphalted Road which has been declared as Protected Forest are furnished in **Annexure-A**.

Route map showing the pipeline alignment and location is enclosed herewith.

Further to inform as per the existing norms, diversion of Protected Forest proposal will be considered by Forest Deptt. only when “Certificate” issued from concern District Collector & Chairman District Level Forest Right’s Committee, complying Scheduled Tribe & Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Right’s) Act, 2006.

Further to inform that the above road/canal side land, declared as Protected Forest; however the land belongs to PWD Deptt., Govt. of Dadra and Nagar Haveli (U/T) and there is no any Scheduled Tribes & Other Traditional Forest Dwellers are existing.

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We are attaching the following Govt. Circulars for your kind reference please.

1. Letter no. F.No.11-9/98-FC(pt.) dtd.05.07.2013: Issued by Ministry of Environment & Forest, Govt. of India, New Delhi - communicated specific proforma for issuing Collector Certificate under FRA, 2006.
2. Letter no. F.No.11-9/98-FC(pt.) dtd.15.01.2014: Issued by Ministry of Environment & Forest, Govt. of India, New Delhi - communicated exemption of conducting Gram Sabha for linear projects.
3. Letter no.F.No.11-09/98-FC(pt.) dtd.28.10.2014: Issued by Ministry of Environment & Forest, Govt. of India, New Delhi - stating in case of plantations which were notified as "forest" on a day less than 75 years prior to the 13th day of December 2005 and are located in villages having no recorded population of Scheduled Tribes, are exempted from the requirement of initiation and completion of process for recognition and vesting of forest rights of ST & OTFD (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006.

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Considering the above facts we request you to kindly issue the "**Certificate**" complying Forest Rights Act, 2006 for roads declared as Protected Forest. Forest Proposal will be considered only after issuing your certificate, hence our request.

Since this is a National Importance & time bound project and hence it is out most important to complete the project within the time frame. Hence we request you to take up the matter on priority basis & do the needful.

Thanking You,

Yours sincerely,

Vipul Patel
24/09/2024
Vipul Patel
Dy. Manager (ROU)

Encl.: As above

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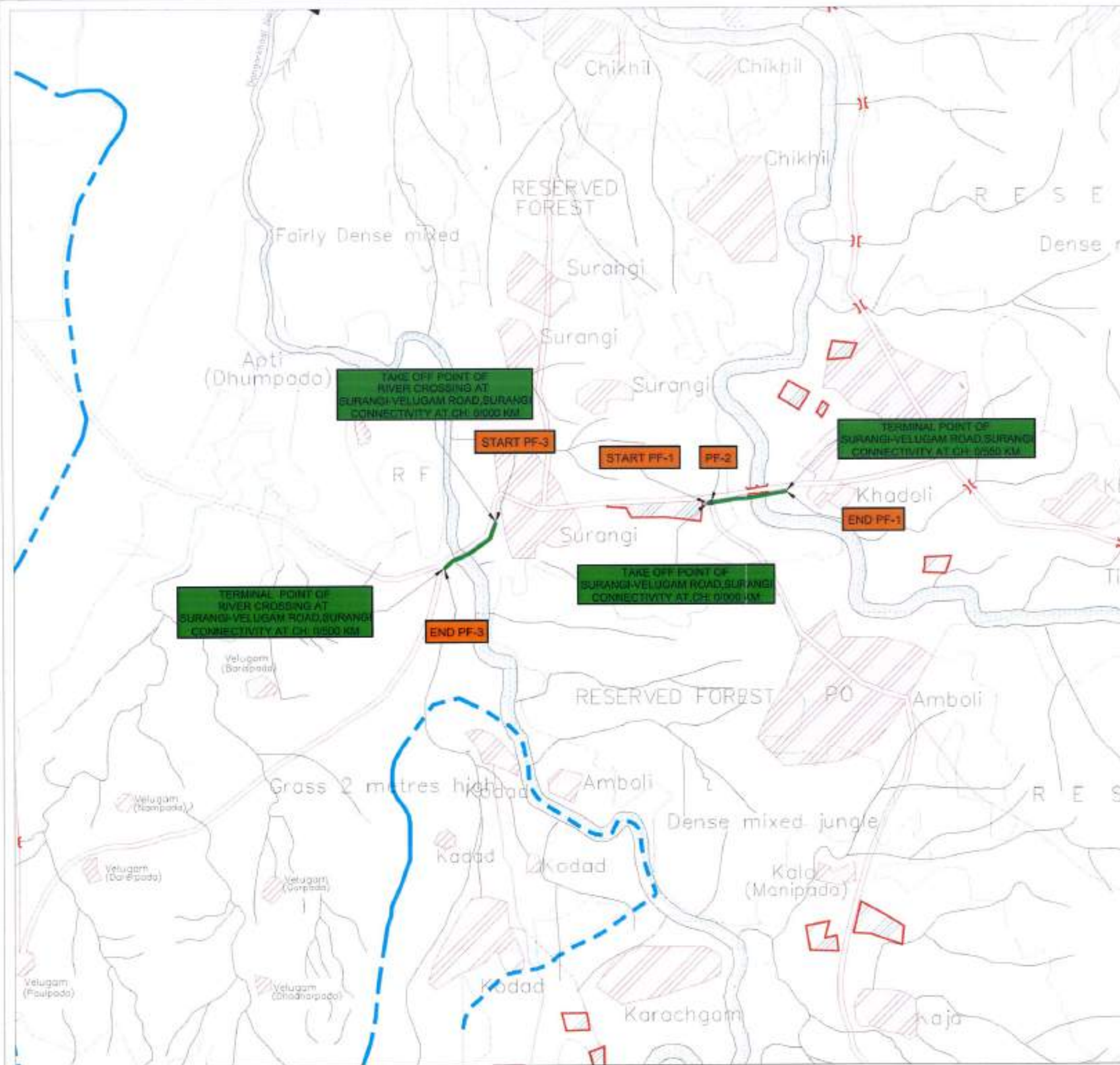
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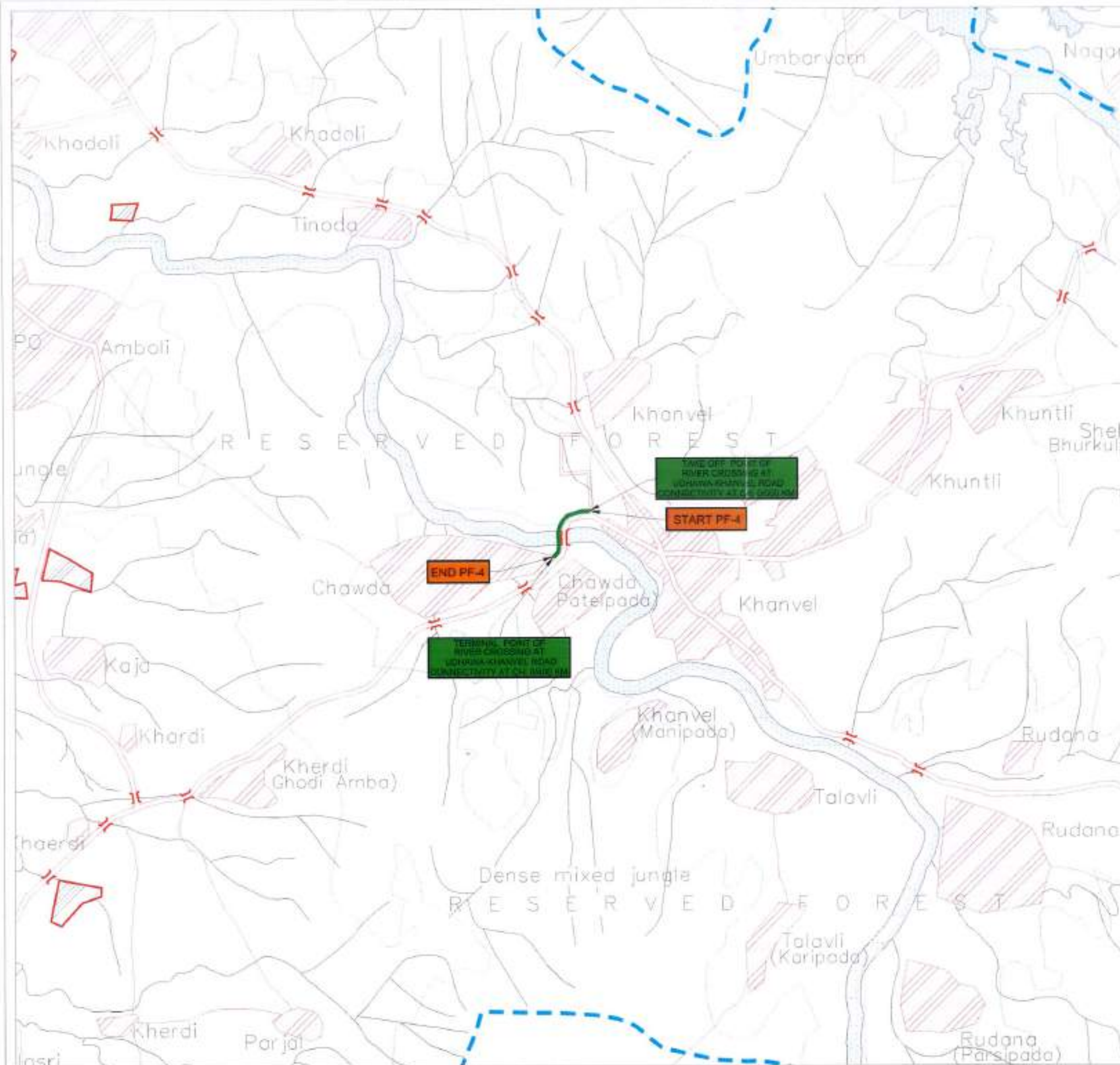
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SR.NO.	PF NO.	NAME OF PIPELINE CONNECTIVITY	LATITUDE	LONGITUDE
1	START PF-1	SURANGI-VELUGAM ROAD, SURANGI CONNECTIVITY	20° 8'17.80"N	73° 1'14.3"E
	END PF-1		20° 8'18.54"N	73° 1'20.04"E
2	PF-2		20° 8'18.10"N	73° 1'2.29"E
3	START PF-3	RIVER CROSSING AT SURANGI-VELUGAM ROAD, SURANGI CONNECTIVITY	20° 8'12.60"N	73° 0'8.19"E
	END PF-3		20° 8'23.03"N	72° 59'55.48"E

LEGEND:-

- PROPOSED PIPELINE WITHIN RF AREA
- PF CROSSING
- NATIONAL HIGHWAY/ASPHALTED ROAD

ISSUED FOR APPROVAL	WAPAL	SHV #		
REVISIONS	BY	CHKD	APPD	PROJ ENGR
CLIENT	 GUJARAT GAS LIMITED AHMEDABAD, GUJARAT			
SURVEY CONSULTANTS	 SECON PRIVATE LIMITED BANGALORE - 06			
TITLE	DETAILED ENGINEERING ROUTE MAP FOR DADRA AND NAGAR HAVELI GA SURANGI-VELUGAM ROAD, SURANGI CONNECTIVITY			
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GPS CO-ORDINATE OF PIPELINE WITH IN FOREST AREA

SR.NO.	PF NO.	NAME OF PIPELINE CONNECTIVITY	LATITUDE	LONGITUDE
4	START PF-4	RIVER CROSSING AT UDHAWA-KHANVEL ROAD CONNECTIVITY	20° 7'51.40"N	73° 3'47.59"E
	END PF-4	RIVER CROSSING AT UDHAWA-KHANVEL ROAD CONNECTIVITY	20° 7'41.98"N	73° 3'40.90"E



LEGEND:-

- PROPOSED PIPELINE WITHIN PF AREA
- ASPHALTED ROAD

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