## FORM - A

Form for seeking prior approval of Central Government under section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 198 for Diversion of fresh forest area

#### PART - I

(To be filled up by User Agency)

#### A. General Details

- A-1 Project Details
- (i). Proposal No.: FP/KL/WATER/18320/2016
- (ii). Name of Project for which Forest Land is required: Renovation of Existing Water Supply Schemes
- (iii). Short narrative of the proposal and Project/scheme for which the forest land is required: The existing 4 Kerala Water Authority schemes situated in Marayoor Sandal Divisional Forest Land have already transferred to Grama Panchayat as per Government Order which were constructed between 1965-1982. all these schemes have to be renovated for better use. the existing 2 checkdams in Kanni Rive
- (iv). State: Kerala
- (v). Category of the Project : Drinking Water
- (vi). Shape of forest land proposed to be diverted: Linear
- (vii). Estimated cost of the Project(Rupees in lacs): 1685000
- (viii). Total Area of Forest Land proposed for diversion(in ha.): 0.47
- (ix). Non-Forest Land required for this project(in ha.): 0.81
- (x). Total period for which the forest land is proposed to be diverted(in years): 2
- A-2. Details of User Agency
- (i). Name: LSGD MARAYOOR
- (ii). Address1: Marayoor Grama Panchayat Marayoor Idukki
- (iii). Address2: NIL
- (iv). State: Kerala

- (v). District : Idukki
- (vi). Pin: 685620
- (vii). Landmark: NIL
- (viii). Email address: marayoorgp@gmail.com
- (ix). Landline Telephone No.: 4865-252684
- (x). Fax No.: 4865-
- (xi). Mobile No.: 9446549791
- (xii). Website (if any): NIL
- (xiii). Details of Proposals seeking prior approval of Central Government under the Act for diversion of forest land submitted by the User Agency in the past

			List of	proposal submit	ted in Past		
S.no	Proposal Status.	Proposal No.	rile	Proposed for	Area Diverted(Ha.)	Date of In- Principle Approval	Date of Final Approval
	N	IL					

(xiv). Legal status of User Agency: State Government

- A-3. Details of Person Making Application
- (i). First Name: Francis
- (ii). Middle Name: NIL
- (iii). Last Name: AP
- (iv). Gender: Male
- (v). Designation: Secretary Marayoor GP
- (vi). Address 1: Marayoor Grama Panchayat Marayoor Idukki
- (vii). Address 2: NIL
- (viii). State: Kerala
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(xvii). Copy of documents in support of the competence/authority of the person making this application to make application on behalf of the User Agency:

# B. Details of land required for the Project

B- Details of proposal seeking prior approval of Central Government under the Act for 1. diversion of forest land for the Project already submitted in the past

- (i). Whether any proposal seeking prior approval of Central Government under the Act for diversion of forest land required for the project has been submitted in the past?.: No
- B-Details of forest land proposed to be diverted

## B-2.1 Details of Divisions involved

Details of Divisions involved			
S.no	Division Name	Forest Land(ha.)	Non-Forest Land(ha.)
1.	Marayoor	0.47	0.81

## B-2.2 Details of Districts involved

	Distric	t wise breakup	
S.no	District Name	Forest Land(ha.)	Non-Forest Land(ha.)
1.	Idukki	0.47	0.81

#### B-2.3 Village wise breakup

	· Villag	es wise breakup	
S.no	Village	Forest Land(ha.)	Non-Forest Land(ha.)
1	Marayoor	0.47	0.81

#### B-2.4 Component wise breakup

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S.no	Component	Forest Land(ha.)	Non-Forest Land(ha.)	
1	Checkdam	0.0022	0	
2	Replacing Pipeline	0.2	0.325	
3	Renovation of Tank	0.23	0.3072	

## C. Maps of forest land proposed to be diverted

Division 1. : Marayoor

(i). Area of forest land proposed to be diverted(in ha.): 0.47

(ii). : Linear

(b). No. of Segments: One

Segment wise details			
Segments	Segment Area(in ha.)	Kml File of Segments	
1.	0.47	View File	

(iii). Copy of Survey of India Toposheet indicating boundary of forest land proposed to be diverted:

(iv). Scanned copy of the Geo-referenced map of the forest land proposed to be diverted prepared by using GPS or Total Station:



# <u>D. Justification for locating the Project in forest land and details of alternatives examined:</u>

(i). Copy of note containing justification for locating the Project in forest land:



- (ii). Whether a copy of map indicating location of alternative examine is required to be provided: No
- (a). Reason for not providing such map NIL

# E. Employment likely to be generated

- (i). Whether the Project is likely to generate employment ?: No
- F. Displacement of People due to the Project, if any

- (i). Whether Project involves displacement?: No
- G. Details of Cost-Benefit analysis for the Project
  - (i). Whether the Project requires Cost-Benefit analysis?: Yes
    - (a). Copy of Cost-Benefit analysis:



- H. Status of Environmental Clearance
  - (i). Whether the Project requires Clearance under the Environment (Protection) Act 1986?
- I. Status of Wildelife Clearance
  - (i). Whether the Project or a part thereof is located in any Protected Area or their Eco sensitive zone? : No
- J. Applicability of special provisions governing Scheduled Areas
  - (i). Whether the Project or a part thereof is located in a Scheduled Area? : No
- K. Status of settlement of rights under the Forest Rights Act, 2006 on the forest land proposed to be diverted
  - (i). Whether the process for settlement of Rights under the Forest Rights Acts 2006 on the forest land proposed to be diverted has been completed? : No
- L. Details of land identified for Compensatory Afforestation
  - (i). Whether non-forest or Revenue forest land is required to be provided by User Agency?: Not Applicable
  - (ii). Whether the area of non-forest land or Revenue forest land required to be provided by User Agency for raising Compensatory Afforestation is less than area of forest land proposed to be diverted ?: Not Applicable
  - (iii) . Reason for not providing Non-Forest Land: Not Applicable

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#### 1. Project Details:

(I) Short narrative of the proposal and project/scheme for which the forest land is required:

The request drafted for the conversion of Forest Land to Non Forest purpose is for implementing Jalanidhi-rural water supply and sanitation project in Marayorgramam, Pattikkad and Marayor areas of Marayor Grama Panchayat. At present they collect their drinking water from Marayoorgramam water supply scheme implemented by Kerala Water Authority in 1965 which has to be repaired and maintained. The present source of this project is in Koodakkadu river which has to be renovated. The Filter and the collection Tanks near the source has to be renovated for the 1769 families living in the area. The 1769 families living here lack safe drinking water almost 6-8 months and during peak season they have to walk kilometers to fetch water. The project looks forward to repair and maintain source near Koodakkadu and pave pipelines from there to the tank near the source, which has to be reconstructed and as well lay pipeline from the source to the Tank at Marayoorgramam and distribution lines to the 667 households. The project is implemented by Marayoor Grama Panchayat through the Beneficiary groups formed from the beneficiaries of Marayoor.

- (I) Cost of the Project: 11814000
- (II) Justification for locating the project in forest area:

The jalanidhi water supply project is proposed for the 1769 families residing in marayoor area of marayoor Grama panchayat. The proposed project area comes under the rainshadow area where no other source of drinking water available due to the geographical features of marayoor. At present they collect water from Kerala Water Authority project implemented here. The project looks forward to the renovation of the same to assure adequate drinking water for the families.

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## **COST BENEFIT ANALYSIS**

Cost	Benefit
Total Cost: 11814000	Total No. of families Benefited:1769
Govt. Contribution:	
Grama Panchayat Contribution: Beneficiary Contribution:	Population Benefited: 6468
Land Required: the proposed work is the renovation of an existing water supply scheme	Coverage: At present only 364 Household taps and 120 public standposts are covered, where as the scheme is to provide 1769 house service connections.
No. of Trees Cut: Nill	The checkdam is to be renovated and thereby people as well as all the living beings can nourish with the water conserving in its reservoir area.
Displacement of Families: Nill	No families are adversely affected; instead 17 find a way to achieve their basic and prime need.
Violation of Environment Protection: Nill	No violation of environment protection, instead by the construction of checkdam the ground water level are to be increased.
Afforestation; Nill	No trees are cut and no form of deforestation occurs.

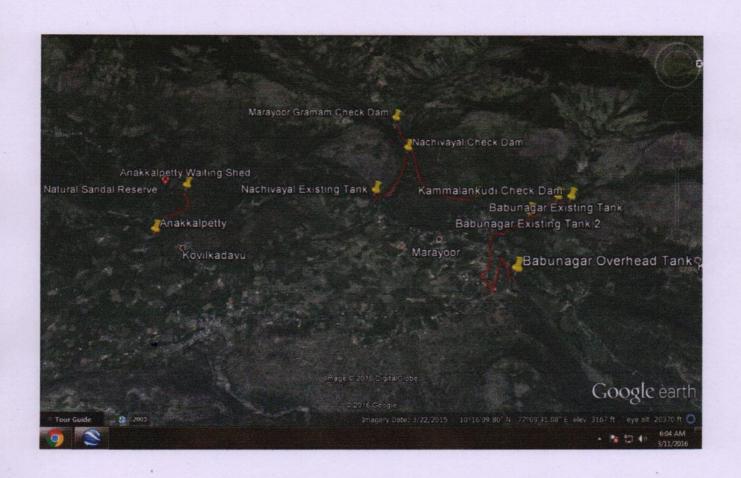


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