

Government of India
Ministry of Environment and Forests
(Forest Conservation Division)

Agenda for the Meeting of the Forest Advisory Committee to be Convened on
April 6th-7th, 2011

A. PROPOSALS DEALT BY SHRI H.C. CHAUDHARY, AIGF

Sl. No.	File no.	Name of the proposal	State	Area (ha)	Category	Page No.
1.	8-88/1998-FC (vol.)	Diversion of 447.811 ha. forest land (including 44.70 ha. Revenue Forest land already diverted) in favour of Ms/ Rungta Mines Ltd. for iron ore mining during 2 nd renewal of the mining lease located in Jajang, Bandhubera, Jaribahal and Palasa (ka) villages in Keonjhar district of Orissa.	Orissa	447.811	Mining	3-10
2.	8-13/2011-FC	Diversion of 66.294 hectare revenue forest land in favour of M/s. S.J.K. Powergen Limited for setting up of a thermal power plant in Lalpur village of Sohagpur Tehsil in Sahdol district of Madhya Pradesh.	Madhya Pradesh	66.294	Thermal	11-14
3.	8-49/2006-FC (vol.)	Prospecting of diamond at 143 additional locations in 2329.75 ha. forest land located in 18 compartments in Buxwaha Range in Chhatarpur district of Madhya Pradesh by M/s Rio Tinto Exploration India Private Limited	Madhya Pradesh	Nil	Mining	15-18
4.	8-28/1994-FC (pt.)	Change of land use for 9.85 ha. out of 29.85 ha. forest land diverted in favour of Singareni Collieries Company Limited for their Khairaguda Underground Mining Project	Andhra Pradesh	9.85	Mining	19-21
5.	8-132-2003-FC	Matter pertaining to suspension of the approval accorded under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for diversion of 110.87 ha. forest land in Kothaguda Reserve Forest in Ranga Reddy District of Andhra Pradesh in favour of Andhra Pradesh Forest Development Corporation (APFDC) Ltd. for execution of an Eco-Tourism Project	Andhra Pradesh	110.87	Eco-Tourism	22-30
6.	8-61/1999-FC	Collection of stone, boulders and other minor minerals from 1497 ha. area in river bed of Gola river for a period of ten years by the Uttrakhand Forest Development	Uttrakhand	1497.00	Mining	31-39

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		Corporation				
7.	8-61/1999-FC (pt.-III)	Renewal of the earlier approval accorded by the Central Government under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for collection of minor minerals from 384.69 ha. forest land located in river bed of Sharda river in Champawat district of Uttarakhand for a further period of 10 years	Uttarakhand	384.69	Mining	40-43
8.	8-61/1999-FC (pt.-I)	Renewal of the earlier approval accorded by the Central Government under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for collection of minor minerals from 254.00 ha. forest land located in river bed of Kosi river in Nainital district of Uttarakhand for a further period of 10 years	Uttarakhand	254.00	Mining	44-49
9.	8-61/1999-FC (pt.-II)	Renewal of the earlier approval accorded by the Central Government under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for collection of minor minerals from 223.00 ha. forest land located in river bed of Dabka river in Nainital district of Uttarakhand for a further period of 10 years	Uttarakhand	223.00	Mining	50-55
10.	8-35/2011-FC	Diversion of 121.854 ha. forest land in favour of Rail Vikas Nigam Limited for laying of New Obularipalli - Venkatachalam reach Broad Gauge Railways line from Km 22.4 to 36.5/43 to 43.5/47.8 & 80.7 to 84.5 in Reserved Forests of Nellore and Rajampet Divisions	Andhra Pradesh	121.854	Railways	56-63
11.	8-19/2011-FC	Diversion of 445 ha. forest land in favour of Andhra Pradesh Industrial Infrastructure Corporation Limited (APIIC), Hyderabad for establishment of a Pulp and Paper Industry in Kistagar Reserved Forest of Paloncha Forest Division in Khammam district of Andhra Pradesh by M/s. ITC Industries Ltd.	Andhra Pradesh	445.00 ha.	Industry	64-71

B. PROPOSALS DEALT BY SHRI UMAKANT, AIGF

Sl. No.	File No.	Name of the proposal	State	Area (ha)
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1.	8-24/2010 - FC	Diversion of 139.00 ha of forest land for Jitpur Open Cast Coal Mining project in favour of M/s. Jindal Steel & Power Limited in Godda Forest Division in Godda district of Jharkhand. (Deferred item)	Jharkhand	139.00
2.	8-37/2010-FC	Diversion of 371.07 ha of forest land for captive coal mining in Pachwara North block in favour of M/s Bengal Emta Coal Mines Limited in Pakur Forest Division in Pakur district of Jharkhand. (Deferred item)	Jharkhand	371.07
3.	8-81/2010-FC	Diversion of 79.56 ha of forest land for iron ore mining in East Bhanupratapur Forest Division in favour of M/s Monnet Ispat & Energy Limited in Kanker district of Chhattisgarh. (Deferred item)	Chhattisgarh	79.56
4.	8-72/2008-FC	(a) Diversion of 209.814 ha of forest land for construction of Railway line from Tori to Shivpur in the State of Jharkhand. (b) Diversion of 168.112 ha of forest land for the construction of Railway Line between Hazaribagh to Shivpur in the State of Jharkhand. (F. No. 8-106/2007-FC) (Deferred item)	Jharkhand	209.814 168.112
5.	8-30/2011-FC	Diversion of forest land for widening of NH-24 in districts Lakhimpur Khiri (32.35 ha), Hardoi (12.13 ha) and Bareilly (34.409) ha (Total 78.889 ha) of Uttar Pradesh.	Uttar Pradesh	78.889 ha
6.	8-90/2010-FC	Diversion of 494.1455 ha of forest land for construction of drinking water supply project for Thane Municipal Corporation on Shai River Project in Thane district of Maharashtra.	Maharashtra	494.1455
7.	8-202/87-FC	Diversion of 30 Sq. Km. of forest land for AIZWAL district for Serlui 'B' Hydrel Project, Mizoram	Mizoram	30 Sq. Km.
8.	8-22/2010-FC	Diversion of 196.75 ha of forest land for construction of road from NH-54 to Indo-Myanmar Border under Kaladan Multi-Modal Trade-Route in the State of Mizoram.	Mizoram	196.75 ha
9.	8-57/2010-FC(Vol. I)	Diversion of 29.382 ha of Sanctuary in Reserve Forest land for 400 KV/DC, Mundra-Vadavi, Mundra-Limadi and Mundra-Jetpur Electric line at Piprala S.N. 42 Pt Ta. Santalpur, Dist. Patan in favour of Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd., Mehsana in Mehsana District of Gujarat.	Gujarat	29.382 ha
10.	11-82/2011-FC	Complaint against the diversion proposal for construction of Upper Ganga Canal Expressway in violation of the Forest	Uttar Pradesh	

	8-88/2010-FC	(Conservation) Act, the Wildlife Protection Act and the Environment Protection Act. Diversion of 782.478 ha of forest land for construction of Upper Ganga Canal 8 lane Express-Way Project in districts Muzaffarnagar, Meerut, Ghaziabad, Gautam Budh Nagar and Bulandshahar, Uttar Pradesh.	Uttar Pradesh	782.478 ha
11.	F. No. 8-19/2009-FC	Diversion of 163.84 ha of forest land for establishment of Adani Power Project in Garada Village of Tiroda Taluka in District Gondia, Maharashtra.	Maharashtra	163.84 ha
12.	8-6/2009-FC	Diversion of 527.043 ha of forest land for coal mining from Hurra 'C' Mine Project located in Rajmahal area of Godda Forest Division in favour of M/s Eastern Coalfield Limited (ECL) in Godda district of Jharkhand.	Jharkhand.	527.043
13.	8-6/2011-FC	Diversion of 131.62 ha of forest land for construction of 220 KV D/C Lohardaga - Latehar - Daltonganj transmission line in favour of M/s Jharkhand State Electricity Board in Ranchi West & Latehar Forest Division in Lohardaga & Latehar district of Jharkhand.	Jharkhand.	131.62
14.	8-20/2011-FC	Prospecting and exploration over an area of 3.5 sq km in Mauza Seregarha & Ganeshpur coal block of North Karanpura coalfield in favour of M/s Seregarha Mines Limited in Latehar Forest Division in Latehar district of Jharkhand.	Jharkhand.	3.5 sq km

C. PROPOSALS DEALT BY SHRI RAJESH SHARMA, AIGF

Sl. No.	File No.	Name of the proposal	State	Area (ha)
1.	8-75/2010-FC	For reconsideration of earlier decision on diversion of 69.19 ha of forest land for upgradation & realigning of existing 2 lane road to 4/6-lane from Jaipur to Jhalawar of NH-12 in favour of M/s National Highway Authority of India (NHAI) in Bundi and Kota Forest Divisions of Rajasthan.	Rajasthan	69.19
2.	8-26/2010-FC	Diversion of 71.84 ha of forest land for construction of Trans Arunachal Highway (NH-52B) from Changlang-Khonsa road from 23.40 km to 67.42 km point in favor of PWD in Tirap district of Arunachal Pradesh.	Arunachal Pradesh	71.84
3.	8-23/2011-FC	Diversion of 78.45 ha of forest land for	Arunachal	78.45

		implementation of 96 MW Nafra Hydro Electric Project in favour of M/s Sew Nafra Piwer Corporation Private Limited in Bomdila Forest Division in West Kameng district of Arunachal Pradesh.	Pradesh	
4.	8-7/2011-FC	Diversion of 128.099 ha of forest land for strengthening and widening of NH-77 i.e. Muzaffarpur-Sonbarsi road (Km 00 to 89) of 89.00 Km road in Muzaffarpur and Sitamadhi district of Bihar.	Bihar	128.099
5.	8-25/2011-FC	Diversion of 44.02 ha of forest land for widening /up-gradation of Saharsa-Supol Marg, Supol Singheswar Asthan Marg, Sonbaarsa-Bajnathpur Marg in district Saharsa, Supol and Madhepura in Bihar (Total 85.00 Km).	Bihar	44.02
6.	8-43/2011-FC	Diversion of 75.304 ha of forest land for construction of 180 MW Bajoli- Holi Hydro Electric Project in favour of GMR Bajoli Holi Hydro Power Pvt. Ltd in Bharmour Forest Division in Chamba district of Himachal Pradesh.	Himachal Pradesh	75.304
7.	-	Any other matter with the permission of the chair	-	-
