

FORM-B

Form for seeking prior approval under Section-2 of the proposals by the State Governments and other authorities in respect of renewal of leases, which have been earlier granted clearance under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980

PART-I

A. General Details

A-1 Project Details

1. Name of Project for which Forest Land is required.
2. Short narrative of the proposal and Project/scheme for which the forest land is required
3. State
4. Category of the Project (*Borehole Prospecting, Defence, Dispensary/Hospital, Disputed Settlement Claims, Drinking Water, Encroachments, Forest Village Conversion, Hydel, Irrigation, Mining, Railway, Rehabilitation, Road, School, Thermal, Transmission Line, Village Electricity, Wind Power, Industry, Quarrying, Others*)
5. Shape of project land proposed to be diverted (*Linear, Non-linear and Hybrid*)
6. Estimated cost of the Project (*In Lacs*)
7. Total period for which the forest land proposed to be diverted (in years) (*Optional*)
8. Total Area of Forest Land proposed for diversion (*In Hectares*)
9. Non-Forest Land required for this Project (*In Hectares*)

A-1 Details of User Agency

1. Name (*Auto Fill*)
2. Address1 (*Auto Fill*)
3. Address2 (*Auto Fill*)
4. State (*Auto Fill*)
5. District (*Auto Fill*)
6. Pin (*Auto Fill*)
7. Landmarks (*Auto Fill*)
8. Email Address (*Auto Fill*)
9. Landline Telephone No (*Auto Fill*)
10. Fax No. (*Auto Fill*)
11. Mobile No. (*Auto Fill*)
12. Website (if any) (*Auto Fill*)
13. Legal status of User Agency (*Central Govt., State Govt., Central PSU, State PSU, Joint Venture (Pvt. + Govt.), Private, others*)

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.

A-2 Details of Person Making Application

1. First Name (*Auto Fill*)
2. Middle Name (*Auto Fill*)
3. Last Name (*Auto Fill*)
4. Gender (*Auto Fill*)
5. Designation (*Auto Fill*)
6. Address 1 (*Auto Fill*)
7. Address 2 (*Auto Fill*)
8. State (*Auto Fill*)
9. District (*Auto Fill*)

10. Pin *(Auto Fill)*
11. Landmarks *(Auto Fill)*
12. Email Address. *(Auto Fill)*
13. Landline Telephone No *(Auto Fill)*
14. Fax No *(Auto Fill)*
15. Mobile No *(Auto Fill)*
16. Upload a copy of documents in support of the competence/authority of the person making this application to make application on behalf of the User Agency *(pdf only)*

A-3 Details of approvals under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 accorded in the past

1. Proposal No
2. MoEF File No
3. Area of forest land diverted
4. Period of diversion
5. Date of approval

A-4 Status of compliance to conditions stipulated in the previous approvals

1. Proposal No
2. MoEF File No
3. Conditions stipulated by the MoEF
4. Details of the compliance

A-5 Details of payments made in respect of the approval under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 accorded in the past

1. Proposal No
2. MoEF File No
3. Item/Nature
4. Amount paid (in Rupees)
5. Date of Payment

A-6 Details of the forest land returned back to the State Forest Department or any other Authority from the forest land diverted in favour of the user agency

1. Whether a part of the forest land diverted in favour of the user agency has been returned to the State Forest Department or any other Authority? (Yes/No)
 - a. If yes, then,
 - i. No. of patches of the forest land returned /surrendered
 - ii. Area of the forest land returned/surrendered

A-7 Details of the forest land proposed to be returned/surrendered to the State Forest Department or any other Authority from the forest land diverted in favour of the user agency

1. Whether a part of the forest land diverted in favour of the user agency is proposed to be returned/ surrendered to the State Forest Department or any other Authority at the time of renewal of the lease? (Yes/No)
 - a. If yes, then,
 - i. No. of patches of the forest land proposed to be returned /surrendered
 - ii. Area of the forest land proposed to be returned /surrendered

A-8 Details of Transfer of Lease, if any

1. Name of the original lessee agency at the time of grant/previous renewal of the lease
2. Address of the original lessee agency at the time of grant/previous renewal of the lease
3. Whether the lease was transferred from the original lessee agency at the time of grant/previous renewal of the lease to any other firm/person? (Yes/No)

a. If yes, then,

Details of transfer of lease from the original user agency lessee to the current lessee in the chronological order

1. Name of the firm or person in whose favour the lease was transferred
2. Address of the firm or person in whose favour the lease was transferred
3. Date of transfer of lease
4. Upload a copy of the order of competent authority under MMDR Act, 1958 for transfer of lease (*pdf only*)
5. Upload a copy of the transfer deed (*pdf only*)
6. Whether the approval under the forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for transfer of lease has been obtained? (Yes/No)

a. If yes, then,

i. MoEF File No

ii. Date of approval

iii. Upload a copy of the MoEF approval (*pdf only*)

B. Details of Land required for the Project

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

1. Whether any proposal seeking prior approval of Central Government under the Act for diversion of forest land required for this project has been submitted in the past? (Yes/No)
 - a. If yes, then,

| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | Proposal Status | Proposal No. | Proposal Name | MoEF File No. | Area Proposed for Diversion (Ha.) | Area Diverted (Ha.) | Date of In-Principle Approval | Date of Final Approval |
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B-1 Details of forest land proposed to be diverted

1. No. of Divisions (Nos.)

B-2.1 Division wise details of land

1. Division Name
2. Forest Land (In Hectares)
3. Non-Forest Land (In Hectares)

B-2.2 Details of Districts involved

1. No. of Districts (Nos.)

District wise breakup

1. District Name

2. Forest Land (*In Hectares*)
3. Non-Forest Land (*In Hectares*)

B-2.3 Village wise breakup (Note: Multiple entries of villages allowed)

1. Village Name
2. Forest Land (*In Hectares*)
3. Non-Forest Land (*In Hectares*)

B-2.4 Component wise breakup (Note: Multiple entries of Component allowed)

If, shape of project land proposed to be diverted is **Linear**, then

Component wise linear breakup (Note: 1Km square=100ha.)

1. **Forest Land Details**
 - a. Component
 - b. Length (*In Km*)
 - c. Width (*In Km*)
 - d. Area (*In Hectares*)

2. **Non-Forest Land Details**
 - a. Component
 - b. Length (*In Km*)
 - c. Width (*In Km*)
 - d. Area (*In Hectares*)

If, shape of project land proposed to be diverted is **Non-Linear**, then, Component wise Non-Linear breakup

- a. Component
- b. Forest Land (*In Hectares*)
- c. Non-Forest Land (*In Hectare*)

If, shape of project land proposed to be diverted is **Hybrid**, then, provide the details of Component wise Non-Linear and Linear breakup as above.

C. Maps of forest land proposed to be diverted (Note: Multiple entries of division wise patches are allowed.)

1. Division name
2. Area (*In Hectare*)

If, shape of project land proposed to be diverted is Non-Linear, then, Enter Patch wise details

1. Select No. of Patches
 - a. Area of Patch (*In Hectares*)
 - b. Upload KML File (*kml format only*)
2. Upload a copy of Survey of India Toposheet indicating boundary of forest land proposed to be diverted (*pdf only*)
3. Upload a scanned copy of the Geo-referenced map of the forest land proposed to be diverted prepared by using DGPS or Total Station (*pdf only*)

If, shape of project land proposed to be diverted is **Linear**, then, Enter Segment wise details

1. Select No. of Segment
 - a. Area of Segment (*In Hectares*)
 - b. Upload KML File (*kml format only*)
2. Upload a copy of Survey of India Toposheet in 1:50,000 scale indicating boundary of forest land proposed to be diverted (*pdf only*)
3. Upload a scanned copy of the Geo-referenced map of the forest land proposed to be diverted prepared by using DGPS or Total Station (*pdf only*)

If, shape of project land proposed to be diverted is **Hybrid**, then, Enter both Patch and Segment wise details as above.

D. Justification for locating the Project in forest land and details of alternates examined

1. Upload a copy of note containing justification for locating the Project in forest land (*pdf only*)
2. Whether a copy of map indicating location of alternative examined is required to be provided (Yes/No)
 - a. If yes, then, '**Upload a copy of map indicating location of alternative examined**'.
 - b. If No, then '**Enter reason for not providing such map**'

E. Employment likely to be generated

1. Whether project is likely to generate employment? (Yes/No)
 - a. If yes, then,
 - i. Permanent/Regular Employment (*Number of persons*)
 - ii. Temporary Employment (*Number of person-days*)

F. Displacement of People due to the project, if any

1. Whether project involves displacement? (Yes/No)
 - a. If yes, then,
 - i. Total Number of Families
 - ii. Number of Scheduled Caste families
 - iii. Number of Scheduled Tribes families
 - iv. Number of other families
 - v. Upload a copy of Rehabilitation and Resettlement Plan (*pdf only*)
 - vi. Upload a copy of approval of Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Government of India to Rehabilitation and Resettlement plan (**Note : If, Number of Scheduled Tribes families greater than 0**)

G. Details of Cost-Benefit analysis for the Project

1. Whether the Project requires Cost-Benefit analysis? (Yes/No)
 - a. If yes, then, '**Upload a copy of Cost-Benefit analysis**'

H. Status of Environmental Clearance

1. Whether, the Project requires Clearance under the Environment (Protection) Act 1986 (Yes/No)?
 - a. If yes, then,
 - i. Status of the Environmental Clearance to the Project (*EC Obtained, under process, application yet to be submitted etc.*)

I. Status of Wildlife Clearance

1. Whether, the Project or a part thereof is located in any Protected Area or their Eco sensitive zone? (Yes/No)
 - a. If yes, then,
 - i. Whether Project or a part thereof is located within a Protected Area? (Yes/No)
 - A. If yes, then,
 - a. Status of approval of the Supreme Court (*Approval obtained, under consideration, Application yet to be filled*)
 - ii. Status of approval of the Standing Committee of National Board for the Wildlife(NBWL) to the Project
 - a. Status of NBWL (*Approval obtained, under consideration, Application yet to be filled*)

J. Applicability of special provisions governing Scheduled Areas

1. Whether the Project or a part thereof is located in a Scheduled Area (Yes/No)?

K. Status of settlement of rights under the Forest Rights Act,2006 on the forest land proposed to be diverted

1. Whether the process for settlement of Rights under the Forest Rights Acts 2006 on the forest land proposed to be diverted has been completed?
 - a. If yes, then,
 - i. Upload a copy of documentary evidence in support of settlement of rights under the Forest Rights Act,2006 on the forest land proposed to be diverted (*pdf only*)

L. Details of land identified for Compensatory Afforestation

1. Whether non-forest or Revenue forest land is required to be provided by User Agency? (Yes/No)
 - a. If yes, then,
 - i. Select No. of patches
 - ii. No. of districts involved for raising Compensatory Afforestation

Patch wise details

1. District
 2. Enter Village
 3. Area (*In hectare*)
 4. Upload KML file (*.kml only*)
 5. Enter khasra details
 6. Present owner
 7. Upload a scanned copy of the map of the land identified for creation of Compensatory Afforestation prepared by using GPS or Total Station (*pdf only*)
 8. Upload a copy of Survey of India Toposheet in 1:50,000 scale indicating location of the land identified for creation of Compensatory Afforestation (*pdf only*)
- b. If No, then
 - i. Reason for not providing Non-Forest Land

2. 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? (Yes/No)
 - a. If yes, then,
 - i. Provide reasons thereof
 - ii. Area of non-forest or Revenue forest land required to be provided by User Agency for raising Compensatory Afforestation

M. Mining Details

M-1 Details of grant/renewal of mining lease in the past

1. Period
 2. Date of grant/renewal of the mining lease
 3. Designation of authority for grant of the mining lease
 4. Upload a copy of the order for grant of the mining lease
 5. Date of execution of the lease deed
 6. Upload a copy of the lease deed
- (i) Nature and quantity of mineral actually extracted from the forest and non-forest land located in the mining lease vis-a-vis the qty. of each mineral proposed for extraction at the time of the grant/renewal of previous lease
1. Mineral
 2. Qty. of ore proposed to be extracted during the lease period(million tonnes)
 - i. Forest land
 - ii. Non-forest land
 3. Qty. of ore actually extracted during the lease period(million tonnes)
 - i. Forest land
 - ii. Non-forest land
- (ii) Whether application under the Mineral Concession Rules, 1960 for renewal of the mining lease has been submitted?
- a. If yes, then,
 - i. Date of submission of application

Details of area proposed to be renewed

1. Area of forest land proposed to be renewed (*In Hectare*)
2. Area of non-forest land proposed to be renewed (*In Hectare*)
3. Total area proposed to be renewed (*In Hectare*)
4. Status of application? (*Under consideration at State Government, Agreed in principal of renewal, Agreed for renewal and Rejected*)

M-2 Details of Mining Plan

1. Date of approval of mining plan
2. Approval authority
3. Upload a copy of approval of mining plan (*pdf only*)
4. Upload a copy of approved mining plan (*pdf only*)
5. Nature of mining (*underground/opencast*)
6. Upload a copy of map of the outer boundary of mining lease area (*pdf only*)
7. Upload a copy of the detailed land use plan in 1:4,000 scale prepared by using DGPS or Total Station (*.kml only*)

M-3 Details of prospecting undertaken to assess mineral reserves

1. Whether detailed prospecting to assess mineral reserve in the lease has been undertaken? (Yes/No)
 - a. If yes, then,
 - i. Designation of authority responsible for grant of the original prospecting licence
 - ii. Date of grant of prospecting licence
 - iii. Period of validity of extension prospecting licence From date
 - iv. To Date
 - v. Upload a copy of the prospecting licence

M-4 Details of extension (if any) of original prospecting licence issued in the past

1. Whether extension of original prospecting licence was extended? (Yes/No)
 - a. If yes, then,
 - vi. Designation of authority responsible for extension of the prospecting licence
 - vii. Date of extension of prospecting licence
 - viii. Extension of validity of prospecting licence From date
 - ix. To Date
 - x. Upload a copy of the approval accorded for extension of the prospecting licence

M-5 Brief details of prospecting activities undertaken in the mining lease

1. Details of prospecting activity under taken in the mining lease

M-5.1 Details of bore holes drilled for prospecting

1. In forest land
 - a. No. of Bore holes
 - b. Diameters (*inch*)
2. In non-forest land
 - a. No. of Bore holes
 - b. Diameters (*inch*)

M-5.2 Estimated Reserve along with accuracy and confidence level

1. Mineral
 - a. Mineral
2. Estimated Reserve in forest land
 - a. Estimated Reserve (*million tonnes*)
 - b. % accuracy (+ -)
 - c. % confidence level
3. Estimated Reserve in non-forest land
 - a. Estimated Reserve (*million tonnes*)
 - b. % accuracy (+ -)
 - c. % confidence level

M-6 Details of approval under the Forest(Conservation) Act,1980 obtained for undertaking prospecting activities in the forest land located in the mining lease

1. Whether approval under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for undertaking prospecting activities in the forest land located in the mining lease have been obtained? (Yes/No)
 - a. If yes, then,
 - i. Date of approval
 - ii. Area of forest land diverted (*In Hectares*)
 - iii. Period of validity of approval From Date
 - iv. To Date
 - v. Upload a copy of the approval accorded by the MoEF (*pdf only*)

M-7 Mineral wise details

1. Number of minerals
2. Minerals (*Aluminium, Copper, Bauxite etc.*)
3. Estimated reserve in non-forest land (*million tonnes*)
4. Estimated reserve in forest land (*million tonnes*)
5. Proposed annual extraction (*million tonnes*)
6. Estimated life of mine (*years*)
7. Total Proposed extraction during mining lease period (*million tonnes*)
8. Estimated mineral reserve at the end of mining lease (*million tonnes*)

Proposed use of the minerals to be raised from the mining lease

1. Proposed use of the minerals proposed to be raised from the mining lease (*Capacitive, Non- Capacitive, Capacitive + Non Capacitive*)
2. Upload a copy note containing details of the plan for the transportation of the minerals proposed to be raised from the mining lease (*pdf only*)

M. Irrigation and Hydel Details (If Category of Proposal is Irrigation or Hydel)

1. Installed power generation capacity of the project (*in MW*)
 - a. If Installed power generation capacity of the project is greater than 9 then
 - i. Upload a copy of the approval of competent authority to the Catchment Area Treatment Plan (CAT Plan) (*pdf only*)
 - ii. Upload a copy of the approved CAT plan (*pdf only*)
- Total command area of the project (*In Hectares*)

Additional Information (if any) (Note: Multiple entries allowed)

1. Upload Additional Information (*pdf only*)
2. Remarks