

PROJECT CONCEPT NOTE

(ID no. 307)

1	Name of Project	“Reforestation of severely degraded landmass” in Khammam District of Andhra Pradesh, India under ITC Social Forestry Project by M/s ITC.
2.	Location of the Project (Village / District / State)	Khammam District of Andhra Pradesh
3.	Brief Description of the Project	Under this project, the 4773 Ha private wastelands owned by rural poor (tribals) is developed for raising plantations with eucalyptus. The identified NGO grouped the tribal beneficiaries into a Sangha (User Groups / Society) for taking up the project who plant and maintain the plantations. The ITC provides quality planting stock, free extension service to the beneficiaries apart from financing the entire project activity. ITC will buy back the wood at market price and the entire proceeds of wood sale will be given to the Sangha, who in turn meet their economic needs and sustainably manage the plantations apart from developing new plantations.
4.	Estimate of GHG abatement in tCO ₂ eq.	402038
5.	Host Country Approval Status	Approved
6.	Project Owner / Proponent	ITC Ltd.-Paper boards and specialty papers division, 106, Sardar Patel Road, ITC Bhadrachalam House Secunderabad, Andhra Pradesh 500003. Contact Person: Mr. Pradeep Dhobale, MD, CEO
7.	Baseline Methodology	AR-AM0001, Reforestation of degraded land
8.	Project Start date	2001
9.	Project completion date	2030