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SITE INSPECTION REPORT OF PROJECT ELDA of ONGC by CF, EAC, JORHAT

The proposed development of Project – ELDA of ONGC is located inside Doyang Reserve Forest under Jamuguri Range was inspected by the undersigned and ONGC Officers, Chinnamora, Jorhat on 30-08-2019 and report thereof furnished as under:

The diversion area is 1.95 ha (ELAA) was received on 2002 is open Forest inside Doyang Reserve Forest. During my inspection no rare/endangered/unique species of flora and fauna was found in the area. The proposed development proposal is non linear project. Development & Drilling of new well ELDA is within existing site of ELAA. No extra land is required for development & drilling new well. Forest Clearance for existing well ELAA is already available and the land is still in use by ONGC. Total period for which the forest land diverted is 15 years.

There is no presence of wildlife in and around the forest land. The proposed site is not a part of National Park, Wildlife Sanctuary, Biosphere Reserve, Tiger Reserve, Elephant Corridor, Wildlife Migration Corridor etc. The proposed diversion site is not located within Eco-Sensitive Zone of the Protected Area notified under Wildlife (Protection) Act. 1972 and no water body seen in and around the proposed site.

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