

## INSPECTION REPORT OF THE PCCF, WESTERN CIRCLE, BANDERDEWA IN RESPECT OF THE PROPOSAL FOR 132 KV DC TRANSMISSION LINE FROM BISWANATH CAHRIALI TO ITANAGAR IN ARUNACHAL PRADESH

The site proposed for 132 KV DC Transmission Line from Biswanath Chariali to Itanagar was inspected by the undersigned on 07.08.2018 alongwith DFO Banderdewa, other officers and officials of the forest department and the representatives of the user agency. Observations are as follows —

- (1) The project proposal is for 132 KV DC Transmission Line from Biswanath Chariali to Itanagar, which falls between Hollongi to Chimpu in Papumpare District in Aruanchal Pradesh.
- (2) The entire length of the transmission line falls within Drupong RF of Banderdewa Forest Division.
- (3) The area proposed for the project consists of forest cover of varied density.
- (4) Important tree species in the area includes *Terminalia myriocarpa, Castanopsis indica,*Altingia excels, Duabanga grandiflora.
- (5) No endangered species of flora or fauna could be noticed in the area during the site inspection.
- (6) No archaeological or other important defence establishment etc. is there.
- (7) No activity was found to have been taken up by the User Agency in violation of FC Act 1980 in the proposed area.
- (8) Some photographs showing the forest cover in the area proposed for diversion are enclosed.

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