INSPECTION REPORT:

The undersigned accompanied along with the Range Forest Officer, Southern Range, inspected the site on 25.03.2022 and details of inspection report is as under:

1. Legal status of the forest land for diversion

: Private Deemed Forest.

2. Item wise break up details of forest land

: The Mawphu Hydro Electric Project, Stage- II with installed capacity of 85 MW (2 x 42.5 MW) envisages utilization of the water of the river Umiew for power development on a run-of-river type development

3. Whether proposal involves construction of Buildings (including residential).

: Yes

4. Total cost of project at present rate

: Rs 94017 lacs

5. Whether forest area proposed for diversion is important for Wildlife point of view

: No

Vegetation.

6. a) Total No. of trees to be felled

: 2327 nos

b) Effect of removal of trees on general eco system in the area.

: No

Important species:-

 a) Number of trees to be felled of girth below 60 cm : 1593 nos

 b) Number of trees to be felled of girth above 60 cm : 734 nos

7. Back ground note of the project

: The project proposal is related to construction of Mawphu Hydro Electric Project, Stage- II with installed capacity of 85 MW (2 x 42.5 MW) envisages utilization of the water of the river Umiew for power development on a run-of-river type development.

- 8. Compensatory Afforestation .
- a) Compensatory afforestation is suitable from plantation and management point of view
- : Yes, at Nongumiang for an area of 22 Ha.
- b) Whether land for compensatory afforestation is free from encroachment circumstances
- : Yes.
- c) Whether land for compensatory is important from religion archeological point of view :-
- : N/A.
- d) Whether land identified for compensatory afforestation is single patch or compact:-
- : 2 patch.

Map with details

: KML enclosed

f) Total financial outlay

: Rs 3,91,94,764/-

9. Whether proposal involves violation of F.C. Act: No. 1980 or not. If yes, a detailed report on violation including action taken against the concerned officials.

10. Whether proposal involves rehabilitation of disposal persons

: N/A.

11. Reclamation plan. Details and financial allocation

: No.

12. Details of catchment and command area under the project. Catchment area treatment plan to prevent siltation of reservoir : No

13. Cost of benefit ratio

: Enclosed

14. Recommendation of the Principal Conservator of Forests /State Government

15. Recommendations of Regional Chief Conservator of Forests along with detail reasons.

16. Regional Chief Conservator of Forests shall give detailed comment on whether there are any alternative route/alignment for locating the project on non-forest land

17. Utility of the project

: The project proposal is related to construction of Mawphu Hydro Electric Project, Stage- II with installed capacity of 85 MW (2 x 42.5 MW) envisages utilization of the water of the river Umiew for power development on a run-of-river type development.

18. i) Whether land being diverted has any Socio-Cultural/religion value

: No.

ii) Whether any sacred grove or very old grown trees/forest exist in the area proposed for diversion

: No.

iii) Whether the land under diversion forms

: No.

part of unique eco- system.

 Situation with respect to any protected area (Wildlife Sanctuary/ National Park/Project Tiger/Project-Elephant/bio-diversity Reserved)

: No.

20. Any other information.

: None.

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