

### Specific Recommendation

The proposal No. FP/AS/MIN/139315/2021 for development of ELAJ drilling site is located inside Doyang Reserved forest under Golaghat Division. On the directions of the undersigned it was inspected by Sri Rubul Pathak AFS, DCF, O/o the Conservator of Forests, Eastern Assam Circle, Jorhat on behalf of the undersigned along with the DFO, Golaghat Division and User Agency authorized official Sri Munindra Das, GM(D), I/C LAQ ONGC, Jorhat on 27-05-2022.

The proposed diversion area is 2.2091 Ha. During the inspection of the site it was observed that the proposed area is devoid of any forest cover. There are people in the vicinity who apparently practice agriculture in the said area. The proposed site is neither a part of any protected area nor falls within eco-sensitive zone of any wildlife sanctuary within Assam.

The proposal is a non-linear project. The project aims to develop and drill new oil and gas well as per the proposal within the boundary of this area.

The proposal is recommended subject to the condition that necessary biodiversity and management interventions as directed by the forest department will be strictly implemented so as to cause minimal disturbance to the wildlife and to mitigate man animal conflict and to conserve biodiversity around the proposed area.

Circle Incharge  
Eastern Assam Circle, Jorhat

Date: 04-06-2022

Place: Jorhat