SITE INSPECTION REPORT IN RESPECT OF THE LAND DIVERSION PROPOSAL RECEIVED VIDE STATE SERIAL No. FP/TR/Other/18888/ 2016

The site inspection of the forest land proposal for diversion was done on 18/08/2022 along with official from Forest Department, Revenue Department and representative of the User Agency.

The observations were recorded as follows:-

- 1. The site inspection of the land involved in the proposal has been done on dated 18/08/2022 by the District Forest Officer South Tripura Belonia of Shri Chaman Lal, IFS and by the undersigned on dated 17th November 2022 at forenoon.
- 2. On inspection of the site, it is found that the land required by the User Agency is a forest measuring 1.368 ha (3.379 Acre).
- 3. The requirement of forest land as proposed by the user agency in col.2 of Part I is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project.
- 4. The forest land proposed for the diversion is located within the forest boundary under Bagafa Sub-Division.
- 5. There is no significant wildlife present in the area. However, fow bird species have been reported in the area and observed duly field visit.
- 6. The area does not form part of National Park, Wildlife Sanctuary, Biosphere reserve, Tiger reserve, elephant Corridor etc. the nearest distance of the Trishna Wildlife Sanctuary form the proposed land for diversion is more than 21.76 km from the boundary of Trishna Wildlife Sanctuary and more than 20.71 km from the boundary of Eco-Sensitive Zone of the Sanctuary.
- 7. The density of the vegetation is about 0.3% mostly shrubs.
- 8. No endangered/Unique species of flora and fauna have been reported in the area.
- 9. The area has no protected archaeological/heritage site and there is no defence establishment.
- 10. There are no important religious sites.
- 11. No work in violation of the Act has been carried out so far.

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