Field inspection notes of Sri K. Damodar Reddy, Forest Divisional Officer, Wildlife Management, Kinnerasani on 12.03.2019.

Accompanied by the Forest Range Officers and staff concerned inspected the forest areas proposed for diversion for laying of Optical Fiber Cable by Reliance Jio Infocomm Limited along the roads connecting Pinapaka and Allapally, Allapally and Chandralagudem & Palvancha and Punukuduchelka passing through the Markode RF & extension RF, Allapally RF and Chatakonda RF and made the following observations.

The proposed area forms part of Kinnerasani Wildlife Sanctuary notified U/s 26-A of Wildlife (Protection) Act, 1972, vide G.O.Ms.No. 54, EFS & T (For. III) Dept., Dt: 15.04.1999.

The terrain of the area is almost plain and moderate slope and as such the area is slightly vulnerable to erosion. The canopy density of the vegetation is above 0.4 consists of species Billudu (Chloroxylon swietenia), Chirumanu (Anogeisus latifolia), Chennangi (Lagerstroemia lanceolata), Bandaru (Adina cardfolia), Tuniki (Diospyros melanoxylon), Pala (Wrightia tinctoria), Kodisha (Cleistanthus collinus), Bojja (Xylia xylocarpa), Ippa (Maduca indica) etc.

There are no rare / endangered unique species of flora found in the area. However, an endangered unique species of fauna i.e, Indian Bison is found in the area.

There are no protected archaeological / heritage site / defense establishment or any other important monument located in the area.

The requirement of Forest Land as proposed by the user agency is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project. No work in violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 is carried out by the user agency.



Date: 12.03.2019. Place: Palvancha.

Forest Divisional Officer, Wildlife Management, Kinnerasani.