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SITE INSPECTION REPORT

Sub: Electrification of Kayattuva and Thodakkayam Colonies, Vengoor, Paniyeli- reg.

Inspected the site on 18.01.2017 the proposal is laying underground cables through forest areas to provide electricity connection from Kayattuva to Thodakkayam colony. The total forest area involved is 0.006 Ha only. The proposed area comes under Mekkapala Forest Station of Kodanad Range under Malayattoor Forest Division. There are 23 families residing in this area without any electricity connection. On verification the proposed site is 1983 teak plantation with no major under growth. There is no sign of any major animals residing or using this area frequently. Similarly there is no endangered or endemic species found in this area. Through interaction with local people and staff, the area is occasionally used by the Sambar deer and Wild boar. The proposal is laying underground cables for electrification purpose; hence it is very safe for wildlife. On verification the selected alignment is the shortest route selected by the user agency and there is no other suitable route avoiding the forest area. This area is not form of any protected area, tiger reserve or major wildlife corridor. Hence the proposal may be considered positively.

Yours Faithfully,


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