## SITE INSPECTION REPORT OF DIVISIONAL FOREST OFFICER, NORTH KAMRUP DIVISION, RANGIA

I, Divisional Forest Officer, North Kamrup Division, Rangia have inspected the proposed area of 5.4 hectare forest land for Gopeswar Stone Quarry & Mining Zone Area GopeswarReserve Forest under Sila Range, North Kamrup Division, Rangia. (Forest Clearance Proposal No. FP/AS/QRY/37021/2018) on dated 06/12/2022. applied by the Sri Fatik Das (LOI Holder) accompanied by Range Forest officer, Sila Range.

The proposed area identified for stone mahal area is totally barren and degraded land having no tree growth except some shrubs. The identified area is located just on the periphery of the reserved forest area having good stock of minor minerals and in the past extraction had been done.

The proposed site is not part of any protected area and not included in archaeological/heritage site. During my inspection, I found no rare or endangered, or unique species of flora and fauna in the proposed area.

Divisional Forest Officer North Kamrup Division. Rangia