RECCOMENDATION REPORT OF DIVISIONAL FOREST OFFICER, JAINTIA HILLS TERRITORIAL, DIVISION.

(For the deemed forest land for the project "Construction of Loop In Section of 132kV/DC MLHEP-Khliehriat at Mynkre" to be diverted under FCA, 1980)

The project is unavoidable due to location of 132 kv Mynkre substation. The forest area involved is 4.85 ha. which is the least diversion possible. This being a linear project any alteration of the same requires more diversion of forest area. The Proposed line being an integral part of the main project (North Eastern Region Power System Improvement Project) which aims at improvement of transmission/distribution network in East Jaintia Hills District for better and uninterrupted power availability.

Presently, there are no violations of FCA, 1980 in the project site. The proposed area of diversion has not been broken. Tree numeration and valuation of trees species was done as per rule and regulations in force.

Hence, the project proposal is recommended for acceptance subject to observance of applicable rules and regulation and FCA, 1980.

Place: Jowai Date: 3-7-19

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