PART-IV

(To be filled in by the Nodal Officer or Principal Chief Conservator of Forests or Head of Forest Department)

17. Detailed opinion and specific recommendation of the State Forest Department for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with remarks.

(While giving opinion, the adverse comments made by concerned Conservator of Forests or Deputy Conservator of Forests should be categorically reviewed and critically commented upon)

OPTION:

The Recommendations of the Conservator of Forests, Central Forest Circle and the Divisional Forest Officer, Thoubal Forest Division on the project proposal for diversion of 14.742 ha of forest land for construction of 132 KV Link Transmission Line for evacuation of Power from 400/132 KV Sub-station at Thoubal to 132 KV Sub-station at Kongba, Yaingangpokpi and Hundung on existing 132 KV line from Kongba to Kakching on turnkey basis by Manipur State Power Company Limited are considered.

The Project proposal for diversion of 14.742 ha of forest land is a Public Utility Project to be managed by the State Government. The project proposal is recommended for approval under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 subject to the condition that the User Agency pays the amount for Compensatory Afforestation, Net Present Value and Dwarf species plantation as per the guidelines under FCA.

Imphal, the 10th April, 2017.

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