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SITE INSPECTION REPORT IN CONNECTION WITH THE PROPOSAL FOR DIVERSION OF 0.764 Ha. FOREST LAND UNDER THE JURISDICATION OF KURSEONG FOREST DIVISION FOR ROLLOUT OF BROAD BAND SERVICES IN FAVOUR OF JIO INFOCOMM LTD.

The undersigned visited the proposed land diversion site on 11.08.2022. Reliance Jio Infocomm Ltd. has proposed the land diversion proposal over 0,764 Ha. which falls under three different blocks in three different beats of Sevoke Range under Kurseong Division , viz. Setikhola Block of Kalijhora Beat, Kandung Block of Latpanchar Beat and Birrik Block of Birrik Beat.

The proposed site does not come under the wildlife habitat zone, or corridor for wildlife.

The site is free from any structures of archaeological importance and defence installations.

As per the field situation there has been no alternative site in the vicinity for the proposed project.

There is no involvement tree felling during the execution of work, as reported. The user agency is required to adopt all possible measures to avert any adversity to the area, outside the purview of the proposed site.

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