SITE INSPECTION REPORT NOT BELOW THE RANK OF DCF

(For the forest land to be diverted under FCA)

A proposal has been received by this office from Power Grid Corporation of India Limited for diversion (under FCA-1980) of 0.6595 ha. Protected Forest Land for non-forestry purpose. The Project envisage the use of forest land for Construction of 765 kV D/C Orai-Aligarh transmission line Part 4 (Package TE 09) located on Agra-Aligarh Road (NH-509) km 164-165, Aligarh-Mathura Road (SH-80) km 12-13, Gomat Bajna Road km 3-4 and Upper Ganga Canal (Lower Mant Branch Canal) km 41 under Tehsil- Koil, Iglas, Khair, District- Aligarh. The site inspection of the land involved in the proposal has been done by me on dated ... 12 1.02 118.

On inspection of the site, it is found that the land required by the user agency is a Protected Forest land measuring 0.6595 ha.

The requirement of forest land as proposed by the user agency in Col. 2 of Part-I is unavoidable and barest minimum required for the project.

Whether any rare/endangered/unique species of flora and fauna in the area. If so, the details thereof. - Nil.

Whether any protected archaeological/heritage site/defense establishment or any other important monument is located in the area. If so, the details thereof with NOC from competent authority, if required.- Nil.

a. The user agency has violated the provisions of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and work has been started without proper sanction.

b. it has been found that the user agency has violated the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 provisions. A Detail Report as per Para 1.9 of Chapter-1; Para C of handbook of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 is attached.

Specific recommendation for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal. (RECOMMENDED)

(Signature)

(S.D. Tripathi) Divisional Director, Social Forestry Division,

Aligarh.

N.B.

x state the purpose for which the forest land is proposed to be diverted. xx out of (a) and (b) tick the option which is applicable and cross the option which is not applicable.

As per letter number- 2-2/2000-FC dated 16-10-2000 from Ministry of Environment & Forests, Government of India for proposal involving less then 40 hectare of forest land, the site inspection report from DCF is required and for proposal involving more than 40 hectare of forest land site inspection report from the Conservator of Forests is required.