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**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 M/s Sri Avantika Power Projects Pvt. Ltd., Hyderabad for diversion (under FCA-1980) of 10.803 ha. of Forest Land. The project envisages the use of forest land for Construction of 33 KV Powerline corridor on N.B.L.S Tower from 220/33 KV Grid Sub-station, Khairput, Govindapalli of OPTCL to 33 KV Sub-station site near Saptadhara H.E.P. of Avantika Power Projects, Malkangiri. The site inspection of the land involved in the proposal has been done by me on date 26.03.2021. On inspection of the site, it is found that the land required by the User Agency is a forest measuring 10.803 ha.

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

Whether any rare/endangered/unique species of flora and fauna found in the area. If so, details thereof. - No -

Whether any protected archaeological/heritage site/defense establishment or any other important monument is located in the area. If so, the details therefore with NOC from competent authority, if required. - No -

(a) The user agency has not violated the previous of Forests (Conservation) Act, 1980 and no work has been started without proper sanction.

Place _____

Date _____

(Signature)

Name _____

Designation _____

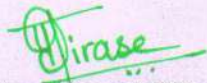
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1	Name of the Project.	Construction of 33 KV Powerline corridor on N.B.L.S Tower from 220/33 KV Grid Sub-station, Khairput, Govindapalli of OPTCL to 33 KV Sub-station site near Saptadhara H.E.P. of Avantika Power Projects, Malkangiri
2	Name of District/ Division.	Malkangiri District / Malkangiri Forest Division.
3	Date of Inspection.	26.03.2021
4	Name and designation of Inspecting Officer.	Sri Pradeep Devidas Mirase, IFS, Deputy Conservator of Forests, Divisional Forest Officer, Malkangiri
5	Name and designation of the Officers who attended the Inspection including representative of user agency.	1. Sri Rajendra Prasad, Project Head, Avantika Power Projects 2. Sri P. Sidhu, Electrical Engineer 3. Sri Venkatesh, Electrical Engineer 4. Sri Parsuram Bhumia, Range Officer, Mathili 5. Sri Ramesh Chandra Rout, Dy. Ranger 6. Sri Debasish Pradhan, Forester 7. Sri Tapan Saha, Forest Guard
6	Legal Status of the Forest land with area Proposed for diversion	10.803 Ha. 6.084 Ha. area is under Reserved Land & 4.719 Ha Revenue Forest
7	If area required for diversion has been demarcated on the ground.	The Forest Land of 10.803 Ha. has been demarcated on the ground.
8	Item wise break up of forest land proposed for diversion.	10.803 Ha. will be used for construction of 33 K.V power line corridor on N.B.L.S tower from 220/33kV grid sub-station at Khairput, Govindpalli of OPTCL to 33kV sub-station site near Saptadhara H.E.P of Avantika Power Projects
9	Condition of Vegetation and type of forest in the applied area.	The Forest land applied for diversion is Tropical Moist Deciduous Forests. Consisting of 6.084 Ha. Reserved Land & 4.719 ha. Revenue Forest. A part of the area to be diverted comes in Dashmantapur RL & Dharmagarh RL Boundary. The said forest land has been put under Eco value Class-I with density 0.5. The Forest comes under Medium Dense Forests Category. The major species found in the proposed project area are <i>Shorea robusta</i> , <i>Terminalia tomentosa</i> , <i>Ficus bengalensis</i> , <i>Semecarpus anacardium</i> , <i>Careya arborea</i> , <i>Diospyros melanoxylon</i> , <i>Xylia xylocarpa</i> , <i>Anageissus latifolia</i> .
10	Position of Wildlife	Sometimes wildlife i.e. Jackal, Wild Boar, Bear, Hyena and various Birds & Snakes are seen in the site.
11	Whether the applied area involves any Eco-Sensitive Zone / National Park / Sanctuary.	The applied area does not involve any Eco-sensitive zone or National Park/Sanctuary
12	No. of trees to be felled and its impact on the eco-system.	In Forest Land 242 Nos. of trees enumerated & 242 Nos. of trees are to be felled. In Non-Forest Land 461 Nos. of trees enumerated & 461 Nos. of trees are to be felled.
13	Details of broken up land and reclamation done if any.	Not applicable
14	Position of displacement of people and adequacy of rehabilitation, if any.	No displacement of people involved
15	Position of rare and endangered species available and importance of the applied area from archeological point of view.	No rare and endangered species available in the applied area and no archeological important area present.
16	Non-forest land selected for Compensatory Afforestation has been included in the D.L.C. report or not.	Degraded forest land of 22 Ha. has been identified in Tandiki RF of Mathili Range
17	Suitability of the identified non-forest land/ degraded Forestland for Compensatory Afforestation.	Land suitability certificate is attached.
18	Violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 if any and action taken thereon.	No violation has been observed.


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