



**GOVERNMENT OF SIKKIM
OFFICE OF THE DIVISIONAL FOREST OFFICER
SOUTH TERRITORIAL DIVISION
FORESTS, ENV. & WILDLIFE MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT**

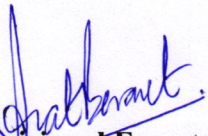
**JOINT CERTIFICATE FOR NON-AVAILABILITY OF NON-FOREST LAND FOR
COMPENSATORY AFFORESTATION**

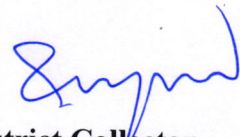
This is to certify that non-forest lands are not available under the Territorial and Wildlife Jurisdiction of South District/Forest Division for Compensatory Afforestation to be raised in lieu of forest land to be diverted for the Installation of 11KV Transmission Line at Mamring, South Sikkim.

Name of Project	Installation of 11KV Transmission Line at Mamring, South Sikkim
User Agency	Energy and Power Department, Government of Sikkim.
Area of forest land proposed for diversion	0.0074 ha.

As per the report of Forest Survey of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change, Government of India, the total geographical area of South district of Sikkim is 750 sq.km and the total forest cover is 572 sq.km which is 76.27% of the total geographical area of the district (FSI Status of Forest Report 2017)

The Joint Certificate is granted as per the Rules and Guidelines para 3.2 (v) of Forest (Conservation) Rules 2003-Guidelines & Clarification and recent guidelines from the Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change, Government of India in connection with the diversion of forest land for non-forestry purposes under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.


**Divisional Forest Officer,
South Territorial Division,
Namchi, South Sikkim.**


**District Collector,
South District,
Namchi, South Sikkim**

**Divisional Forest Officer
Territorial Division
Forest, Env. & W/L Mgmt. Deptt
Govt. of Sikkim**

**District Collector
South, District Namchi**