## Specific Recommendation of the District Forest Officer, Nellore

M/s Vindhya Tele links Ltd., Secunderabad has proposed for diversion of 0.45 ha. Of forest land for laying of under ground Optical Fibre Cable along the existing Right of Way in Rapur-Yerragonda RF, Rapur-Veligonda Block "A" Extn "B" RF and Rapur-Veligonda Extn "C" RFs of Rapur Range. The details are as follows:

| Bit No.<br>(As per<br>DGPS<br>authenticat<br>ed map) | Name of RF/Part ( As per DGPS authenticated map) | Compt.<br>No.           | Area<br>(in Ha.) | Remarks  |
|--|--|-------------------------|------------------|--|
| 1  | Rapur-Yerragonda RF                              | 308,30<br>9,310&<br>312 | 0.34             | Falls in Eco-<br>Sensitive Zone of<br>Sri Penusila<br>Narasimha Wild |
| 2  | Rapur-Veligonda<br>Block "A" Extn "B" RF         | 333                     | 0.06             | Life Sanctuary Falls in Sri Penusila Narasimha Wild Life Sanctuary   |
| 3  | Rapur-Veligonda<br>Block extn "C" RF             | 331                     | 0.05             | Falls in Sri<br>Penusila<br>Narasimha Wild<br>Life Sanctuary         |
|  |  | Total                   | 0.45             | Zire Sanctuary   |

The Rare/unique/endangered species of flora and fauna like Red sander species are noticed in adjacent RF areas. The user agency has not violated the provisions of FC Act, 1980. The area requested by the user agency is barest minimum and un avoidable. Hence recommended.

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District Forest Officer, SPSR Nellore.