FIELD INSPECTION NOTES OF FOREST DIVISIONAL OFFICER, SHAMSHABAD DIVISION IN KOTHAGUDA RESERVE FOREST IN CHILKUR RANGE ON 07.12.2019

I have inspected the proposed area for Laying of 220 KV Gachibowli to Erragadda line XLPE UG Cable to proposed Raidurg substation and LILO of 220 KV Gachibowli to Miyapur line XLPE UG Cable to proposed Raidurg substation in Kothaguda Reserve Forests along with Forest Range Officer, Chilkur and Forest Section officer, Chilkur section on 07.12.2019.

The proposed forest land situated in the Compt. No. 203 of <u>Kothaguda Reserve Forests</u> <u>Chilkur Range of Shamshabad Division</u> with a density of 0.4. The proposed area for diversion in length of 1428.58 mtrs and with a width of 7 mts and construction of Tower area is 10mx10m passing through Kothaguda Reserve Forests. The total area comes to 1.0016 Ha.

It is observed that, there is no tree growth existing in the proposed diversion area except some planted saplings in 12 Nos. No fauna existing in the proposed area. Further it is observed that the proposed area is not falls in the National Park, Wildlife Sanctuary, Biosphere Reserve, Tiger Reserve, Elephant Corridor etc, there are no endangered species of flora and fauna.

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In this regard, the degraded forest land of 3.00 Ha area has been identified in Malkaram Reserve Forests block in compartment no. 199 and the User Agency shall bear the cost towards raising of plantation with 10 years maintenance in proposed Malkaram Reserve Forests block. The proposed amount statement is enclosed.

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