

FIELD INSPECTION NOTES OF SUNITA M. BHAGWAT, IFS.,
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CIRCLE, RANGAREDDY IN CHILKUR RANGE ON
Dt:13.07.2020.

I have inspected the proposed area for laying of 220 kv Gachibowli to Erragadda line XLPE underground cable for proposed Raidurg Substation in Kothaguda Reserve Forest along with District Forest Officer, Rangareddy and Forest Division Officer, Shamshabad on Dt:13.07.2020.

The Proposed Forest land situated in Compt. No.203 of Kothagada Reserve Forest, Chilkur Range of Shamshabad Division with a canopy density of 0.4. The proposed area for diversion is 1428.58 mtrs length and 7.0 mtrs width and also proposed construction of CTT tower with 10mx10m dimensions passing through Kothaguda Reserve Forest. The total area is 1.0016 Ha.

It is observed that, there is sparse tree growth existing in proposed area, the area is not falling in the National park, Wild Life Sanctuary, Biosphere Reserve, Tiger Reserve and Elephant Corridor and also there is no endangered species of Flora and Fauna. The proposed area is passing through the Kothaguda Reserve Forest & in this proposed area the TSFDC is raising dense plantation during this year 2020-21. The concerned DEE has stated that the CTT line from the tower will be passing through the dense plantation which is unavoidable as the HT line cannot be bent at several places. Hence, the cost of the damaged strip of the dense plantation may be recovered from the User Agency.

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