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**Report on Site Inspection of the proposed forest land for diversion measuring 0.764 ha under the jurisdiction of Kurseong Forest Division for Rollout of 4G Broad Band Services in favour of Reliance Jio Infocom Ltd..**

**The site inspection was undertaken 15.06.2022 and the following observations were made:-**

1. The proposed area falls under Setikhola Block of Kalijora Beat., Kandung Block of Latpanchar Beat and Birrik Block of Birrik Beat under Sevoke Range of Kurseong Forest Division.
2. The location is free from any threat of landslide.
3. It is observed that no alternate site is available nearest.
4. The rare/endangered species of flora and fauna found in the proposed area are Common Leopard (*Panthera pardus*), Barking Deer (*Muntiacus muntjak*) and Himalayan Black Bear (*Ursus thibetanus lanigar*).
5. The area does not fall under wildlife corridor.
6. The area proposed does not form any defence installation or establishment of Archeological heritage site, monuments, protected area i.e., National park/Wild life Sanctuary etc.
7. Precautionary measures need to be taken by the user agency against anything hazardous to wildlife.

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