

## PART-IV

(To be filled in by the Nodal Officer or Principal Chief Conservator of Forests or Head of Forest department)

17. Detailed opinion and specific recommendation of the State Forest Department for acceptance of otherwise of the proposal with remarks.

(While giving opinion, the adverse comments made by concerned Conservator of Forests or Deputy Conservator of Forests should be categorically reviewed and critically commented upon).

**Proposal No:- FP/AS/ROAD/48518/2020**

As per the Site Inspection Report of Conservator of Forests, Northern Assam Circle, Tezpur and Divisional Forest Officer, Nagaon South Division, Hojai, the following is details of standing trees/pols/etc.

(O-30cm) Saplings	-	2 Nos.
(31- 60 cm) Pole	-	83 Nos.
(61-90 cm) Trees	-	267 Nos.
(91-120cm) Trees	-	71 Nos.
(121-150cm) Trees	-	11 Nos.
(>150cm) Trees	-	12 Nos.
<b>Total</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>446 Nos.</b>

As reported by Conservator of Forests, Northern Assam Circle, Tezpur, the Kumurakata Reserved Forest rich in Flora & Fauna as well as presence of wild animals like elephants, jungle cat, Barking deer, Hog deer, Jackal, Civet etc. Heard of wild elephants stays in the Reserved Forest area almost through out the year by using their natural corridors to the different nearby areas since there is a large natural water body/wet land in the Reserved Forest area.

In view of the above, the forest diversion proposal of 4.193 Ha. forest land for improvement and up-gradation of Hamren to Howraghat Section of SH-19 Axom Mala Roads in Kumurakata Reserved Forest Nagaon South Division, Hojai in favour of Assam PWRD is hereby recommended with the condition that the User Agency (Assam PWRD) to earmark 2% of the total project cost for HEC mitigation and wildlife conservation purposes and also provide safe under passes for wildlife/Elephants movement wherever necessary.

Date:- 28/11/2022

Place:- Gohy

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