

SITE INSPECTION REPORT
(Project: Proposal for diversion of 42.6 Ha. of Forest land in Doboka
RF in connection with widening/upgradation of NH-29 passing
through Doboka RF under Nagaon South Division, Hojai)

The proposed diversion site of 42.6 ha. of Forest land for the purpose of widening/upgradation of NH-29 from 2 lane to 4 lane through Doboka Reserve Forest was inspected by the undersigned on 22/09/2022 along with the DFO Nagaon South Division, Hojai. Range Officer, J.V. Range, Doboka and their frontline staff. During the period of inspection it was noticed that the proposed area falls within the notified Kaziranga Karbi-Anglong Elephant Reserve including existence of rich Flora & Fauna sporadically as well as Wild Animals like Barking Deer, Leopard, Civets etc. and movement of elephant can not be ruled out surrounding the proposed area/site. Also noticed that there are some Tangia villagers/Forest villagers/encroachers residing in the 30 mtrs periphery of the proposed diversion site inside Doboka RF. The concerned DFO has been advised to survey and submit R.R. Plan against the aforesaid issues. The requirement of the Forest land proposed for diversion by the User Agency is unavoidable and barest minimum. The project having public & National interest & will improve the Road communication system. The proposed area is recommended for diversion with a suggestion to take sufficient precautionary measures to protect & save wildlife & habitat without causing major damages of the forest & environment as well as rehabilitation of the existing Tangia & Forest villagers as per guideline of MoEF & CC under FC Act, 1980.

- 1) N 26°10.020' E 92°56.258'
- 2) N 26°10.036' E 92°56.267'
- 3) N 26°10.128' E 92°56.287'
- 4) N 26°07.630' E 92°53.230'

Date: 23/09/2022
Place: Tezpur



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