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No. 8-311/85-FC  
Government of India  
Ministry of Environment & Forests  
Department of Environment Forests & Wildlife

Krishi Bhavan, New Delhi  
Dated the 22nd May, 1986.

To

The Secretary,  
Forest Department,  
Govt. of Arunachal Pradesh  
Itanagar.

Sub:-

(C)  
Release of 1.09 ha, 1.56 ha, 1.92 ha. and 1.74 ha  
(Total 6.31 ha) for four drilling locations namely,  
KHAA, KHAD, KHZ, and KHAH in Tirap district by OIL,  
Duliajan.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter No. FJR.202/  
CORP/85/398-400 dated 16.9.85, (2) For.200/CORP/85/395-97 dt.  
16.9.85 (3) For.201/CORP/85/391-94 dated 16.9.85 (4) For.203/  
CORP/85-401-403 dated 16.9.85, on the above mentioned subject  
seeking the prior approval of the Central Government in accor-  
dance with the Section 2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.

The proposal has been examined by the Advisory Committee  
constituted by the Central Government under Section 3 of the  
aforesaid Act.

After careful consideration of the proposal of the  
State Govt. and on the basis of the recommendations of the above  
mentioned Advisory Committee, the Central Government hereby  
conveys its approval under Section 2 of the Forest (Conservation)  
Act, 1980 for release of 6.31 ha. of forest land for four drilling  
locations namely, KHAA, KHAD, KHZ and KHAH in Tirap Distt. by OIL,  
Duliajan subject to the following conditions:

1. Legal status of the forest land to remain unchanged.
2. Compensatory plantations to be raised over equivalent  
non forest area at the cost of the project.
3. Forest area to revert back to the Forest Department  
when not required for oil drilling purpose.
4. Environmental pollution safeguards have to be strictly  
enforced as prescribed by the State Environmental  
Authorities/Pollution Control Board.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-

Nawal Kishore

Under Secretary to the Government of India.