SITE INSPECTION REPORT NOT BELOW THE RANK OF DCF/ DFO

(For the Forest land to be diverted under FCA)

Title of the Project : Stabilization of existing 220 KV single circuit Gladni Udhampur transmission line alongwith realignment on double circuit towers from location no. 158 upto grid station Udhampur

Proposal No. : FP/JK/TRANS/155098/2022

A proposal has been received by this office for "Stabilization of existing 220 KV single circuit Gladni Udhampur transmission line alongwith realignment on double circuit towers from location no. 158 upto grid station Udhampur", Proposal No. FP/JK/TRANS/155098/2022 from User Agency JKPTCL (PDD), Jammu and Kashmir for diversion (under section 2 of FCA-1980) of 1.45 Hectare of forest land for non- forestry purpose. The site inspection of the land involved in the proposal has been done by me along with Range Officer Udhampur on dated 02-05-2023 along with Range Officer Udhampur.

- On inspection of the site, it is found that the land required by the user agency is a forest area measuring **<u>1.45 Hectare</u>**.
- The requirement of forest land as proposed by the user agency in Col-2 of Part-I is unavoidable and is barest minimum required for the project.
- The user agency has not violated the provisions of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and no work has been started without proper sanction.

Recommended for acceptance, please.

Officer

Udhampur Forest Range Udhampur

(Rushal Garg, IFS) Divisional Forest Officer Udhampur Forest Division Udhampur