CA area (Degraded Forest Area) Site Inspection Report of the Divisional Forest Officer, Narsipatnam in lieu of diversion of 1.06 ha. forest land beside Narsipatnam-Tuni road from Thandava Jn. To Gandhinagaram for execution of new 33 KV line for extension of HT supply to M/s HPCL in Nathavaram (M) on 28.04.2022.



Inspected the identified Degraded Forest Area 2.12 ha. proposed for raising of Compensatory Afforestation (CA) in Compt. no.1182, Pedimikonda RF in Pedimikonda Beat of

Nathavaram Section of Narsipatnam Range in Narsipatnam due to non-availability of suitable CA area in lieu of diversion of 1.06 ha. forest land beside Narsipatnam-Tuni road from Thandava Jn. To Gandhinagaram for execution of new 33 KV line for extension of HT supply to M/s HPCL in Nathavaram (M) in favour of Executive Engineer, Operation Narsipatnam, APEPDC Ltd., Visakhapatnam on 28.04.2022.

The proposed degraded forest area is with jungle growth and there are no major trees existing. The type of forest is Tropical Dry Deciduous forests with canopy density of 0.4. The proposed degraded forest area is suitable for afforestation with Teak and other treatment operations including SMC works etc.

Divisional Forest Officer, Narsipatnam.