Site Inspection Report of 20.00 Ha of degraded forest areas identified for Compensatory Afforestation Scheme in Compt.No. 209, Satyanarayanapuram Beat of Aswapuram Range for diversion of 409.530 Ha of Forest land for Construction of 10 TMC reservoir at Keshavapuram in Medchal-Malkajgiri in favour of HMWS & SB in Medchal-Malkajgiri.

I have inspected the degraded forest areas of 20 Ha., in Compt. No. 209 of Satyanarayanapuram Beat along with Forest Range Officer, Aswapuram and concerned filed staff on 26.06.2020. The degraded area is identified for raising Compensatory Afforestation plantation under Semi Mechanical Method. The Compensatory Afforestation area identified is degraded forests (20.00 Ha.,) against the proposed diversion of 409.530 ha of forest land for Construction of 10 TMC reservoir at Keshavapuram in Medchal-Malkajgiri in favour of HMWS & SB in Medchal. The forest type in previous years is Southern Tropical dry deciduous forest and at present the area is totally degraded due to encroachments. The soils are Red loam soil and block cotton soil. This area is suitable for raising Compensatory Afforestation plantations. It is also proposed to take up plantation with Misc. species as per the Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests, Hyderabad instructions issued in Ref.No. 43246/2012/CAMPA dt.29.11.2012. The detailed scheme proposals are enclosed.

District Forest Officer, Bhadradri Kothagudem District.

CERTIFICATE

In Compt.No. 209 of Satyanarayanapuram Beat, Aswapuram Range of Manuguru Division is suitable for raising Misc. Plantations. These areas are not allotted to any V.S.S. of Aswapuram Range. Preference is to be given to raise plantations with local species at the choice of the local villagers but at the technical guidance of the forest staff to avoid encroachment on the said proposed areas once prone for encroachment.

District Forest Officer, Bhadradri Kothagudem District.