SITE INSPECTION REPORT

Proposal for the Diversion of 1-11-63 ha. of forest land for the Construction of Lingti 0.5 MW Small Hydro Electric Project, within the jurisdiction of Palampur Forest Division, Distt. Kangra HP

A proposal has been received in this office for the Diversion of 1-11-63 ha. of forest land for the construction of Lingti 0.5 MW Small Hydro Electric Project. The subject envisages the use of forest land for the construction of Lingti 0.5 MW Small Hydro Electric Project, Distt. Kangra (HP). The Site Inspection of the land involved in the proposal has been done by me on dated 22-05-2-22

On Inspection of the Site, it is found that the land required by the used agency is a forest land measuring 1-11-63 hectare.-Yes

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.-Yes

Whether any rare /endangered / unique species of flora and fauna found in the area. If so, the details thereof: - No

Whether any protected archaeological / heritage site/ defence establishment or any other important monument is located in the area. If so, the details thereof with NOC from competent authority is required.-No

- (a) The user agency has not violated the provisions of Forest (Conversation) Act 1980 and work has not started without the proper sanction. -Yes
- (b) It has been found that the user agency has not violated the Forest (Conversation) Act 1980 provisions. A detailed report as per para 1.9 of Chapter 1, Part C of Hand book of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 is attached. -- Yes
- (c) The proposal is recommended for the approval under forest (Conservation) Act 1980 from the competent authority Yes.

Place: Palampur Date: 27.05.2023

(Dr. Nitin Patil), IFS Dy.Conservator of Forest, Palampur Forest Division, Palampur