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**GOVERNMENT OF SIKKIM  
POWER DEPARTMENT**

No. 127/ACE(T)/P/GOS/2022-23/610

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**Certificate of Undertaking**

**Power Department, Govt. Of Sikkim**, hereby undertake to bear the cost of raising and maintenance of Compensatory Afforestation and Net Present Value (NPV) as well as the cost of protection and regeneration as per the scheme prepared by Department of Forest, Environment & Wildlife Management, Government of Sikkim in respect of diversion of 26.8 Ha. of Forest land for the Project "**220 KV D/C Singhik-Chungthang Transmission Line**" and also hereby to undertake that:

1. For public welfare schemes of the non – commercial Government Ventures like Schools, Rain harvesting, tanks, village roads which are meant for Public welfare, the NPV may not be charged and that in case it is finally decided by the Supreme Court such Projects are not exempt from payment of NPV, the user agency (Energy & Power Department, Govt. of Sikkim) will pay the amount of NPV as determined and order of the supreme court.
2. Power Department, Govt. of Sikkim, hereby give an additional undertaking that in case of any upward revision of rates of NPV (as per the report of the Expert Committee constituted by the Supreme Court and the final decision in this respect by the Supreme Court) the Department will pay the amount of differential NPV.

For and on behalf of Power Department

**Chief Engineer-cum-SNO (IPDS)  
Power Department  
Government of Sikkim**