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**Field inspection notes of Sri A.K.Sinha, IFS., Chief Conservator of
Forests, Nizamabad in Kamareddy and Indalwai Range of
Kamareddy Division dated on 20.03.2015**

Today, I along with the Divisional Forest Officer, Kamareddy and his field staff inspected the Forest area proposed for diversion for laying of 765 KVA D/C line in favour of M/s Power grid corporation of India Limited, Secunderabad, The user agency requires an extent of 11.3277 ha. of Forest area in this Division for erection of transmission line in a linear strip passing through compartment No. 436 of Sirnapally Forest Block in Indalwai Range and compartment Nos. 635 and 636 of Ramareddy Forest Block in Kamareddy Forest Range. The Forest area proposed for diversion is comprising of dry deciduous species like Tirman (*Anogeissus latifolia*), Teak (*Tectona grandis*), Chennangi (*Lager stroemia parviflora*), Gumpena (*Lannea coramandalica*), Buchnanian lanzan, Rela (*Casia fistula*) etc. The density of the forest is about 0.4. The field staff carried out enumeration of the cubical contents of each tree species present in the proposed diversion area, and the same were verified in the field. Further, I verified the absolute location of points in the field as per the maps.


Name of the Range	Name of the Forest Block	Entry point (Lat-longs)		
		Left	Middle	Right
Indalwai	Sirnapalli FB	18.47209	18.47202	18.47195
		78.32655	78.32626	78.32597

Name of the Range	Name of the Forest Block	Entry point (Lat-longs)		
		Left	Middle	Right
Kamareddy	Ramareddy FB	18.46027	18.46047	18.46062
		78.33602	98.33630	78.33659

The area proposed for diversion is not a part of National Park or wildlife sanctuary or Biosphere reserve. The requirement of Forest land proposed by the user agency is unavoidable and is the barest minimum. The area proposed for diversion in favour of user agency on their taking over for erection of KVA D/c line will act also

"fire line" and will cause protection from spread of any fire. Since the linear strip would not be frequented by human beings or any other traffic, it would not adversely affect the Wildlife in the area.

Hence it is recommended for diversion of the said linear strip of Forest for laying of 765 KVA D/C line in favour of M/s. power grid Corporation of India Ltd. Secunderabad.


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