

ANNEXURE-V

Site inspection report of the Deputy Conservator of Forest. (Col 11, Part II, Form-A, FCA, 1980)

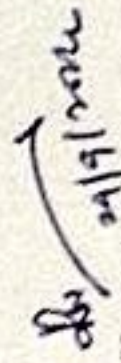
The portion of forest land under Thoubal Forest Division that would be affected by the proposed Erection and Stringing of 400 KV D/C transmission line from Yurembam to Thoubal Khunou via Nambol was inspected by the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Thoubal Forest Division on 24th September 2016. The transmission line would cross forest area at two points, the first portion at the place where pillar No 126 would be installed and the second at a place where pillar No. 127 would fall thus, making the total forest area to be diverted to 2.83 ha. The rest falls under non-forest area/revenue land.

Most of the forests areas are covered with heavy growths of coppices and other shrubs. There are no trees that have attained the exploitable size and all the trees enumerated are below the size of 31 cm girth as such they can be only be used as fuelwood or small posts and poles. The forests under consideration for diversion belong to the Tropical Moist-Deciduous type. The transmission line is not likely to displace any village settlement.

No protected archaeological/heritage site or other defence establishment or any other important monuments were found in the area to be diverted.

There were no sign of commencement of work in the area on the day of inspection and so the provisions of Forest Conservation Act, 1980 are not violated.

Dated, the 24th September 2016


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