

## 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 Tengnoupal Forest Division that would be affected by the proposed Construction of 132 KV S/C Transmission Line from Kakching to Moreh was inspected by the Deputy Conservator of Forests, Tengnoupal Forest Division on 15<sup>th</sup> January 2016. The transmission line would pass through villages such as Kuraopokpi, Laiching, Aimol Khullen, Saivom, Tengnoupal, Chahmol, Khongkhang, Tupi Mate, Khudengthabi, TM. Zoumunnom, L. Phaimoul, Saivangkho, New Mongjang, L. Youjang, T. Lhangnomphai and Haijangveng villages.

Most of the forests areas are covered with heavy growths of coppices and other shrubs. Trees attaining exploitable sizes for timber are considerably less with sizable number of plants belonging to the girth class of 20-30 cm and 30-40 cm. The forest under consideration for diversion belongs to the Tropical Moist-Deciduous type. The transmission line is not likely to displace any village settlement. At certain points, the transmission line would connect directly from one ridge to another, as such; cutting of trees/plants might be minimal.

No protected archaeological/heritage site or other defence establishment or any other important monuments were not 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.



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