

**SITE INSPECTION REPORT OF THE CONSERVATOR OF FORESTS,
SOUTHERN FOREST CIRCLE**

The Managing Director, Manipur State Power Company Ltd. Imphal has proposed for diversion of 145.60 Ha of Forest Land for construction and stringing of 132 KV Transmission line from Khenjang to Thanlon in Churachandpur District, Manipur with a total length of 53.925 km. which attracts the provision of Forest Conservation Act' 1980 for which the User Agency has applied to obtained Forest Clearance under the said Act.

The proposed forest area for diversion and area identified for taking up Compensatory Afforestation was inspected on 20th January 2016 along with Divisional Forest Officer, Churachandpur and his field staff.

The forest type of the area fall under Sub-Tropical moist deciduous forest having Duabanga, Schima, Albizzia, Terminalia and bamboo brakes. The proposed 132 KV line pass through some portion of Kailam Wildlife Sanctuary. There is no tiger reserve and archeologically heritage site of any importance in the area. The majority of the villagers depend on jhuming cultivation for their livelihood.

At present no violation of Forest Conservation Act' 1980 by the user agency.

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