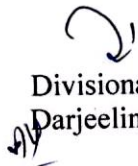


iv)	Total financial outlay for compensatory afforestation scheme	Rs 21,29,500.00
v)	Certificate from competent authority regarding suitability of area identified for compensatory afforestation and from management point of view(to be signed by Deputy Conservator of Forest)	The area proposed for compensatory Afforestation is well within the forest land of Darjeeling Forest Division.
11.	Site Inspection report of the DCF(to be enclosed)specially highlighting facts asked in col.7(xi,xii),8 & 9 above.	The site inspection was under taken and following observations were made.
		i) There is not alternative route for the construction of Passenger Ropeway.
		ii)There is no rare/endangered species of flora and fauna reported.
		iii)The forest area proposed does not form any defense installation/ establishment/ archaeological heritage site, monument and the proposed site is for the construction of Passenger Ropeway.
		iv)The area of proposed site is 0.883 ha. and barest minimum
		v) The area is devoid of mature trees and the site is rocky.
12.	Division/District Profile:	
	i)Geographical area of the district	3149 Sq.Km
	ii)Forest area of the district	1036.77 Sq.Km
	iii)Total forest area diverted since 1980 with no.of cases	Total area-183.9213ha. Total No.of cases-17nos.
	iv)Total compensatory afforestation stipulated in the district/division since 1980	
	a)Forest land including panel compensatory afforestation.	369.3607ha.
	b)Non forest land	Nil
	v)Progress of compensatory afforestation as on (date) as on	Out of 369.3607ha.compensated area,afforestation completed in 302.4287ha.
	a)Forest land:	
	b)Non-Forest land:	Nil
13.	Specific recommendations of the DCF for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with reasons.	Recommended.

Place : **Darjeeling.**
Date : **3/2/15**


Divisional Forest Officer
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