SITE INSPECTION REPORT

The proposed area of 1.75 Ha in Karivanahatti Kaval State Forest is inspected by me on 10.07.2017 along with the officials of POWERGRID. This diversion of forest area is for construction of 765kV S/C Transmission line from Dharmapuri to Madhugiri (Tumkur) of POWERGRID NM Transmission Ltd. The area falls in Sy. No 1, Karivanahatti Kaval Village, Kanakapura Range, Ramanagara Division. It was observed that

- 1. The area is devoid any rare/endangered/unique species of flora and fauna and is not prone to soil erosion.
- 2. The density of vegetation is of Eco Class 4 (dry forest).
- 3. The forest land as proposed by the user agency is unavoidable and bare minimum for the project.
- 4. The reserve forest is not a part of any protected area / sanctuary / National Park / eco sensitive zone.
- 5. There are no historical & archeological monuments in the proposed are.
- 6. The provisions of Forest Conservation Act 1980 are not violated in this case as no work is carried out in the forest area.

In view of the prevailing power situation & considering the national importance of the project and its benefit to the state / people of Karnataka this proposal may be recommended.

Date: 10-07-2017 Place: Ramanagara

Dy. Conservator of Forest (Ramanagara Territorial Division)