

To,  
The Divisional Forest Officer,  
Kurseong Forest Division,  
Dow Hill, Kurseong,  
West Bengal

Ref. Application No.NFS/PKG-F/2016&2019/FOREST/KURSEONG/01

### Justification for locating the Project in forest land

Sir,

The Proposed path for establishing OFC connectivity on steel tubular poles between Sukna Army Campus & Kurseong Airforce Campus and Kurseong Airforce Campus & Jalapahar Army Campus are along the Rohini Road between Rohini Toll Plaza & Kurseong Airforce and along the Hill Cart Road between Kurseong Airforce - 8<sup>th</sup> Mile

Pole installation for OFC alignment is along the forest land adjacent to the motorable road and the forest land will be required for pole installation at every 30-40 meters depending upon feasibility of pole installation.

Since there is no other non-forest land available for pole installation along the road, Forest land adjacent to the road will be required for pole installation.

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