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अतिरिक्त प्रमुख सचिव/ Addl. Chief Secretary, पर्यावरण और वन विभाग/ Environment & Forest Department, असम सरकार/ Government of Assam, दिसपुर, गुवाहाटी-781006. / Dispur, Guwahati-781006.

Sub: Proposal is for diversion of 4.125 ha of forest land for Oil and exploration development and production of well Pad No.29 in Nambar Reserved Forest under Golaghat Division in favour of M/s Vedanta Limited.

Ref: (i) Letter No. FRS 64/2022/98 dated 25.07.2022 of Govt of Assam.

Sir,

With reference to the subject and letter cited above, I am to inform that this instant proposal was submitted to Ministry for approval of the competent authority. However the file has been returned from Ministry with the following query:-

(i) To clarify on the proposed excess plinth area i.e. 4 ha in this proposed diversion for the exploratory drilling of 1 (one) borehole of 26 inches diameter as in the similar proposal of the same user agency the plinth area proposed is only 2.4 ha.

State Govt is therefore requested to kindly furnish the above clarification for further processing of this proposal.

वन महानिरीक्षक (केंद्रीय) Inspector General of Forests(C)

Copy to:

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