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To

The Addl. Chief Secretary, Forest & Environment Deptt., Govt of Manipur, Imphal.

Proposal for diversion of 18.414 ha of forest land for construction of 132 KV 2<sup>nd</sup> Circuit Sub: Transmission Line to be erected from Kakching to Churachandpur in favour of Manipur State Power Company Limited.

Letter F.No.27/8/2017-For&Envt. dated 03.05.2017 of Govt of Manipur. Ref:

Sir,

With reference to the subject and letter cited above, I am directed to inform that the proposal submitted has been examined in this office in the light of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, and rules/guidelines framed thereunder. The submitted proposal is found lacking of the following information:

- (i) The status of Wildlife clearance and consent of NBWL of the proposed transmission line as the nearest aerial distance of the proposed area is 2.5 km from the Keibul Lamjao National Park and about 10 km of the proposed transmission line is passing through the eco-sensitive zone of the Keibul Lamjao National Park.
- (ii) To clarify the compartment number of the proposed compensatory afforestation area of 15 ha in Dampi RF of Churachandpur district as it is mentioned as compartment no 17 in the forwarding letter of the State Govt whereas the same has been mentioned as compartment no 3 in the site suitability certificate submitted by the concerned DFO.
- (iii)The 3D diagrammatic sketch of the proposed transmission line showing the nos. of the tower and the Right of Way.
- (iv)The GPS coordinates and photographs of the sample plot for the tree enumeration showing trees marked in field and serially numbered with red/yellow paint.
- (v) The GPS co-ordinates and the proposed Right of Way of the proposed Transmission Line.
- (vi)To provide the corrected soft copy of the shape/kml file of the proposed transmission area as the area of the submitted shape file i.e. 18.539 ha and is different from the proposed area i.e. 18.414 ha.
- (vii) The soft copy of the shape/kml file of the proposed compensatory afforestation area.
- (viii) The Compartment No. of the proposed diversion site.

- (ix)Photographs and GPS co-ordinates of the site inspection of the proposed Transmission line and proposed CA sites conducted by the concerned DFO/CF.
- (x) The undertaking certificate by the user agency for the payment of the Addl. NPV.

State Govt is requested to kindly furnish the above mentioned additional information to this office at the earliest for further processing of this proposal.

Yours faithfully,

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