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सेवामे,

अतिरिक्त प्रमुख सचिव/ Addl. Chief Secretary,

असम सरकार/Govt of Assam,

पर्यावरण और वन विभाग/Environment and Forests Department,

दिसपुर/Dispur, गुवाहाटी/Guwahati-781006.

Sub: Proposal for diversion of 14.56 ha of forest land for widening/up-gradation of NH-29 from 2 lane to 4 lane divided NH from Daboka to Lahorijan in Sildharampur Reserved Forest and Patradisha & Longit DCRF under Karbi Anglong East Division, Diphu by NHIDCL.

Ref: (i) Letter No. ECF No. 221358/166 dated 31.12.2022 of Govt of Assam.

Sir,

With reference to the subject and letter cited above, I am directed to inform that the State Govt letter under reference (i) above has been examined in this office. However, it has been observed that the reply of the user agency has been simply enclosed without comment of the State Govt.

State Govt is therefore requested to comment on the reply of the user agency and Hon'ble Supreme Court Judgement order Re: T. N. Godavarman Thirumulpad Vs Union of India and Ors. Reported in 2022 Live Law (SC) 540 dated 03.06.2022 specifically on the area proposed within the ESZ and applicability of NBWL consent to avoid any court case in future.

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(Ms. Laetitia Jean Syiemiong)  
i/c DIGF (C), IRO, Guwahati

Copy to:

1. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & HoFF, Govt of Assam, Environment and Forest Department, Aranya Bhawan, Rop Konwar Jyoti Prasad, Agarwal Path, Near Srimanta Sankardev Kalakhetra, Panjabari, Guwahati-781037 for kind information and necessary action.

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