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असम सरकार/Govt of Assam.

पर्यावरण और वन विभाग/Environment and Forests Deaprtment,

दिसपुर/Dispur, गुवाहाटी/Guwahati-781006.

Sub:

Proposal for diversion of 7.971 ha for construction of 132 KV EHT Single Circuit transmission line on Double Circuit Tower from AEGCL Gohpur GSS to NF Railway Gohpur TSS in connection with RNY MZS Railway Electrification in Gohpur Reserved forest under Sonitpur East Division by N.F. Railway Construction, Electrical.

Ref: (i) Letter No. ECF No. 229234/62 dated 01.11.2022 of Govt of Assam.

Sir.

Please refer the state Govt letter on the subject mentioned above, seeking prior approval of the Central Government in accordance with Section 2 of the FCA, 1980' I am directed to inform that the proposal referred above has been examined in this office in the light of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and rules/guidelines framed thereunder and following lacking information/documents has been observed; -

- 1. State Govt to clarify whether the proposed area falls within the Eco Sensitive Zone of 6th addition of Kaziranga National Park or not.
- 2. The comment of State Govt on the identified CA site as it appears to be located in the Bor Dikarai River as per the Sol map.
- 3. The comment of the CWLW in respect of the proposed area as it falls in Sonitpur Elephant Reserve.
- 4. The justification on 3-alternate route examination in respect of this proposal.

State Govt. is requested to kindly furnish the above requisite information to this office for further processing of this proposal.

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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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