

GOVERNMENT OF ARUNACHAL PRADESH
DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENT & FORESTS
ITANAGAR

No.FOR.35/Cons/2019/ **3173-77**

Dated, Itanagar 20th Aug'2021.

To

Shri W.Longvah, IFS
Inspector General of Forests (C)
Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change,
Integrated Regional Office, Guwahati,
4th Floor, Housefed Building, G.S Road, Rukminigaon,
Guwahati-781022

Sub:- Proposal for diversion of 36.65 ha forest land for laying of 33 KV T/L from Jairampur to Manmow under Comprehensive Scheme for strengthening of transmission and distribution system by Power Department in Changlang District of Arunachal Pradesh.

Ref:- Your letter No. 3-AN C 077/2020-SHI/859-860 dated 03.08.2021.

Sir,

With reference to above letters on the subject, it is to enclose herewith following information:

1	State Govt. to conduct a site visit of the proposed CA site by an officer not below the rank of Conservator of Forest (T) and report be submitted to IRO, Guwahati mentioning the vegetation, density of forest cover, photographs etc. or else an alternate CA site along with necessary SOI maps indicating the CA site, GPS coordinates, site suitability certificate, etc. as 23.19 ha of proposed CA is under VDF, 11.09 ha under MDF and remaining 38.32 ha is under Open Forest as per the FSI, Dehradun.	The inspection report of proposed CA identified at Simen PRF under Likabali Forest Division is enclosed at Annexure-I
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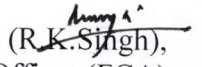
It is therefore, requested to kindly issue necessary formal approval for diversion of 36.65 ha forest land for laying of above transmission line under Section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act' 1980.

Yours faithfully,


 (R.K. Singh),
 PCCF (A&V) & Nodal Officer (FCA)

Copy to:-

1. The Chief Conservator of Forests, CAC, Pasighat for information
2. The Chief Engineer (T&P) & Chairman, Sipi CSS T&Ds, Vidyut Bhawan, Itanagar for information and necessary action.
3. The Executive Director, Power Grid Corporation Ltd., Itanagar for information and necessary action.
4. The Executive Engineer (E), Miao Electrical Division, Power Deptt., Miao for information and necessary action.


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No.FOR.35/Cons/2019/1700-06

Dated, Itanagar 12th July'2021.

To

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Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change,
Integrated Regional Office, Guwahati,
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Sub:- Proposal for diversion of 36.65 ha forestland for laying of 33 KV Transmission Line from Jairampur to Manmao under Comprehensive scheme for strengthening of transmission and distribution system by Power Deptt. in Changlang District of Arunachal Pradesh.

Ref:- RO, Shillong's letter No. 3-ANC 077/2020-SHI/2408-09 dated 12.11.2020.
Sir,


With reference to above letters on the subject, it is to enclose herewith following information:

i	The status of FRA,2006 certificate may be furnished.	The User Agency has applied to the concerned DC. The documentary evidence is enclosed at (Annexure-I). The final FRA certificate shall be submitted after Stage-II approval.
ii	In CA scheme submitted there is inclusion of OB laborer shed & MB type quarter which is not under CAF rule, State Govt may clarify.	As per Forest (Conservation) Act'80, State Govt. has been permitted to prepare the CA estimate for 10 years. Hence the State has included items in the norms for preparation of CA estimate as per climatic & geographical conditions of the State and as per the necessity for successful implementation of scheme. The identified CA sites are far from the Range head quarter. Therefore considering geographical conditions of the State and difficult terrain, the construction of temporary building at the work site for 10 years is required for successful implementantion of the scheme. The items like building, monitoring, supervision (POL), maintenance of vehicle etc. under NPV as per CAF Rule are meant for NPV component only. The items as included in the CA estimate are as per norms approved by the State Govt. and as per reasons as mentioned above.

iii	State to clarify the total number of trees enumerated and trees to be actually felled.	Out of 1593 Nos. of trees enumerated, 1385 Nos of trees actually to be felled.
iv	The KML Shape file has been examined and checked by GIS software and it is found to be a Line feature instead of Polygon. The corrected shape file in Polygon may be submitted.	The User Agency submitted corrected KML shape file in Polygon feature and is enclosed at Annexure-II.
v	AS per the DSS software the proposed compensatory afforestation site selected over 73.00 ha includes 9 ha of Very Dense Forest, 62 ha of Moderately Dense Forest and 2 ha Open Forest.	The alternate CA site identified at Simen PRF under Likabali FD. along with SoI toposheet map, suitability certificate and KML file is enclosed at Annexure-III.

It is therefore, requested to kindly issue necessary formal approval for diversion of 36.65 ha forest land for laying of above transmission line under Section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act' 1980.

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