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Dated: 29th March, 2023

To
The Additional Chief Secretary,
Government of Kerala,
Forests & Wildlife (C) Department,
Secretariat, Thiruvananthapuram,
Kerala, PIN - 695 001.

Subject: Diversion of 7.414 ha of forest land for upgradation of 9.93 KM existing 66 KV Attingal-Palode SC Feeder to 110 KV double circuit from Mithirmala to Palode in favour of Assistant Executive Engineer, Transmission Sub-division, KSEB Ltd., Nedumangad (Online Proposal No. FP/KL/TRANS/50187/2020)

Sir,

I am directed to refer to the State Government's Letter No. C3/79/2023-FWLD on 21/02/2023 seeking prior approval of the Central Government under Section '2' of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for the above project. In this regard, it is informed that the proposal was placed before the 70th Regional Empowered Committee (REC) meeting held on 28.03.2023 and as per the decision of the REC, it is requested to furnish the following information/clarification for further examination of the proposal:-

1. Technical details/ feasibility of shifting overhead transmission line to underground cable
2. Details of other alternatives examined.

Yours faithfully,

(B.N. ANJAN KUMAR)
Asstt. Inspector General of Forest (Central)

- Copy to:-
1. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Forest Department, Government of Kerala, 'Vanalakshmi', 1st Floor, Forest Headquarters, Vazhuthacaud, Thiruvananthapuram, PIN- 695 014, Kerala.