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अतिरिक्त प्रमुख सचिव/ Addl. Chief Secretary,

असम सरकार/Govt of Assam.

पर्यावरण और वन विभाग/Environment and Forests Deaprement,

दिसपुर/Dispur, गुवाहाटी/Guwahati-781006.

Proposal for diversion of 1.7683 ha of forest land for exploratory location TLAA in Doyang Sub: Reserved Forest under Golaghat Division in favour of Oil & Natural Gas Corporation Ltd., Jorhat.

(i) Letter No. FRS.86/2022/59 dated 11.07.2022 of Govt of Assam. Ref:

Sir.

Please refer the State Govt letter No. FRS.86/2022/59 dated 11.07.2022 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 there under and following lacking information/documents has been observed:-

- 1. The human elephant/wildlife mitigation and conservation plan approved by CWLW as recommended by the State Govt.
- 2. The number of the bore hole and its size involved in this proposal.
- 3. The total forest area involved in the PML where this instant drilling location has been proposed.
- 4. The status on 2% NPV realization by the State Govt of the forest area involved in the PML and forest clearance under section 2 (iii) as per Ministry's letter dated 24.06.2015.
- 5. The detail list of the exploratory drilling and production locations with their legal status of land, GPS coordinates and map along with their forest clearance status of this PML.
- 6. The cumulative impact study report of the block of the PML where the drilling location "TLAA" has been proposed.
- 7. The current status of the F(R) Act, 2006 of this instant proposal.
- 8. The current status of the environment clearance of this instant proposal.
- 9. The revised NPV calculation of the proposed area as per the Ministry letter File. No. 5-3/1011-FC (Vol-I) dated 21.03.2022.
- 10. The undertaking certificate of the CA, NPV & Addl. NPV are to be submitted as the submitted certificates has not mentioned about the details of the proposed area.

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

(Dr. Hemen Hazarika) Sc. D/Head of Office

Copy to:

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