

## भारत सरकार

## Government of India पर्यावरण, वन एवं जलवायु परिवर्तन मंत्रालय

Ministry of Environment, Forest & Climate Change

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F. No. 3-AS B/120/2022/GHY/228-29

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सेवामें.

अतिरिक्त प्रमुख सचिव/ Addl. Chief Secretary.

असम सरकार/Govt of Assam,

पर्यावरण और वन विभाग/Environment and Forests Deaprtment,

दिसपुर/Dispur, गुवाहाटी/Guwahati-781006.

Sub: Proposal for diversion of 2.1249 ha of forest land for construction of 132 KV single circuit transmission line double circuit tower from 220 KV Salakati GSS to 132 KV APM GSS in Bhairb Hill PRF under Aie Valley Division, Bongaigaon by AEDCL-reg..

Ref: (i)Letter No. eCF No. 358347/116 dated 31.05.2024 of Govt of Assam.

(ii)Letter No.3 AS B/220/2022/GHY/4834-35 dated 10.11.2023 of Sub Office, Guwahati.

Sir.

With reference to the subject and letter cited above, I am directed to inform that the information submitted by State Govt letter under reference (i) above has been examined in this office and following discrepancies are observed:-

- 1. The submitted alternate route examination appears to be combined with other stretches of the transmission line. State Govt is therefore to re submit the same only for this proposed area separately along with other stretches involved both in forest and non forest land and resubmit the forest clearance status.
- 2. The CA site was identified in 4.24 Khorahgaon PRF. The proposed project involved Non-Forest Land. Hence provide the Chief Secretary certificate for non availability of non forest land or else identify non forest land for the CA site and submit along with SoI maps, GPS coordinates, kml/shape files, site suitability certificate etc.

3. The RoW of the proposed transmission line.

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

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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,