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Query - Thottiyar Power evacuation - 1.225 Ha.

1. Joint Survey / Joint verification is to be done.
 - a) Initially, Joint Survey is to be done with the Munnar Forest Division Surveyor and a survey sketch is to be provided for the 1.225 Ha Forest Land identify the actual Land Status with respect to the field.
 - b) After the identification by Joint survey, Joint Verification shall be done with the respective RFO, Neriampalam and DFO, Munnar to understand the No. of trees to be cut, the transmission line height and any other site specific issues.
 - c) For the both of the above cases, dates shall be fixed with consultation and announced without delay.
2. The KML file uploaded in the site is a polygon with only four GPS points which at one area is even below the terrain and also the area as per the KML file comes to 1.75 Ha, which also needs to be explained. So the entire 1.225 Ha area or whichever is fixed after the joint survey/ joint inspection, shall be given in a polygon mode(single or segmented) to the DFO or Nodal officer, in Soft copy and in hard copy.
3. No proper map prepared using Total Station or GPS was given, instead same geo-referenced Survey of India Toposheet was given instead of a map which needs to be prepared by GPS or by Toposheet.
4. Catchment Area Treatment Plan is not given, instead only an approval for containing Soil Erosion, firewood, compensating deforestation, etc was given for Rs. 21 Lakhs. A proper CAT plan to be given to DFO or Nodal Officer.


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