

## भारत सरकार

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

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F. No. 3-AS C/162/2023/GHY/ /44 98-99

12<sup>th</sup> September, 2023

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.

Proposal for diversion of 17.195 ha of forest land for 132 KV D/C Sankardavnagar-Sub: Lumding Transmission line in Lamding Mupa and Lumding Reserved Forest for 2020 KV Grid Sub Station under Nagaon South Division, Hojai (9.2 ha) and Dima Hasao East Division, Haflong (7.995 ha) in favour of AEGCL.

(i) Letter No.ECF No.263312/151 dated 21.08.2023 of Govt of Assam. Ref:

(ii)Letter No.3 AS C/162/2023/GHY/4182-83 dated 18.07.2023 of Sub Office, Guwahati.

Sir.

With reference to the subject and letter cited above, I am directed to inform that the information furnished by State Govt letter under reference (i) above has been examined in this office. The submitted GPS coordinates of the 18.40 ha CA area indicated in SoI map is found to be different from the submitted kml/shape file. State Govt is requested to furnish the following for further processing of this proposal:-

- 1. The corrected shape/kml file of the identified 18.40 ha CA area identified in Lumding Reserved Forest in Nagaon District or corrected SoI map indicating this CA site.
- 2. To conduct site inspection of the identified CA area by an officer not below the rank of Conservator of Forest and report to be submitted to this office mentioning vegetation and forest cover density with photographs of the inspecting officer taken at the site, or else, an alternate CA site be submitted along with SOI maps, site suitability certificate, GPS-coordinates, shape file etc. as the identified alternate CA site is covered with 10.114 ha moderately dense forest, 0.919 ha open forest and 7.356 ha non forest land as per the DSS.

Deputy Inspector General of Porests

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.

Deputy Inspector General of Forests (C)