

F. No. IA- J-11011/1251/2007 - IA II (I)
Government of India
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change
(Impact Assessment Division)

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Dated: 08th March, 2022

To,
Principal chief conservator of forests, Assam,
Aranya Bhawan, Panjabari,
Guwahati, Kamrup (Metropolitan)
Pin - 781037

Sub: Onshore Oil & Gas development drilling and production in DumdumaPengeri Area in TinsukiaDistrict under PMLs namely Mechaki PML, Borhapjan PML, Dumduma PML and Digboi PML Tinsukia Assam by M/s OIL INDIA LIMITED- Consideration of Environment Clearance reg.

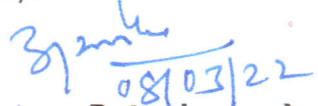
Sir,

This has reference to online proposal No. IA/AS/IND2/220363/2007 for grant of EC to the above mentioned project.

2. It was observed that Bogapani elephant corridor is located within 1 km of one of the proposed wells. Further, the proposed area falls under the critical elephant habitat and corridor which connects the two States Assam and Arunachal Pradesh. The proposed diversion is completely falling under the Dihing-Patkai Elephant Reserve, Assam and South Arunachal Elephant Reserve, Arunachal Pradesh.

3. In this regard you are kindly requested to furnish your comments on impacts of proposed activities (Onshore Oil & Gas development drilling) on elephants and their habitat/ corridors conservation.

4. This issues with the approval of the competent authority.


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