

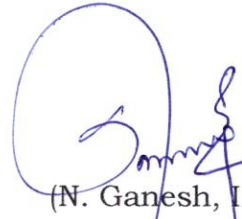


(Col No. 13 of Form A, Part II of Forest Conservation Act, 1980)

13. Specific recommendation of the DFO for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with reasons.

***The density of the forest cannot be ascertained as the area has already been under violation, and all Forest of Manipur falls under eco class 1, so the area must also be under eco class 1. As the area proposed for diversion is meant for the much-needed power supply to the rural masses in the nearby villages. Hence, the proposal for diversion is recommended.***

Imphal East, the 4<sup>th</sup> March, 2024

  
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