

SITE INSPECTION REPORT OF DIVISIONAL FOREST OFFICER BISHNUPUR FOREST DIVISION

Site Inspection Report of the Divisional Forest Officer, Bishnupur Forest Division, Bishnupur in connection with the proposal for Diversion of 5.5 Ha of Forest land for Quarrying of murum and shaly/slaty earth by M/S Noren Enterprises, Brahmapur Nahabam, P.O.-Imphal, Imphal East, Manipur.

- a) Site Inspection was carried out by the undersigned with DFO/Bishnupur Forest Division and RFO/Bishnupur Range along with the representatives of the User Agency on 15th January, 2020 and 14th June, 2020
- b) The proposed area falls under Bishnupur Forest Division and within the Tairenpokpi-Tamenglong Protected Forest
- c) Vulnerability of forest land proposed is minimal
- d) Rare/Endangered/Unique species of fauna and flora are not found as the area is a degraded area
- e) The proposed project area is not part of any National Park, Wildlife Sanctuary, Community Reserve
- f) No protected Archeological/Heritage site or other defence establishment or any other important monuments were found in the area to be diverted. One BRTF campus is situated around 200-300 meters from the site, though the quarrying will not affect the Campus
- g) The required forest land as proposed by the User Agency is unavoidable and barest minimum for the project.
- h) No violation of Forest Conservation Act, 1980 by the User Agency is observed.
- i) The forest class of the proposed area is Eco-Class-I
- j) The proposed area starts from forest land and ends on forest land
- k) Forest Type of the proposed diversion area falls under Sub-tropical Semi-evergreen forests
- l) Main vegetation found in the area are *Schima wallichii*, *Quercus serreta*, *Pinus kesiya*, *Ficus cuneata*, *Bombax ceiba* and bamboo etc belonging to girth class of 31-60 cm and 61-90 cm only amounting to 77 (Seventy seven) in nos.
- m) The vegetation has following crown density class
 - a. Open Forest: 5.5 Ha (100%)

Proposed land Co-ordinates are;

GPS Starting Point		GPS ending Point	
24°46'31.51"N	93°47'14.28"E	24°46'30.23"N	93°47'5.99"E

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