

PART- III
(To be filled by the concerned Conservator of Forests)

14. Whether site, where the forest land involved is located has been inspected by concerned conservator of Forests (Yes/No). If yes, the date of inspection & observations made in form of inspection note to be enclosed.

◇ **Yes, on the 9th February, 2017. (Inspection note enclosed).**

15. Whether the concerned Conservator of Forests agree with the information given in Part- II and the recommendations of Deputy Conservator of Forests.

◇ **No.**

16. Specific recommendations of concerned Conservator of Forests for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with detailed reasons.

◇ **Though the area is blank, the area is suitable for construction of Staff quarter/office, otherwise in future if we need land for construction of infrastructures, we may have to utilise the forest area. The protected forest around Shillong acts as the green lungs and if trees are planted in this area greenery can still be restored. Moreover, if the diversion is allowed, this will set a precedent to all the other villages and communities residing around the Protected & Reserve Forest in Shillong who may come forward for more diversion of forest land. This will lead to reduction in forest area and greenery of Shillong as a whole.**

Therefore the diversion of forest land is "Not Recommended".

Date: 9th February, 2017

Place: - Shillong.

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