INSPECTION NOTE OF LALTLANHLUA ZATHANG IFS, DFO AIZAWL FOR UPGRADATION OF TUIVAI – KEIFANG SECTION, NH-102B, MIZORAM

The proposal for diversion of forest into non forest purpose at the Upgradation to 2 Lane with paved shoulders of Tuivai-Keifang section of NH-102B has been received and site inspection was conducted.

On 08.04.2022 I have visited the site on accompaniment of Sh Lianchuailova Pachuau, Range Officer, Saitual Forest Range and Sh Bhatt NHIDCL from the User Agency and on the site inspection it was found that the land to be diverted is 5.99 Ha which falls within R Tuivawl Riverine Reserve Forest area under Saitual Forest Range of Aizawl Forest Division.

It is to submit that the land required by the User Agency for the purpose of road construction is very essential to connect NH06 in a shortest possible location, for economic corridor, unavoidable and put to the land required is the barest minimum, free from endangered/unique species of flora and fauna, protected archeological /heritage site/ defence establishment or any important monument in the area. The User Agency has not violated the provision of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 as they have initiated Forest Clearance application through PARIVESH portal.

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