

NET PRESENT VALUE OF THE FOREST LAND PROPOSED FOR DIVERSION

Project: Construction of Holongi Airport

Forest Area Proposed for Diversion under Sonitpur East Division: 2.604 ha

The proposed area of 2.604 ha falls within Gohpur Reserve Forest under Sonitpur East Division in Biswanath District and the Eco-Class of the proposed forest land is considered as Eco-Class I.

As per section 3.4 of Chapter 3 of Handbook of FC Act, 1980 & FC Rules, 2003 (Guidelines and Clarifications) and as per Honourable Supreme Court order vide IA No.826 & 566 dated 28/08/2008 & 09/05/2008 respectively, with regards to the rates of Net Present Value (NPV) of the forest land in Eco-Class I and Open Forest (OF) is considered at the approved rate of Rs. 11,16,900/hectare.

Hence the NPV for 2.604 ha = $2.604 \times 11,16,900 = \text{Rs. } 29,08,408/-$
(Rupees Twenty Nine Lakhs Eight Thousand Four Hundred and Eight only)


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