

RECOMMENDATION

(Diversion of 20.8609 Ha forest for proposed widening and improvement of NH-202: Yaingangpokpi to Nagaland Road Section falling under Central Forest Division, Imphal and Thoubal Forest Division, Thoubal by NHIDCL BO Imphal)

The proposal for widening and improvement of NH-202 into two laning is for improvement of road connectivity in hill areas of Manipur from Yaingangpokpi via Ukhrul to Nagaland. Proposed forest area for diversion is barest minimum and no alternate possible alignments are seen.

The proposal for diversion of 20.8609 hectare forest land- 12.6907 Ha in Yaingangpokpi RF and Khamenlok-Gwalatabi RF under Central Forest Division, Imphal and 8.1702 Ha in Yaingangpokpi Unclassed Forest under the Thoubal Forest Division, Thoubal is recommended under the following conditions:

- a) **Adequate measures to check soil erosion and land slide may be taken up at the project cost.**

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