

INSPECTION REPORT:

The undersigned accompanied along with the **Range Forest Officer, Shillong North Range**, inspected the site on **28.04.2021** and details of inspection report is as under :

1. Legal status of the forest land for diversion : **Deemed Forest.**
 2. Item wise break up details of forest land : **Construction of Science & Technology Demonstration Centre at NEHU Campus.**
 3. Whether proposal involves construction of Buildings (including residential) . : **Yes**
 4. Total cost of project at present rate : **Rs 570 lacs**
 5. Whether forest area proposed for diversion is important for Wildlife point of view : **No**
- Vegetation.**
6. a) Total No. of trees to be felled : **111 nos**
b) Effect of removal of trees on general eco system in the area. : **No**
- Important species:-**
- a) Number of trees to be felled of girth below 60 cm : **16 nos**
b) Number of trees to be felled of girth above 60 cm : **95**
7. Back ground note of the project : **The main objectives of the centre is to identify technologies needs based on which this project will demonstrate and disseminate technologies of R&D institutions/innovators in the state to provide the technological solutions for improving the livelihood of communities living in the state etc.**
8. Compensatory Afforestation .
 - a) Compensatory afforestation is suitable from plantation and management point of view : **Yes**
 - b) Whether land for compensatory afforestation is free from encroachment circumstances :
 - c) Whether land for compensatory is important from religion archeological point of view :- : **No.**
 - d) Whether land identified for compensatory afforestation is single patch or compact:- : **N/A.**

- Map with details : N/A
- f) Total financial outlay : N/A
9. Whether proposal involves violation of F.C. Act 1980 or not. If yes, a detailed report on violation including action taken against the concerned officials. : No.
10. Whether proposal involves rehabilitation of disposal persons : Not applicable.
11. Reclamation plan. Details and financial allocation : No.
12. Details of catchment and command area under the project . Catchment area treatment plan to prevent siltation of reservoir : No
13. Cost of benefit ratio : N/A.
14. Recommendation of the Principal Conservator of Forests /State Government :
15. Recommendations of Regional Chief Conservator of Forests along with detail reasons. :
16. Regional Chief Conservator of Forests shall give detailed comment on whether there are any alternative route/alignment for locating the project on non-forest land :
17. Utility of the project : The main objectives of the centre is to identify technologies needs based on which this project will demonstrate and disseminate technologies of R&D institutions/innovators in the state to provide the technological solutions for improving the livelihood of communities living in the state etc.
18. i) Whether land being diverted has any Socio-Cultural/religion value : No.
- ii) Whether any sacred grove or very old grown trees/forest exist in the area proposed for diversion : No.
- iii) Whether the land under diversion forms part of unique eco- system. : No.

19. Situation with respect to any protected area : **No.**
(Wildlife Sanctuary/ National Park/Project
Tiger/Project-Elephant/bio-diversity Reserved)

20. Any other information. : **None.**


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