

INSPECTION REPORT:

The undersigned accompanied along with the **Range Forest Officer, Shillong South Range**, inspected the site on **01.04.2022** and details of inspection report is as under :

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| 1. Legal status of the forest land for diversion | : Riat Laban Reserve Forest, Laitkor Protected Forest & Law Syiem (Deemed Forest). |
| 2. Item wise break up details of forest land | : Laying of Pipeline through Riat Laban Reserve Forest (0.023 ha), Laitkor Protected Forest (0.033 ha) & Law Syiem (0.05ha Deemed Forest). |
| 3. Whether proposal involves construction of Buildings (including residential) . | : No |
| 4. Total cost of project at present rate | : Rs 316 lacs |
| 5. Whether forest area proposed for diversion is important for Wildlife point of view | : No |
| <u>Vegetation.</u> | |
| 6. a) Total No. of trees to be felled | : 0 nos |
| b) Effect of removal of trees on general eco system in the area. | : No |
| <u>Important species:-</u> | |
| a) Number of trees to be felled of girth below 60 cm | : 0 nos |
| b) Number of trees to be felled of girth above 60 cm | : 0 nos |
| 7. Back ground note of the project | : The project proposal is for laying pipelines through Forest land. |
| 8. Compensatory Afforestation . | |
| a) Compensatory afforestation is suitable from plantation and management point of view | : Compensatory Afforestation by way of planting 100 plants of tall seedlings at C-5 of Upper Shillong Protected Forest. |
| b) Whether land for compensatory afforestation is free from encroachment circumstances | : Yes |
| c) Whether land for compensatory is important from religion archeological point of view :- | : N/A |
| d) Whether land identified for compensatory afforestation is single patch or compact:- | : Yes |
| e) Map with details | : KML Enclosed. |
| f) Total financial outlay | : Rs 88,194/- |

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 : **N/A.**
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 project proposal is for laying pipelines through Forest land.**
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 (Wildlife Sanctuary/ National Park/Project Tiger/Project-Elephant/bio-diversity Reserved) : **No.**
20. Any other information. : **None.**


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 Shillong.



Latitude: 25°32'10"
Longitude: 91°51'1"
Elevation: 1889.39±8 m
Accuracy: 19.5 m
Note: PHE pipeline Airforce

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