

# FORMAT FOR JOINT INSPECTION REPORT FOR FOREST CONSERVATION ACT, 1980 CLEARANCE

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1	<b>Name of project:</b>	Construction of proposed approach road from Thangu- Gurudongmar main road to Chopta Animal Husbandry and Veterinary Services Farm under Lachen Territorial Range, North Sikkim.						
2	<b>Brief Project Report</b>	The project will require 0.1420 Ha of Forest Land (Khasmal) from NHS to yak breeding farm at Chopta Valley. The road is meant for connectivity for the people living in the surrounding areas.						
3	<b>Date of Joint Inspection</b>	27 <sup>th</sup> June, 2014						
4	<b>Participants:</b> a. Name b. Designation c. Department	<p>The user agency Sikkim Public work Deptt (SPWD) has proposed a road from NHS to Yak breeding farm at Chopta valley. The proposed project is covering 0.1420 Ha of Govt. Khas land. To find the feasibility a joint survey was carried out in the presence of the following persons.</p> <table> <tr> <th>Forest representative</th><th>LRD Representative</th><th>User Agency</th></tr> <tr> <td>1. Mr. Pradeep Subba Forest Range Officer FEWMD</td><td>Mr L.S Bartawal Revenue Officer LRD</td><td>AE (SPWD)</td></tr> </table>	Forest representative	LRD Representative	User Agency	1. Mr. Pradeep Subba Forest Range Officer FEWMD	Mr L.S Bartawal Revenue Officer LRD	AE (SPWD)
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5	<b>Details of Land( in ha)</b> a. Private Land: b. Forest Land: c. Total Land involved	0.8520 Ha (Pvt Land ) 0.1420 Ha (Govt Khas Land bearing plot no. 158) 0.9940 Ha including Pvt land.						

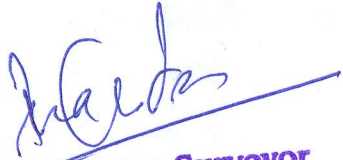
6	<b>Enumeration list of forest crops</b>	Enclosed
7	<b>Legal status of Forest Land</b> a. Gaucharan b. Khasmal c. Reserve Forest d. Any other	Khasmal
8	<b>Legal status of Private Land as Per 1951-52 record</b> (Details of private land to be attested And attested copy of Cadastral Map	Enclosed
9	<b>Item wise break up of Forestland required as per project</b>	As mention above Vide SI No. 5
10	<b>Whether any National Park , Wild Life Sanctuary involved Or not</b>	N/A
11	<b>Type of Vegetation:</b> a. Top Canopy b. Middle Canopy c. Ground Flora	Enclosed.

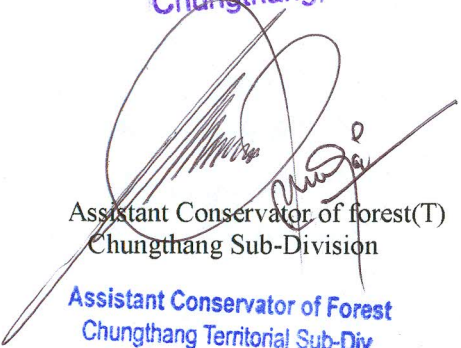
12.	<b>Density of crops:-(In%)</b>	0.01%
13.	<b>No of felling of tree poles and other forest produce involve or not.</b>	As the area falls above tree line zone,there is no felling involved expect ground flora.
14.	<b>Brief observation of inspection team.</b>	<p>Joint inspection was carried out along with the user agency and representative of LRD Chungthang Sub-Division on 27<sup>th</sup> June, 2014. The proposed forest land for construction of approach road from NHS to Yak breeding farm at Chopta valley require 0.1420 ha, as the area falls above tree line zone, it is enriched with Rhododendron thickets, Orchis latifolia, Rhododendron anthopogen, Picrorhiza kurooa, juniperous recurva, Rheum emodi and Primula spp etc. At present there is a 4'-5'wide tracking trail running between NHS to Yak breeding farm at Chopta valley.</p> <p>Hence, the user agency is requested to upgrade the existing trail and while executing the construction of the road there may be spillage of muck into the river. In order to check such non ecofriendly activities the user agency is asked to put retaining wall and breast wall along the Chopta/Thangu river, were necessary and proper muck disposal site. If the above suggestion is followed by the user agency there is no negative impact caused towards Forest Environment.</p>
15.	<b>Co-ordinates:</b>	<p>(1)N:-27°54'26.1" (2)N:-27°54'26.1" (3)N:-27°54'25.0" (4)N:-27°54'25.4" (5)N:-27°54'24.3"  E:-88°31'33.2" E:-88°31'33.7" E:-88°31'24.0" E:-88°31'34.7" E:-88°31'34.6"  Alt:-13173 FT Alt:-13195 FT Alt:-13238 FT Alt:-13195 FT Alt:-13211 FT  (6)N:-27°54'23.9"  E:- 88°31'35.0"  Alt:-13208 FT</p>
16.	<b>Sketch map of proposed project area showing details alignment.</b>	Enclosed.



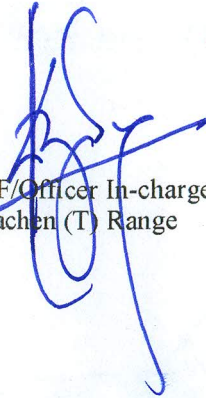
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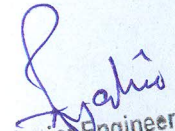
  
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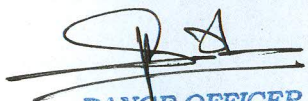
  
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