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Chapter-I: The Tract Dealt with

Number and date of gazette notification	Section of forest act	Name of forest reserve	Area in acres	Remarks
1431TR dt. 2 nd November 1923	19	Extension of Lower Tonde Range	19.46	
Total :			89,584.86	Or say 89,584.00 (36,253.35 Ha.)

Notification No. 7308 to 7318 For., dated 23rd May 1927 gave amended and more accurate description of the boundaries of all blocks and their areas, except Tonde, Diana, South Khairbanda Murti Extension and Extension to Lower Tonde Reserves. The areas given in the above notification have been using in compiling the statement given in paragraph. Where amended notification have not yet been published, the areas given in the 4"=1 mile reserved forest maps of 1918-19 were used.

1.10. Reserved Forest under other Department or Directorates

The 8th Working Plan of Jalpaiguri shows the following areas of Reserved Forest under other Department or Directorates.

All timber and other forest produce on the land are property of the Forest Directorate. Other Departments or Directorates have the rights of use only: - Table 1.12

Department or Directorate to which transferred.	Purpose	Block	Area in acres	Government order
Bengal-Assam Railway	For setting railway line.	Tonde	320.00	Not known
Communication and Works Department	For setting communication line.	Tonde	79.00	Not known
Communication and Works Department	For setting communication line.	Tonde	78.00	No. 166 T.R dt 30.09.21
Burmah Oil Company	For setting pipelines	Udlajhora Pangjhora North Indong	35.63	Not known (these figures include Diana Range also.)
Defense	For Defense	Sipchu	28.00	Not known.
Lateral route	For setting line	North Indong Pangjhora Hillaihora	208.33	Not known.
Jaldhaka Hydro Electric Project.	For setting line and switch yard	Sipchu Udlajhora Pangjhora Indong	218.18 & 20.00	Not known.
Defense	For Defense	Rethi-2	33.00	Not available.
	For Defense	Banarhat	0.367	Not available.
	Ammunition	Rethi-2	40.51	Not available.
Bengal Assam Railway	For setting the railway line.	Diana	151.00	Not available.
Communication and Works	For setting communication line.	Diana	4.33	No. 1299 dt. 10 th February 1917.
Irrigation & Waterways	For construction of Teesta Barrage.	-	8.228	No. 8189/89/FC dt 11.12.94

1.10.1 Area under Military and other occupation

The 8th Working Plan of Jalpaiguri Division states the following areas under military occupation.

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