

(iv) **Justification for locating the project in forest area.**

The famous Monastery of Thangsing is located just 3 km away from this point. Some additional facilities for the Tourists visiting this area is being added under the same scheme. Hence, to add on the facilities for this are the proposed site has been selected and proposed accordingly. This will definitely boost the Tourism in Sikkim and it will create additional ways of earnings for the local public of this area. The proposed site falls under the Bermiok - Thangsing Khasmal.