

Net Present Value for the Forest land being diverted

Full Title of Project: Diversion of 0.453 hectare of Forest land in favour of Himachal Pradesh Police Department for the construction of Police Post at Dhami at Ghandal, District-Shimla, falls within the jurisdiction of Shimla (Rural) Forest Division, Tehsil and District - Shimla, Himachal Pradesh. (Online Proposal No. FP/HP/Others/37369/2018).

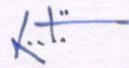
In compliance to the order dated 28th March, 2008 of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India in Writ Petition (Civil) number 202 of 1996 in the matter of T.N. Godavarman Thirumalpad Vs. Union of India, the Govt. of India, Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change (Forest Conservation Division) vide letter No. 5-3/2011-FC (Vol.-I) dated 6th January, 2022 has prescribed the Net Present Value in lieu of Diversion of Forest land as follows.

The Ecological class - V includes the Forest type found in the Forest being diverted for the above titled Project. The average density of the Forest is 0.09 i.e. Open Forest.

As per letter of the Govt. of India, MoEF&CC referred above, the Net Present Value of Rs. 10,05,210/- has been fixed per hectare for the Eco - Class - V, Open Forest, hence the total value works out to be Rs. 4,55,360/- (Rupees four lakh fifty five thousand three hundred sixty) only for 0.453 hectare of Forest land being diverted.

Place: Shimla

Dated: 25/09/2023


Divisional Forest Officer (Rural),
Forest Division, Shimla