

**NET PRESENT VALUE (NPV) BILL**

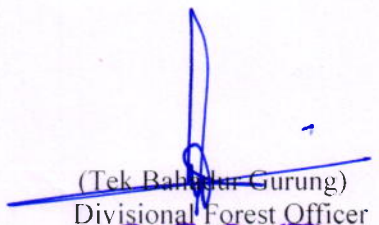
**Name of the Project** : Proposal for diversion of 1.1384 ha. of Forest land for Construction of road from Nayabazar Soreng to Gelling Dara to Gelling School in Soreng district of Sikkim.

**User Agency** : Roads & Bridge Department, Govt. of Sikkim.

1. **Area of forest land proposed for diversion** : 1.1384 Ha.
2. **Crop Density** : 60 %
3. **Rate of NPV notification (as per the Hon'ble Supreme Court Order dt 15<sup>th</sup> May, 2008)** : Rs. 8,97,000/- per ha for Eco class VI (Dense forest)
4. **Net Present Value (NPV) bill** : Rs. 10,21,145.00

The Upper Hill forests area has been proposed for diversion of Forest Land for Construction of road from Nayabazar Soreng to Gelling Dara to Gelling School in Soreng district of West Sikkim by Roads & Bridge Department, Govt. of Sikkim. It has been categorized as Montane Wet Temperate Forests, under Eco-Class VI in accordance with the order of Hon'ble Supreme Court of India dated 15<sup>th</sup> May 2008. The crop density of the forest land is 60 %, it has been further categorized as dense forest (as per State of Forest Report, 2017). So, Forest land with Eco Class VI rate of Rs. 8, 97,000/- per ha was taken. Therefore the Net Present Value of 1.1384 ha. of forest land diverted, is calculated amounting to **Rs. 10,21,145.00**

**(Rupees Ten Lakhs Twenty one Thousand One Hundred Forty five) only.**

  
(Tek Bahadur Gurung)  
Divisional Forest Officer  
Soreng Territorial Division  
**D.F.O. (T)**  
**WEST**