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**Justification for Rupsi Airport Project for locating near to Forest Land**

Rupsi Airport is already operation with ATR 72 Aircrafts with 70 seats. Due to the increase of passengers in future the Airport has to be upgraded to cater A 320 / 321 type aircrafts. Hence the runway has to be extended and as per norms of DGCA. The length of runway at present is 1800 m. This is to be extended to 2450 m. The basic strip of runway has to be increased to 140 m on both sides of runway. At present only 75 m basic strip is available on both side of runway. In addition to that expansion of Terminal Building and allied buildings, Cargo Building etc. has to be made.

Accordingly 107 acres of Forest Land has to taken over in order to meet the operational requirement to fulfill the norms of DGCA etc.

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