

No.27/38/2020-For & Env  
GOVERNMENT OF MANIPUR

SECRETARIAT: FORESTS & ENVIRONMENT DEPARTMENT

Imphal, the 17<sup>th</sup> February, 2020

To,

The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & HoFF  
Manipur

Subject: Proposal for diversion of 0.027 ha of forest land under Heingang RF for  
Construction of the Irrigation Canal by the Minor Irrigation Department,  
Manipur-reg.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 7/250/2019/Forest/142, dated 16/01/2020 on the above subject, I am directed to convey the In Principal approval of the Government under section 2 (ii) of Forest Conservation Act, 1980 read with General Approval para 4.3(f) of FCA & Rules (Guidelines and Clarifications) for diversion of 0.027 hectare of forest land under Heingang RF for construction of Irrigation Canal by Minor Irrigation Department, Manipur subject to the following conditions:

1. Legal status of the forest land shall remain unchanged.
2. Compensatory Afforestation shall be taken up by the Forest Department over 0.06-hectare degraded forest land identified in compartment 3 under khabam Forest block of the Heingang Reserved Forest under Sadar East Range, Central Forest Division as per CA fund deposited by user agency. As far as possible, a mixture of local indigenous species shall be planted and monoculture of any species may be avoided.
3. User agency shall restrict the felling of trees to minimum number in the diverted forest land and the trees shall be felled under the strict supervision of the State Forest Department and the cost of felling of trees shall be deposited by the User Agency.
4. Estimate for felling, logging and transportation shall be prepared by DFO central and amount shall be deposited by User agency to DFO /Central's Bank Account.
5. The complete compliance of the FRA, 2006 shall be ensured by way of prescribed certificate from the concerned District Collector.
6. The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without prior approval of Department.
7. No labour camp shall be established on the forest land.
8. The boundary of the diverted forest land shall be suitably demarcated on ground and cost of boundary pillars construction shall be deposited by the user agency to the bank account of the DFO/Central as per detailed estimates to be submitted by him.
9. No additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for transportation of construction materials for execution of the project work.
10. The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the project proposal.
11. The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agencies, department or person without prior approval competent authority.
12. Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and action would be taken as per the MoEF & CC guideline.
13. Any other condition that the Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change or state government may stipulate from time to time in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forests & wildlife.

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14. Net present Value (NPV) of Rs19710/- only and cost of Compensatory Afforestation (CA) amounting to Rs15,789/- only shall be deposited in the manner as prescribe below: -

- 90% of NPV & CA to State Compensatory Afforestation Fund

Major Head	8336	Civil Deposits
Sub-Major Head	00	
Minor Head	103	State Compensatory Afforestation Deposits
Sub Head	16	Manipur
Detailed	01	Compensatory Afforestation
	02	Catchment Area Treatment Plan
	03	Integrated Wildlife Management Plan
	04	Net Present Value of Forest Land
	05	Interest
	06	Others

- 10% of NPV & CA to National Compensatory Afforestation Fund

Major Head	8336	Civil Deposits
Sub-Major Head	00	
Minor Head	103	State Compensatory Afforestation Deposits
Credit		
Major Head	8121	General and Other Reserve Funds
Sub Major Head	00	
Minor Head	128	National Compensatory Afforestation Fund

15. After receipt of the compliance report from the User Agency on the fulfillment of the conditions mentioned above, final approval will be issued in this regard. Formal transfer of forest land shall not be effected by the State Government till final approval orders approving the diversion of forest land are issued by the state/Central Government.

Yours faithfully,

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13/2/2020

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Under Secretary (Forest & Environment)  
Government of Manipur

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