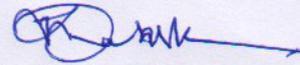


**JUSTIFICATION FOR LOCATING THE PROJECT IN FOREST AREA:**

In addition to the existing service reservoir at Iroisemba hill top another 9 MLD Master Zonal Reservoir is proposed to be constructed under Integrated Water Supply Project for Imphal Planning Area. PHED has been occupying the site for supplying of water to command areas of Imphal city since 1913 (British period) . The area proposed to be extended which is adjacent to the existing reservoir is non residential area and no alternative suitable land is available. The project site is specific.



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