

INSPECTION REPORT:

The undersigned accompanied along with the Range Forest Officer, i/c South & Southern Range inspected the site on **13/05/2017** and details of inspection report is as under:

1. Legal status of the forest land for diversion : i) Upper Shillong Government P F = 2.934 ha
ii) Private Deemed forest Land = 20.53 ha
2. Item wise break up details of forest land : For construction of 2 laning Road = 23.464 ha
3. Whether proposal involves construction of Buildings (including residential) . : No
4. Total cost of project at present rate : 231944 lacs
5. Whether forest area proposed for diversion is important for Wildlife point of view : No

Vegetation.

6. a) Total No. of trees to be felled : 4388 nos
- b) Effect of removal of trees on general Eco system in the area. : Does not arise.

Important species:-

- a) Number of trees to be felled of girth below 60 cm : i) Upper Shillong Government PF = 622 nos
ii) Private Deemed Forest land = 1358 nos
- b) Number of trees to be felled of girth above 60 cm : i) Upper Shillong Government PF = 106 nos
ii) Private Deemed Forest land = 2302 nos

7. Back ground note of the project : The project is meant for 2 laning of Shillong-Nongstoin Section of NH44 and Nonstoin-Tura State road under Phase-A of SARDP-NE in the State of Meghalaya.

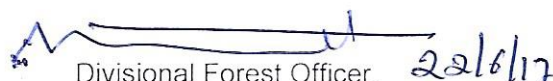
8. Compensatory Afforestation :-

- a) Compensatory afforestation is suitable from plantation and management point of view
- b) Whether land for compensatory afforestation is free from encroachment circumstances
- c) Whether land for compensatory is important from religion archeological point of view

Compensatory Afforestation shall be carried out on equivalent non-forest land adjacent to Nongumiang RF, West Khasi Hills

- d) Whether land identified for compensatory afforestation is single patch or compact : Compact
- e) Map with details : Enclosed
- f) Total financial outlay : Enclosed

9. Whether proposal involves violation of F.C. Act 1980 or not. If yes, a detailed report on violation including action taken against the concerned officials. : No violation taking place
10. Whether proposal involves rehabilitation of disposal persons : No
11. Reclamation plan. Details and financial allocation : None
12. Details of catchment and command area under the project. Catchment area treatment plan to prevent siltation of reservoir : N/A
13. Cost of benefit ratio : None
14. Recommendation of the Principal Conservator of Forests /State Government :
15. Recommendations of Regional Chief Conservator of Forests along with detail reasons. :
16. Regional Chief Conservator of Forests shall give detailed comment on whether there are any alternative route/alignment for locating the project on non-forest land :
17. Utility of the project : Upgradation of National Highway to 2 Lane will help to easy traffic movement and improves road network for benefit of public.
18. i) Whether land being diverted has any Socio-Cultural/religion value : No
- ii) Whether any sacred grove or very old grown trees/forest exist in the area proposed for diversion : No
19. Situation with respect to any protected area (Wildlife Sanctuary/ National Park/Project Tiger/Project-Elephant/bio-diversity Reserved) : No
20. Any other information. : None


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