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**Justification for Forest Land Diversion**

The project for Water Supply Scheme Manthpora Dardpora (Lolab) is sanctioned and approved under Languishing schemes programme. The proposal of the project is to provide potable drinking water to about 4839 souls after its completion. Also, no other land except for forest land is available for constructing the said scheme as the proposed/ identified land is at higher contour covering the entire area/ village. The department needs only 0.05 hectare of land for construction of various structures including intake pipe line for which forest clearance is required.



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