

**Government of India**  
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change  
(Forest Conservation Division)  
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Dated: February, 2024

To,

The Principal Secretary (Forests)  
Department of Environment, Forests and Climate Change,  
Government of Arunachal Pradesh,  
Itanagar.

**Subject: Proposal for seeking prior approval of the Central Government under Section 2 (1) (ii) of the Van (Sanrakshan Evam Samvardhan) Adhiniyam, 1980 in favour of M/s Geo-Enpro Petroleum Limited, for non-forestry use of 83.412 ha. (94.712 ha proposed originally) of forest land for drilling of Oil well at 24 (originally proposed 27) new locations in Changlang District of Arunachal Pradesh. (Online Proposal No. FP/AR/MIN/44736/2014)- regarding.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to Government of Arunachal Pradesh's letter No.FOR.572/Cons/2004/402-05 dated 30<sup>th</sup> January, 2024 and letter No. FOR.572/Cons/2004/685-88 dated 22<sup>nd</sup> February, 2024 forwarding the compliance report of the conditions stipulated in the Stage-I approval letter dated 14.02.2023. After examination of the compliance report Ministry observed the following observations:

- i. The User Agency has not uploaded KML files of the polygons of forest area under diversion and degraded forest area identified and accepted for raising compensatory afforestation, in the E-Green watch portal. In this regard, the State Government is requested to kindly upload the KML files on the Green watch portal and submit the GPS ID to this Ministry.

In view of above, the State Govt. is requested to submit the above information to this Ministry at the earliest, for further consideration of the proposal for Stage-II approval.

Yours faithfully,

**(S. Sundar)**  
Assistant Inspector General of Forests

**Copy to:**

1. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (HoFF), Government of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar.

2. The APCCF cum Nodal Officer, (FCA), Government Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar.
3. The DDGF (C) Regional Office, Shillong, MoEF&CC.
4. User Agency.
5. Monitoring Cell, FC Division, MoEF & CC, New Delhi, for uploading.