

Government of India
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change
(Forest Conservation Division)

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Corrigendum

To
The Principal Secretary (Forests)
Department of Forest and Environment
Government of Arunachal Pradesh
Itanagar

Sub: Proposal for diversion 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 by M/s Geo-Enpro Petroleum Limited seeking forest clearance under Section 2(ii) of FC Act' 1980. (Online Proposal No. FP/AR/MIN/44736/2014). -reg.,

Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry's letter of even number dated 14.02.2023 (Stage-I approval) conveying the Stage-I approval under Section 2 of the FCA, 1980 to the State Government. In this regard, a request has been received from the State Government intimating that the actual area for diversion is 83.412 ha. (94.712 ha. - 11.30 ha.) after excluding of 11.30 ha (overlapping area) from 94.712 ha. (original proposal), **not 83.12 ha as mentioned in the Stage-I/in-principle approval.**

After examination of the above matter in the Ministry the area of said letter which reads as "diversion of 83.12 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 by M/s Geo-Enpro Petroleum Limited seeking forest clearance under Section 2(ii) of FC Act' 1980" **shall be read as** "*diversion 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 by M/s Geo-Enpro Petroleum Limited seeking forest clearance under Section 2(ii) of FC Act' 1980*"

This issues with the approval of the competent authority.

Yours faithfully,

(Dr. Dheeraj Mittal)
Assistant Inspector General of Forests

Copy to: -

1. The PCCF (HoFF), Government of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar.
2. The Nodal Officer, FCA, Government of Arunachal Pradesh, Itanagar.
3. The Regional Officer, Integrated Regional Office, Guwahati of MoEF&CC.
4. The User Agency.
5. The Monitoring Cell of FC division MoEF&CC, New Delhi.