

**F. No. 3-MGC017/2022-SHI**  
Government of India  
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change  
(Forest Conservation Division)  
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**Dated:01-04-2026**

To

**The Principal Secretary (Forests),**  
Forest and Environment Department,  
Government of Meghalaya,  
Shillong.

**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 Green Valley Industries Ltd. for non-forestry use of 11.09 ha of deemed forest land for Opencast Limestone Mining Project (10.71 Ha Mining Area + 0.38 ha approach road to mine) located at Madan Pyrda, Chiehruphi village in East Jaintia Hills District of Meghalaya (Online Proposal No. FP/ML/MIN/40422/2019)- regarding.**

Sir/Madam,

I am directed to refer to Government of Meghalaya letter No. FOR.64/2021/1179 dt. 14.01.2026 which was received in the Ministry on 04.02.2026 on the above mentioned subject submitting Stage- I compliance report and to say that examination of the said compliance report revealed following shortcoming:

- i. KML files of land proposed for diversion and land identified for raising CA in compliance to condition No. ix of Stage- I approval is not uploaded on e-Green watch portal. The State Government has mentioned that uploading of KML is under process. The same has to be uploaded on e-Green watch portal and details of the same needs to be submitted.
- ii. Plan to surrender mined out and reclaimed forest land is not submitted in compliance to condition No. xxi of Stage- I approval stated to be enclosed along with the compliance report is not submitted. The same needs to be submitted.

In view of the above, the State Government is requested to submit the information/documents, as indicated above, for further consideration of the proposal in the Ministry.

Digitally signed by  
CHARAN JEET SINGH  
Date: 01-04-2026  
11:19:55

Yours  
faithfully,

Sd/-  
(Charan Jeet Singh)

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**Copy to: -**

1. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & HoFF, Government of Meghalaya, Shillong.
2. The DDGF (C) Regional Office, Shillong, MoEF&CC.
3. The APCCF-cum-Nodal Officer, FCA, Government of Meghalaya, Shillong.
4. The Monitoring Cell, MoEF&CC, New Delhi.
5. User Agency.