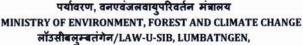


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आयुक्तऔरसचिव/ Commissioner & Secretary, मेघालयसरकार / Govt of Meghalaya, वनऔरपर्यावरणविभाग / Forests & Environment Department, शिलांग / Shillong.

Sub: Proposal for diversion of 0.2 Hectare for Skill Development and Capacity building of Traditional Healers of Meghalaya at Bio- resources Development centre at 5 <sup>1/2</sup> Mile Upper Shillong- reg.

Ref: Letter No. FOR.21/2022/52 dated 20th June, 2022 from Forest Department, Govt of Meghalaya.

Sir,

Please refer to the Government of Meghalaya letter No. FOR.21/2022/52 dated 20<sup>th</sup> June, 2022 on the subject mentioned above, seeking prior approval of the Central Government in accordance with Section 2 of the FCA, 1980. The proposal forwarded by the State Govt has been examined in this office in the light of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, and rules/guidelines framed there under. The State Govt. is requested to provide following additional information for further processing of the case:

1) The status of the land currently being occupied by the User Agency may be specified.

 Being a non-site specific proposal, alternatives explored and the justification for proposing in forest land may be provided.

3) State Forest Department may specifically justify the managerial practicability of having 5 sites for compensatory afforestation area of 0.4 ha.

4) Scanned SoI toposheet map depicting the proposed location for Compensatory Afforestation area along with the patches may be furnished after duly signed by DFO concerned.

5) Covering / forwarding letter of State Govt has not been signed, the same may be submitted after duly signed by the State Government.

6) In the forwarding letter i.e. in the Brief Description it has been mentioned as Laying of Gravity Main Line at Upper Shillong; the same may be clarified by State Govt.

7) Suitability certificate for CA land from DFO concerned.

8) Distance from the nearest Protected Area.

9) GPS Coordinates of the proposed diversion area and compensatory afforestation area.

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