

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF ENVIRONMENT, FOREST & CLIMATE CHANGE NORTH EASTERN REGIONAL OFFICE LAW-U-SIB, LUMBATNGEN

SHILLONG-793021

PHONE NO: 0364-2537609

FAX NO: 0364-2536041

Email: moefro.shillong@gov.in

## No. 3- AS B 041/2017-SHI/1794-95

04th September, 2017

To

The Secretary, Government of Assam, Environment and Forests Department, Dispur, Guwahati.

Sub: Proposal for diversion of 1.0 hectare of forest land for operation of Chitalmari Stone Quary No.02 under Chitalmari Reserve Forest in Goalpara Division in favour of Sri Bona Das, Goalpara District.

Sir,

Please refer to the State Government letter No. FRS.166/2017/41 dated 21.08.2017 on the subject cited above, seeking prior approval of the Central Government in accordance with Section 2 of the FCA, 1980. I am directed to inform that the proposal referred above has been examined in this office in the light of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, and rules/guidelines framed thereunder and proposal has been found deficient. The following additional information/documents are found lacking:

- (i) The status of the Environment clearance of the proposed area.
- (ii) The cost of the project is to be submitted.
- (iii) The aerial distance of the proposed area from the nearest Wildlife Sanctuary/ National Park/Protected Area.
- (iv) The attested Forest Right Act, 2006 certificate as per the prescribed format.

State Govt is requested to kindly furnish the above information immediately to this office so that the proposal may be placed in the next REC meeting.

Yours faithfully,

Conservator of Forests (C)

Copy to:-

 The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & HoFF, Govt of Assam, Govt of Assam, Rop Konwar Jyoti Prasad Agarwal Path, Near Srimanta Sankardev Kalakhetra, Panjabari, Guwahati -781037.

Conservator of Forests (C)