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NOTIFICATION

No.B.11021/11/2010-FST/320-324, the 9th April, 2014. Whereas, para 3.1. (i) of the Handbook of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980; Forest Conservation Rules, 2003 and Guidelines & Clarification published by Government of India, Ministry of Environment & Forests clarifies that compensatory afforestation is one of the most important conditions stipulated by the Central Government while approving proposals for de-reservation or diversion of forest land for non-forest uses;

Whereas, para 3.4 (i) of the Handbook stipulates that equivalent non-forest land identified for compensatory afforestation are to be transferred to the ownership of the State Forest Department and declared as reserved/protected forest, so that the plantation raised can be maintained permanently;

Whereas, Ministry of Environment & Forest vide letter No.2-1/2003-FC dt.20.10.2003 stipulates that “The non-forest land which is transferred and mutated in favour of the State Forest Department for the purpose of compensatory afforestation should be declared as RF/PF under the Indian Forest Act, 1927 prior to Stage-II approval.”

Whereas, the Ministry of Environment & Forests, Government of India vide F.No.8-84/2002-FC dt.3.02.2004 amended para 4.2 (i) of the guidelines issued on 20.10.2003 under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 that “the non-forest land which is transferred and mutated in favour of the State Forest Department for the purpose of compensatory afforestation, should be declared as RF/PF under the Indian Forest Act, 1927. The land shall be handed over to the User Agency after the same has been mutated in favour of Forest Department. Stage-II clearance shall be given after the land is mutated in favour of the Forest Department but the Nodal Officer must report compliance within a period of 6 months and send a copy of original notification declaring the non-forest land under Section 4 or section 29 of the Indian Forest Act, 1927, as the case may be, to the Central Government for information and record.”

Whereas, the State Revenue Department has transferred und mutated to State Environment & Forest Department an area of 3020 ha. of non-forest land located on the eastern side of Serlui river covering part of Bukpui and North Hlimen jurisdiction in lieu of forest land diverted for construction of Serlui ‘B’ HEP vide notification LRR.298/81/95 dt.27.06.1991 and handing over of land executed on 18.07.1991;

And whereas, the Indian Forest Act, 1927 is not extended to Mizoram due to enforcement of the State Act called as the Mizoram (Forests) Act, 1955;

Now, therefore, in terms of direction given by the Central Government as above, and in exercise of the powers conferred by section 14 read with section 21 of the Mizoram (Forests) Act, 1955; the Governor of Mizoram is pleased to notify the under mentioned area transferred and mutated by Revenue Department to Environment & Forest Department as Government Reserved Forest with effect from the date of publication in Mizoram Gazette:

Name of Government Reserve Forest	:	Compensatory Afforestation Reserve Forest under Serlui "B" Hydro Electric Project
Forest Division	:	Kolasib Forest Division
Location	:	Eastern side of Serlui river covering part of Bukpui and North Hlimen jurisdiction.
Extent of area	:	3020 Hectares

SITUATION AND LIMIT/BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

Starting Point : Boundary Pillar No. 1 is fixed at the edge of footpath to Bukpui village and southern corner of the land itself and use as starting point.

Western Side : From boundary pillar No. 1 the boundary line goes at 18° with pillar No. 2 fixed at 430 m and boundary pillar No. 3 at 625m having 357°. Boundary pillar No. 4 is fixed at 430 m having 340°. From pillar No. 4 the boundary goes at 322° and pillar No. 5 was fixed at 200m. Pillar No. 6 was fixed at 150m and 360°. And boundary pillar No. 7 was fixed at 220° having 50° and at 1340m and 28°, pillar No. 9 was fixed at 370° and 385°, pillar No. 10 was fixed. Boundary pillar No. 11 was fixed at 250m and 20° and at 325° and 180m, pillar No. 12 was fixed from boundary pillar No. 12 the line goes up 02° and at 400m, pillar No. 13 was fixed and pillar No. 14 was fixed 300m and 325°. Pillar No. 15 was fixed at 370m and 302°. And at 05° and 259m, pillar No. 16 was fixed at boundary pillar No. 17 was fixed, 1200m at 27°. And at 05° and 750m pillar No. 18 was fixed from B.Pillar No. 18 the boundary goes at 350°. Boundary pillar No. 19 was fixed at 400m, B.Pillar No. 20 was fixed at 440m having 357°. From B.Pillar No. 20 the boundary goes like the dimension given below :

LINE	FB	Distance
20-21	328°	480.00
21-22	05°	1100.00
22-23	346°	425.00
23-24	19°	400.00
24-25	346°	830.00
25-26	10°	500.00
26-27	333°	300.00
27-28	17°	450.00
28-29	320°	300.00
29-30	33°	500.00
30-31	355°	200.00
31-32	13°	200.00
32-33	318°	300.00
33-34	349°	1250.00
34-35	09°	1800.00
35-36	202°	350.00
36-37	05°	420.00
37-38	58°	600.00
38-39	345°	520.00
39-40	326°	600.00
40-41	65°	630.00
41-42	322°	800.00

Northern Side : From boundary pillar No. 42 the boundary line goes at the direction of 63° and pillar No. 43 was fixed at 43m and pillar No. 44 was fixed at 460m having 106°, and pillar No. 45 was fixed at 560m and having 76°.

Eastern Side : From boundary pillar No. 45, the boundary line goes in the direction of 164° and pillar No. 46 was place at 670m, from pillar No. 46 the line is at 196° and at 970m pillar No. 47 was fixed and at 182° pillar No. 48 was fixed at 1320m the line goes on the direction of 207° and pillar No. 49 was fixed at 350m and pillar No. 50 was fixed at 350m having 137°. From B.Pillar No. 50 the boundary goes at the direction of 188° and pillar No. 51 was fixed at 450m on the southern edge of N.Hlimen road. From pillar No. 51 the boundary goes along the N.Hlimen road in the direction of 90° and pillar No. 52 was placed at 300m on the edge of the road. From pillar No. 52 the boundary goes at the direction of 55° and pillar No. 53 was fixed at 400m on the northern edge of N.Hlimen road. From boundary pillar No. 53, the boundary goes like dimension given below :

LINE	FB	DISTANCE
53-54	188°	440.00
54-55	199°	1020.00
55-56	198°	1700.00
56-57	186°	1840.00
57-58	170°	830.00
58-59	180°	1830.00
59-60	185°	2750.00
60-61	180°	2700.00
61-62	187°	900.00
62-63	186°	1750.00

Southern Side : From boundary pillar No. 63, the boundary line goes in the direction of 226° and pillar No. 64 was fixed at 700m and from B.Pillar No. 64, the boundary goes in the direction of 248° and at 450m at just reach the first pillar (Starting point) Pillar No. 1.

DIMENSION :

LINE	SD	FB	Line	SD	FB
1-2	430.00	18°	16-17	1200.00	27°
2-3	625.00	357°	17-18	750.00	05°
3-4	430.00	340°	18-19	400.00	350°
4-5	200.00	322°	19-20	440.00	357°
5-6	150.00	360°	20-21	480.00	328°
6-7-	200.00	306°	21-22	1100.00	05°
7-8	220.00	50°	22-23	425.00	346°
8-9	1340.00	28°	23-24	400.00	19°
9-10	370.00	325°	24-25	830.00	346°
10-11	250.00	20°	25-26	500.00	10°
11-12	180.00	335°	26-27	300.00	333°
12-13	400.00	02°	27-28	450.00	17°
13-14	300.00	325°	28-29	300.00	320°
14-15	370.00	302°	29-30	500.00	33°
15-16	250.00	05°	30-31	200.00	355°

DEMENSION :

Line	SD	FB
31-32	200	13°
32-33	300.00	318°
33-34	1250.00	349°
34-35	1800.00	09°
35-36	350.00	292°
36-37	420.00	05°
37-38	600.00	58°
38-39	520.00	345°
39-40	600.00	326°
40-41	630.00	65°
41-42	800.00	322°
42-43	450.00	63°
43-44	460.00	106°
44-45	560.00	76°
45-46	670.00	164°
46-47	970.00	196°
47-48	1320.00	182°
48-49	350.00	207°
49-50	350.00	137°
50-51	450.00	188°
51-52	300.00	90°
52-53	400.00	55°
53-54	440.00	188°
54-55	1020.00	199°
55-56	1700.00	198°
56-57	1840.00	186°
57-58	830.00	170°
58-59	1830.00	180°
59-60	2750.00	185°
60-61	2700.00	180°
61-62	900.00	187°
62-63	1750.00	186°
63-64	700.00	226°
64-1	450.00	248°

So, the whole area is 3,03,21,400 sq.m = 3032 hectares = 22665 bighas.

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