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NOTIFICATION

No. B. 18012/123/2012-IND, the 26th November, 2012. In the interest of public service, the Governor of Mizoram is pleased to constitute a Committee on Geotextiles for Mizoram with the following members:-

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1.	Secretary, PWD, Government of Mizoram	-	Chairman
2.	Representative from Ministry of DONER	-	Member
3.	Representative from Ministry of Textiles	-	Member
4.	Representative from Industries Department, Government of Mizoram	-	Member
5.	Representative from Forest Department, Government of Mizoram	-	Member
6.	Director, Bombay Textile Research Association	-	Member
7.	Director, Ahmedabad Textile Industry's Research	-	Member
8.	Engineer-in-Chief, PWD, Govt. of Mizoram	-	Member
9.	Chief Engineer, Minor Irrigation, Govt. of Mizoram	-	Member
10.	Director, Disaster Management & Rehabilitation Deptt.	-	Member
	Government of Mizoram		
11.	Representative from Border Road Organisation	-	Member
12.	Representative from National Jute Board	-	Member
13.	Representative from Indian Technical Textiles Association	-	Member
14.	Representative from National Textiles Corporation Limited	-	Member
15.	Representative from Office of Textiles Commissioner	-	Member Secretary

Terms of reference of the Committee will be as follows:

1. <u>Identification of shelf of projects</u>:

- a. To collate the list of on-going and planned projects in coordination with various agencies operational in the fields such as Ministry of Road Transport & Highways (MoRTH), PWD, BRO, Ministry of Rural Development (PMGSY) etc.
- b. Based on the identified list collated, the committee should develop a database which has the list of all relevant projects details as per the template at Annex-I (enclosed herewith). This template should be shared with the CEO: Geotech and Ministry of Textiles.

2. <u>Techno Economic Viability study</u>:

- a. To critically analyse the project list generated by the Committee and identify technically feasible projects for usage of geotextiles.
- b. To determine the suitable geotech products (e.g. geogrids, geocells, geotextiles etc.) to be use in each of the identified projects.

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- c. To analyse the economic viability with cost benefit analysis.
- d. To coordinate with various user Departments (e.g. PWD, MoRTH, etc.) and ensure that usage of geotextiles is included in DPR and all the tenders floated by such user Departments.

3. Availability of Geotech in North Eastern Region :

- a. To check for the availability of required geotech material in NE region, and identify the key suppliers in the region and on a pan India basis.
- b. To ensure adequate and smooth supply chain of Geotextiles material from the manufacturers in NER.

4. <u>Establishment of institutional framework for implementing the projects:</u>

- a. To ensure smooth coordination and implementation of the identified projects by identifying different stakeholders and assign responsibilities to each of them.
- b. To develop a mechanism for inter-stakeholder coordination and establishing linkages with various manufacturers, user departments infrastructure consultants, research agencies etc.

L. Tochhong, Chief Secretary to the Govt. of Mizoram.