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NOTIFICATION

No. A. 14014/35/2009-SWD, the 7th March, 2012. In exercise of the powers conferred under Sub-Section (3) of Section 6 of the Scheduled Tribes & Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006, the Governor of Mizoram is pleased to constitute Sub-Divisional Level Committee, Chawngte Sub-Division with the following members with immediate effect and until further orders :-

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(1)	Sub-Divisional Officer (Civil) Chawngte	- Chairman
(2)	Social Welfare Officer, Chakma Autonomous District Council	- Member
(3)	District Chief Conservator of Forest, Chakma Autonomous District Council	- Member
(4)	President, Mahila Samiti	- Member
(5)	Asst. Conservator of Forest, Chakma Autonomous District Council	- Member
(6)	President, MHIP, Chawngte L&P	- Member
(7)	Village Council President, Chawngte L&P	- Member
(8)	Village Council President, Kamalanagar I, II, III & IV	- Member
(9)	Child Development Project Officer, Integrated Child Development Scheme, Chawngte	- Member Secretary

(a) Function of the Sub-Divisional Level Committee - The sub-Divisional Level Committee (SDLC) shall - provide information to each Gram Sabha about their duties and duties of holder of forest rights and other towards protection of wildlife; forest and biodiversity with reference to critical flora and fauna which need to be conserved and protected;

- (b) provide forest and revenue maps and electoral rolls to the Gram Sabha or the Forest Rights Committee;
- (c) collate all the resolutions of the concerned Gram Sabhas;
- (d) consolidate maps and details provided by the Gram Sabhas;
- (e) examine the resolutions and the maps of the Gram Sabhas to ascertain the veracity of the claims;
- (f) hear and adjudicate disputes between Gram Sabhas on the nature and extent of any forest rights;
- (g) hear petitions from persons, including State agencies, aggrieved by the resolutions of the Gram Sabhas;
- (h) co-ordinate with other Sub-Divisional Level Committees for inter sub-divisional claims;
- (i) prepare block or tehsil-wise draft record of proposed forest rights after reconciliation of government records;
- (j) forward the claims with the draft record of proposed forest rights through the Sub-Divisional Officer to the District Level Committee for final decision;
- (k) raise awareness among forest dwellers about the objective and procedures laid down under the Act and in the rules;
- ensure easy and free availability of proforma of claims to the claimants as provided in Annexure-I (Forms A and B) of the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional of Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Rules, 2008.

B. Sairengpuii, Secretary to the Govt. of Mizoram.