

No.C.18011/5/2016- FST
GOVERNMENT OF MIZORAM
ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS & CLIMATE CHANGE DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

Dated Aizawl, the 2nd May, 2022

In exercise of the powers conferred by Rule 5 of the Mizoram Wood Based Industries (Establishment & Regulation) Rules 2017, and in supersession of this Department's Notification of even No. dt. 12.03.2020, the Governor of Mizoram is pleased to re-constitute the **State Level Committee for Establishment & Regulation of Wood Based Industries** as follows with immediate effect and until further order:-

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| 1. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Mizoram (HoD) | - Chair person |
| 2. Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (FC) | - Member |
| 3. Representative of Regional Office, Ministry of EF&CC, Shillong | - Member |
| 4. Director, Commerce & Industries Department or his representative | - Member |
| 5. Director, Land Revenue & Settlement Deptt. or his representative | - Member |
| 6. Representative from CADC/LADC/MADC (in respect of their Autonomous District Council) | - Member |
| 7. Representative of the Mizoram Wood Based Industries Owner Association. | - Member |
| 8. Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests/ Chief Conservator of Forests (Admin) | - Member Secretary |

Duties , Powers and function of the State Level Committee

1. The State Level Committee may nominate any other Officer not below the rank of Conservator of Forests working in the territorial wing of the Forest Department.
2. The quorum of the State Level Committee shall be at least fifty (50) percent of the permanent members.
3. The State Level Committee (SLC) shall :-
 - (i) Assess the availability of timber in the State by way of appropriate study on supply and demand as and when it decides. The SLC shall devise suitable mechanism for sustainable use of timber in a way that does not affect the forests of the area adversely.
 - (ii) Approve appropriate locations for setting up of wood based industrial units.
 - (iii) Recommend the names of wood based industries which may be considered by the State Government for grant of fresh license or enhancement of existing licensed capacity after taking into account all the technical aspects, prevailing Government policy and other relevant criteria for establishment of wood based industries.
 - (iv) Take steps to ensure that the amount collected or recovered from wood based industries is ploughed back and utilized for the purpose of afforestation.

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(v) Examine and make appropriate recommendation or any other matter referred by the State Government. ,

(vi) Examine and make appropriate recommendations or any other matter referred by the State Government and Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change, Govt. of India

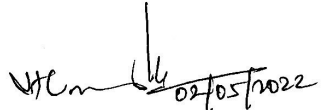
Sd/- JITENDRA KUMAR
Principal Secretary to the Govt. of Mizoram,
Environment, Forests & Climate Change Department.

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2. Additional Chief Secretary to Chief Minister, Government of Mizoram.
3. All Ministers/Ministers of State/Speaker/Deputy Speaker, Mizoram.
4. Sr.P.P.S. to Chief Secretary, Government of Mizoram.
5. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Mizoram.
6. All Administrative Departments, Government of Mizoram.
7. All Heads of Departments, Government of Mizoram.
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9. All Members concerned.
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