GREEN INDIA MISSION (GIM), CHAMPHAI FOREST DIVISION

MICRO PLAN

For

KHAWZAWL FOREST RANGE
{L2 Landscape}

For implementation
GREEN INDIA MISSION

For the period
2016 - 2017 to 2022 - 2023

LANDSCAPE (L1) - MIZORAM.
SUB-LANDSCAPE (L2) - Khawzawl Range
WORKING UNITS (L3) -
   (1) Arro Ram
   (2) Hermon Ram
   (3) Hmuncheng Ram
   (4) Vankal Ram

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Chapter - 1
Introduction, Scope and Objectives

1.1 About the State (Landscape - L1)

1.1.1 Introduction

Mizoram was earlier a part of the British India since 1895. In 1898, the district called “Lushai Hills” was created with Aizawl as its headquarter. After independence in 1947, the district was renamed as “Mizo District” and also the autonomous Mizo District Council was established on 25th April, 1952. Subsequently, Mizoram was made a Union Territory in 1972 and finally, it became the 23rd State of India on 20th February, 1987.

1.1.2 Location, Extent and Topography

Mizoram, which is one of the Seven Sister States in the North-Eastern India, is located between 21°56’ and 24°35’ N Latitude and 92°16’ and 93°26’E Longitude. It shares the boundary with Assam and Manipur on the North, Myanmar on the East and the South, and Tripura and Bangladesh on the West. The long international boundary (about 630 miles) of Mizoram with Myanmar and Bangladesh makes it strategically located.

The geographical area of the State is 21,087 sq. km. with mostly hilly terrains. Most of the hills have moderate to steep slopes and are separated by rivers flowing either to the North or South direction. These rivers have created deep gorges between several hill ranges. In fact, Mizoram is “a land of rolling hills, valleys, rivers, and lakes” (Environment & Forest Department, 2010, p.5). The plains occupy comparatively a very small portion of the total geographical area and are mostly located at places such as Champhai, North Vanlaiphai etc. on the eastern part of the State.

1.1.3 Climate

The whole of Mizoram enjoys a pleasant climate with cool summer and moderate winter. The temperature varies from 11°C to 21°C during winter and 18°C to 29°C in summer. The State gets rainfall from both the North-East and the South-West Monsoon. It receives heavy rains from May to September. The average annual rainfall is about 254 cm. As such, the climate in Mizoram is conducive to conservation and sustainable development of forests.

1.1.4 Soil

The soil in Mizoram, in general, is fertile and rich in organic contents. However, the soil depth is found less at few places, particularly at very steep slopes, due to the effect of heavy run-off in degraded forests. The contents of potash and phosphorus in the soil are low, whereas the content of nitrogen is normally high because of the accumulation of organic matters over the years. The fertile soil is generally found at low to moderate slopes, on river banks and in the valleys. The soil at such places is responsive to the vigorous and healthy growth of the forests and thus supports rich biodiversity.

1.1.5 Demography

The population of the State was 10,91,014 as per 2011 census, of which 5,52,339 (51 percent) are male and 5,38,765 (49 percent) are female. The population density has increased from 33 to 52 persons per sq. km. during the decade, 1999 - 2011. Most of the people in the State belong to several culturally-linked ethnic tribes which are collectively called “Mizos” (Mi: People, Zo: Hill). These people are highly educated. Mizoram has a literacy rate of 91.58 %, which ranks it second among States in India. “Mizo” and “English” are the main languages spoken by the majority of the people.
1.1.6 Socio-economic life of the people

Since signing the “Peace Accord” on 30th June 1986, the State has effectively implemented several developmental schemes. Peace and development have resulted into comparatively better Human Development Index (HDI). The HDI in Mizoram was found 0.67, the highest among the north-eastern States and more than the national average (Government of Tripura, 2007, p.28).

Agriculture is the dominant source of income and employment for the people in Mizoram. As per 2001 census, 61 percent of the working population in the State was dependent on agriculture. In rural areas, most of the people are engaged in “Jhumming” (shifting cultivation). 89,454 households, 57.85 percent of total 1,54,643 households, were cultivators and further, 78,195 households, 87 percent of all cultivator households, were practicing shifting cultivation (Government of Mizoram, 2004, p.17). The “Jhumming” practice has adversely affected the rich forest cover of the State. Planned efforts are now being made to control and transform the practice of shifting cultivation into settled agriculture. Technical and financial assistance is being given to the rural people enabling them to leave the practice of shifting cultivation and get engaged in other sustainable livelihood activities such as horticulture, piggery, settled cultivation etc.

1.2 The forests in Mizoram

1.2.1 Forest cover

A large area - 19,277 Sq. Kms. (91.44 percent of the State’s total geographical area) - is covered under forests i.e. Forest and Tree cover (Forest Survey of India, 2013). However, the forests have suffered serious depletion and degradation due to the traditional practice of shifting cultivation, uncontrolled fire, unregulated felling etc. As per the “India State of Forest Report 2013” published by the Forest Survey of India, the State has 13,016 sq. kms. open forests which is 67.70 % of the total forest cover and 61.74 % of the total geographical area. The density-class of forests found in the State has been shown below graphically in Figure 1.

![Figure 1](image)

Source: Forest Survey of India, 2013

1.2.2 Forest types

The forests in Mizoram are very rich in biodiversity. As many as 6 important forest types have been reported to occur in the state (Forest Survey of India, 2011). These are:-

- **Cachar Tropical Semi-Evergreen Forest (2B/C2):** Mostly found in all districts of the State. The important species are *Dipterocarpusturbinatus, D. tuberculatus, Terminaliachebula, Emblicaspp, Careyaarborea* etc.
- **Secondary Moist Bamboo Brakes (2/2S1):** Dominant species of bamboo like *Melocannabambusoides, Dendrocalamushamiltonii* etc. are present.
- **Pioneer Euphorbiaceous Scrub (2B/2S1):** It is generally found in degraded forests and exposed lands present on higher slopes and on top of the hills. It has quick growing species like *Macaranga* spp., *Mallotus* spp. etc. This type is found in all districts except Champhai.

- **East Himalayan Moist Mixed Deciduous Forest (3C/C3b):** *Schimawallichii, Syzigiumicumini, Albizia procera, Dilleniapentagyna, Artocarpslakoocha, Terminaliaballerica, T. chebula, Lagerstroemiarvariflora, Anthocepalouskadamba* etc. are the characteristic species of this type. It is found in all districts of Mizoram.

- **East Himalayan Subtropical Wet Hill Forest (8B/C1):** Major characteristic species are *Quercusvercus, Q. serrata, Castanopsisspp, Litseaspp, Machilusspp* etc. This forest type is found in Champhai district.

- **Assam Subtropical Pine Forest (9/C2):** It is mostly dominated by the species *Pinus kesiya* with other associates like *Quercusspp, Schimawallichii, Rhododendronspp* etc. This forest type is found mainly in Champhai district of the State.

### 1.2.3 Bamboo Resources

Nature has endowed Mizoram with valuable Bamboo Forests. Bamboos - Green Gold for the State - are one of the most important natural resources which provide immense economic and environmental benefits for the local people. Bamboos are used for multiple purposes as the culms are straight and strong but light. These are used extensively in house construction particularly in the rural areas, as food, and for making various household items such as stools, benches, kitchen utensils, agricultural implements, and fishing devices. Further, bamboo acts as an effective soil binder protecting the slopes from erosion through its deep and extensive root system.

Bamboos are found abundantly in the State mainly along river banks and on abandoned jhumland. Both the clump forming and the non-clump forming species occur naturally in most parts of the State except on the higher altitudes of its eastern region. A large area of about 9,245 sq. kms., which is 44 percent of the State’s geographical area, is covered under “Bamboo Forests” (Forest Survey of India, 2011, p.61). In spite of being small in size, Mizoram contributes significantly to the country’s growing stock of bamboos.

Bamboo resources of the country have been assessed by the Forest Survey of India (FSI), Dehradun. As per the India State of Forest Report 2011 (Chapter 6) published by the FSI, total number of culms in recorded forests of Mizoram has been estimated to be 2,205 million as against 23,297 million estimated at the national level. Similarly, the total estimated green weight of bamboo culms has been estimated to be 13,187,000 tonnes for the recorded forests of Mizoram as against 1,69,312,000 tonnes for the whole country. The growing stock of bamboos in recorded forests of Mizoram as against the same for the whole country has been shown below graphically.
Area under “pure bamboo brakes” in Mizoram was found the highest among all the States/Union Territories of the country (226 sq.kms.). The dense bamboo forests also cover a large area in the State of Mizoram. The dense bamboo across all the States was found maximum in Arunachal Pradesh (8,681 sq. k.ms.) followed by Mizoram (6,116 sq.kms.).

The bamboo forests in Mizoram are also rich in bio-diversity. 35 species of bamboos under 9 genera have been reported to grow in the State (E & F Department, 2010). Melocanna baccifera (locally called “Mautak”), a non-clump forming species, is the prominent species found in the State. Other dominant species are Dendrocalamus hamiltonii (Phulrua), D. longispatus (Rawnal), Bambusa tulda (Rawthing), B. longispiculata (Rawthing chi), and Arundinaria callosa (Phar). These species do not occur in large proportions like Mautak but are commercially valuable.

1.2.4 Areas under Notified Forests in the State

The notified forests include (1) Riverine Reserve Forests (1832.50 sq.kms), (2) Innerline Reserved Forests (570 sq. kms.), (3) Roadside Reserve Forests (97.20 sq.kms.), (4) Other Reserve Forests (1963.63 sq. kms.) and (5) Protected Areas (1240.75 sq.kms) under the ownership of the State Government as well as 2562 sq. kms. under the ownership of District Councils. Thus, about 39 percent of the total geographical area (8266.08 sq.kms.) is covered under “notified forests” in the State of Mizoram.

1.2.5 Protected Areas

The Environment and Forest Department, Govt. of Mizoram has taken praiseworthy initiatives for preservation of wildlife by constituting one Tiger Reserve, two National Parks and seven Wildlife Sanctuaries. These are (1) Dampa Tiger Reserve, (2) Murlen National Park, (3) Phawngpui National Park, (4) Ngengpui Wildlife Sanctuary, (5) Lengteng Wildlife Sanctuary, (6) Khawnglung Wildlife Sanctuary, (7) Tawi Wildlife Sanctuary, (8) Thorangtlang Wildlife Sanctuary, (9) Pualreng Wildlife Sanctuary, and (10) Tokalo Wildlife Sanctuary. The area set aside for long-term wildlife conservation is 1728.75 sq. km. which is more than 8 % of the State’s geographical area.

The network of protected areas provides healthy habitats for many wild animals, birds, and reptiles. Some important species of mammals found in the State are Tiger, Elephant, Malayan Sun Bear, Wild dog, Brush Tailed Porcupine, Gour, Leopard Cat, Marble Cat, Golden Cat, Clouded Leopard, Serow etc. The forests of Mizoram also provide habitats for primates such as Assamese Macaque, phyare Leaf Monkey, Slow Loris, Pig Tailed Macaque, Stump Tailed Macaque, Rhasus Macaque, and Capped Langur and also for Hoolock Gibbon, the only ape found in India.

Important bird species found in the State are Black Stork, Oriental Darter, Serpent Eagle, Black Eagle, Humes Bartailed Pheasant, Blyth’s Tragopan, Green Burmese Peafowl, Grey Peacock, Fufous Patridge, Brushed Patridge, Yellow-legged Button quill etc. The Hornbill species include Great Indian Hornbill, Wreathed Hornbill, Oriental Pied Hornbill, Brown Hornbill, and Rufous-necked Hornbill.

1.3 Bio-geographical importance

The forests in Mizoram are ecologically significant as the region represents an important part of the Indo Myanmar bio-diversity hotspot which is one of the 25 global biodiversity hotspots recognized across the globe. Several hot-spots in the State carrying diverse flora and fauna have been identified for protection. Further, the region is part of biologically distinctive eco-system (Mizoram-Manipur-Kachin Rainforests Eco-region). As such, conservation of the forests in the State is a necessity for arresting the progress of climate change and mitigating the impact of changing climate on the people.
1.4 Expectations of people from the forests

1.4.1 People’s Participation in Conservation of the Forests

The State of Mizoram moved from State regulation to people’s participation for managing its rich forest wealth by adopting the “Joint Forest Management” (JFM) through a notification issued in 1998. The introduction of JFM established a new mutually-beneficial relationship between the forests, the people and the State. The basic objective for adopting the mechanism of JFM in the State was to encourage active involvement of the local people in enrichment, protection and sustainable management of the forests.

It was envisaged to impart sense of ownership over the forest areas covered under JFM to the villagers. Guidelines for managing the forests with people’s participation were framed. As per these guidelines, the local people participating in managing the forests and the State would share the forest produce, which may be extracted from the areas covered under JFM by applying scientific principles of sustainable management.

The organizational structure for managing the forests with constructive participation of the local people, at present, consisted of three levels in the State i.e. (1) State Forest Development Agency (SFDA) at the State level, (2) Forest Development Agencies (FDAs) at the divisional level, and (3) Village Forest Development Committees (VFDCs) at the village level. Eco-Development Committees (EDCs) have been constituted for the villages located near the protected areas. The existing guidelines for JFM included (1) the procedures for constituting SFDA, FDAs and VFDCs/EDCs, (2) their duties and responsibilities, (3) methodology of preparing micro-plans, their effective implementation, and timely monitoring, (4) fund flow mechanism, and (5) disposal of forest produce and sharing of benefits.

For involving the local people in planning, implementation, and monitoring of schemes for forest management, one SFDA, 21 FDAs and 598 VFDCs/EDCs have been constituted in Mizoram. These committees i.e. VFDCs/EDCs have 2,75,435 members belonging to 80,728 families. Memorandum of Understandings (MoUs) has been signed between SFDA and FDAs and also between various FDAs and VFDCs/EDCs.

Works under centrally sponsored scheme - “National Afforestation Programme” (NAP) - are mainly taken up by VFDCs/EDCs through FDAs. Revised operational guidelines for implementing NAP through JFM were issued in the year 2009 by the Ministry of Environment and Forests, Government of India. These guidelines were aimed at (1) strengthening institutional arrangements for project implementation (capacity building), (2) treatment of highly degraded lands (problem lands), (3) application of latest nursery and plantation techniques, (4) generation of additional sustainable income for members of VFDCs/EDCs through value addition to forest produce and linkage to better markets for forest-based products. The Government of Mizoram has adopted these revised guidelines by issuing notification in March, 2010.

The scheme - NAP - is being implemented effectively in Mizoram through the mechanism of JFM. Suitable tree species have been planted over an area of 57540 ha. under NAP during the period 2003-04 to 2013-14. These plantations are being protected through joint efforts of the local people and the Government agencies. It is expected that enrichment, protection, and sustainable management of the forests through JFM will provide substantial benefits to the local people while contributing significantly to ecological equilibrium and environmental stability.

1.4.2 Stakeholder’s expectations

The local people particularly those living nearby forest areas expect sustainable livelihood support from the forests through extraction of permissible yield, value addition to forest produce and marketing of value-added products. They also expect to meet their needs for constructional timber at economical cost from the forests. However, they are also concerned for ecological stability in the region. Expectations of various stakeholders from the Environment and Forests department are given as under:-
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<th>Expectations from the Department</th>
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| 1      | The Indian citizens living in Mizoram including the indigenous people. | a. Ecological balance and environmental stability.  
b. Bonafide forest-based needs - constructional timber, fuel wood, and fodder – as per the Mizoram Forest Act, 1955.  
c. Constructive participation in afforestation, enrichment, and protection of forests.  
d. Easy access to information on uses and economic benefits of the forest products including Non-Timber Forest Products (NTFPs) and Medicinal Plants.  
e. Availability of technical know-how as well as other facilities for raising private plantations. |
| 2      | The State Government | a. Effective implementation of the planned schemes achieving the desired outcomes.  
b. Satisfaction of the local people. |
b. Balance between conservation and development by implementing the provisions of the Forest (conservation) Act, 1980 as well as other National and State acts and rules related to management of the forests and the wildlife. |
| 4      | The forest officials working in the State | a. Healthy working conditions.  
b. Adequate facilities at par with our counterparts in other departments/services.  
c. Awards and recognition for good works. |
| 5      | Non-Government Organizations (NGOs) | a. Increase in forest cover.  
b. Enrichment and protection of the existing forests.  
c. Preservation of wildlife by creating and maintaining healthy habitats for them.  
d. Generating awareness towards the importance of forests and wildlife.  
e. Eliciting active participation of public in conservation and protection efforts. |
| 6      | Private tree/bamboo growers | a. Technical knowhow.  
b. Logistic and financial support for raising and managing the plantations.  
c. Mechanism to facilitate harvesting and transportation of timber and bamboos. |

Accordingly, the Department of Environment & Forests, Government of Mizoram is committed to provide a variety of services, both tangible as well as intangible, to the citizens by scientifically managing the rich forest cover existing in the State. The tangible services include (1) arranging forest products of economic importance such as constructional timber, fodder, fuel-wood, sand, gravels etc. at reasonable costs, (2) offering gainful employment while implementing various schemes for enrichment and protection of the forests, (3) creating opportunities for additional income through the mechanism of “Joint Forest Management”, (4) disseminating information on importance and economic
benefits of the forests including Non-Timber Forest Products and medicinal plants, (5) building and maintaining eco-friendly recreation sites and trails, (6) making technical know-how available for raising and managing private forests/plantations, and (7) assisting private tree-growers in silvicultural harvesting and transporting of timber inside as well as outside the State. The intangible services include (1) stabilizing the climate, (2) enriching the soil fertility, (3) recharging ground water, (4) regulating the water flow, and (5) offsetting the air pollution.

1.5 Objectives for GIM implementation

Although the identified landscape (L-1) - the entire state of Mizoram - has a large area under forest cover, the forests are not rich in quality. About 67.70 % of the forest cover is open, having very less canopy density. A large extent of open forest, particularly in the hilly terrain, can have devastating impacts on the normal structure and the delicate interdependencies of diverse flora and fauna in the forest ecosystem. The situation is likely to be further aggravated in Mizoram by the prevalence of shifting cultivation and other biotic interferences.

Efforts to enrich and protect the forests are being taken up by effectively implementing various schemes such as National Afforestation Programme, Integrated Forest Management, Thirteen Finance Commission Grants-in-Aid, National Bamboo Mission, New Land Use Policy etc. The local people are being encouraged to shift from shifting cultivation to settled agriculture by providing them technical and financial assistance.

The treatments being done to the landscape coupled with the proposed interventions under Green India Mission (GIM) will save the valuable hilly ecosystem of the State from deterioration. It is expected that implementation of proposed strategies will enhance the quality of existing forests, ecologically re-stock wastelands, improve eco-system services, increase forest-based livelihood income and augment annual CO₂ Sequestration.

1.6 Scope of implementing planned interventions under GIM

The GIM, which aims at providing sustainable livelihood support to the people in a stable ecosystem would be implemented initially in 51 villages of eight identified L2 landscapes. These villages form compact blocks for treatment in five Forest divisions/4 districts of the State. It is further planned to extend the mission in other parts of the State. It is to mention here that, the entire State has been identified as vulnerable i.e. L1 landscape.
Chapter - 2  
Details of Identified Landscapes

2.1 Criteria for selection of L1 Landscape

Criteria, which were adopted for identification of L1 landscape, are given below:-

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<td>a) Forest cover</td>
<td>19,277 sq. kms. (91.44% of the State's geographical area).</td>
<td>India State of Forest Report 2013, Forest Survey of India, Dehradun.</td>
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<td>c) Waste-lands</td>
<td>6021.14 sq km (28.56% of the State’s total geographical area) is wasteland including jhumland.</td>
<td>Wastelands Atlas of India, 2010.</td>
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<td>2. Projected Forest vulnerability to climate change</td>
<td>a) Vulnerability maps and attribute data</td>
<td>Although the State is having a large area under forest cover, the forests are not good in quality. The State has 13,016 sq km open forest which is 67.70% of the total forest cover and 61.74% of the total geographical area. It is expected that a large extent of open forests, particularly in the hilly terrain, may adversely affect not only the forest eco-system but adjoining areas as well. The situation is likely to be further aggravated in Mizoram by the prevalence of shifting cultivation and other biotic interferences.</td>
<td>As indicated above in column 1.</td>
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<td>Effect of climate change in the State is (1) irregular behavior of rainfall, (2) rise in mean maximum and mean minimum temperatures, (3) gradual and progressive increase in humidity, and (4) increased frequency of extreme climate events (heavy rainfall, flash floods, etc.). Forests are highly vulnerable to these changes in climatic conditions. Impact of climate change on the forests coupled with biotic interferences is characterized by (1) degradation (a large extent of open forests), (2) loss of biodiversity, (3) increased incidence of invasive species, and (4) loss of forest environmental functions (water conservation, soil conservation, flood control etc.).</td>
<td>(1) Programme Design Document for North East Climate Change Adaptation Programme presented to KfW Germany, DoNER, and State Govts. (2) Field observations by Forest Officers.</td>
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<td>3. Vulnerable Population/Communities</td>
<td>a) ST/SC Total population, ratio</td>
<td>The majority of the population in the State - over 95% - belongs to STs.</td>
<td>2011 Census data, Govt. of India.</td>
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<td>b) Scheduled areas</td>
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2.2 Importance of L1 Landscape

Based upon the criteria given in para 2.2, the entire State of Mizoram (Area: 21,081 sq. km.) has been taken as L1 Landscape. Proper treatment of the landscape in the State would bring ecological security in the region and would also contribute significantly to stabilize the changing climate. The bio-geographical importance of the L1 landscape has been given in para 1.3.

2.3 Criteria for selecting L2 Landscape

Operational units (L2 level) have been identified based mainly on five indicators which are (1) extent of open forest, (2) dependency of the local population on the forests i.e. biotic pressure, (3) drainage pattern, (4) prevalence of shifting cultivation and (5) compact block for treatment under GIM. The criteria for selection of L2 Landscapes are given below in detail:

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2.4 Reasons for selecting this L2 landscape among other possible L2 landscapes within L1:

A meeting (brainstorming session) of senior forest officers was held in March, 2012 to discuss various issues and formulate suitable strategies for the preparation of Bridge Plan/Perspective Plan under GIM. The views presented by the senior officers in the meeting are summarized below:

- The operational units should be from the districts which satisfy either of the two criteria i.e. extent of open forests or biotic pressure on the forests. Further, this unit should be strategically important for i) treatment and management of catchment areas and ii) engagement of the local people in settled agriculture or other sustainable livelihood options i.e weaning them away from jhum cultivation.
- The operational units, so selected, should form a compact block.
The forest divisions, where activities similar to those proposed under GIM (KfW sponsored North East Climate Change Adaptation Programme) are being carried out, may not be taken up as operational units.

Aizawl city, which carries maximum concentration of population (26% of the State’s population), has the significant impact on the climate and the eco-system in the State. Therefore, forest-based interventions inside and outside the city of Aizawl may be taken up under GIM.

Considering the above views, it was decided in the meeting that 8 nos. of operational units in 5 forest divisions namely Darlawn, Champhai, Thenzawl, Champhai, and Aizawl (for Aizawl division limited to inside and outside Aizawl city) may be taken in the initial five years of GIM. Other areas/divisions may be taken up subsequently under GIM.

The proposed landscape, Khawzawl Range is one of the two operational units of selected L2 under Champhai Division. The Landscape consist of open and degraded forests, both Government & privately owned. There are many current and abandoned jhumlands. There are 4 villages having separate Village Council as well as separate jurisdiction within this landscape. Further, it formed the catchment area of Tuichang and Tuipui rivers, these two major rivers have many tributaries which are the major source of water for drinking as well as for irrigation to Agriculture/Horticulture field of the people living inside and outside of this landscape Khawzawl Range. Treatment under Green India Mission would ensure continuous and interrupted supply of water for the villagers not only living in the 4 villages within the landscape but also some villages nearby the Landscape Khawzawl Range. As such, Khawzawl Range was selected as L2 Landscape for treatment under GIM.

2.5 Importance of L2 Landscape (Khawzawl Range)

The identified landscape lies in the catchment area of Tuichang and Tuipui river which have many tributaries, the source of water for the villages including Khawzawl Town. Treatment of this landscape under GIM would ensure regular water supply to inhabitants of four villages and Khawzawl Town. Hence, treatment under Green India Mission is the key to keep the regular water supply to the people and to check degradation of the forest within this landscape.

2.6 Criteria for selection of L3 landscape

All villages under this Landscape namely Vankal, Arro, Hmuncheng and Hermon having interests in GIM L2 have been taken as working unit i.e. L3.

2.7 Importance of L3 landscape (Arro Ram)

The area under Village Council of Arro is one of the four L3 landscapes (working units) identified for coverage in L2 landscape ‘Arro Ram’. The Arro village was established around the year 1911. It has the population of 189 with 42 households (21 households under BPL category). The villagers are well educated, literacy rate being 91.41%.

The total geographical area of this L3 landscape is 36.32 Sq. Km. Several rivers/streams flowing through this L3 such as Tuikhur lui, Thingkhuang ngaw lui, Khuai lui, Chho-a tui, Damdiai lui, Thehret lui, Chhim luang lui, Saza lui, Hmumdam lui, Herhse lui, Tuichang and Kangbur lui, etc. These are the natural sources of water for Arro and nearby villages. In the past, most of the land was covered with well-stocked good-quality forests. However, the forests have suffered serious depletion and degradation due to traditional practice of shifting cultivation and uncontrolled felling of trees and prodigal used of forest resources due to inadequate knowledge of the importance of forests. As a result, presently, most of the areas are either deforested or forests having less/moderate canopy density i.e. approximately 13.97 %. It is expected that execution of well-planned strategies under GIM may result into ecological stability in the region.
2.8 Extent of L1 landscape

Name of the L1 landscape  :  The entire State of Mizoram (map enclosed as annexure ‘E’)
Location of the landscape  :  State  :  Mizoram
District  :  All Districts
Forest Division  :  All Forest Divisions

Extent (area, boundaries, geo-references) :
- Geographical area of the State is 21,087 sq. kms.
- The State shares its boundary with Assam and Manipur on the North, Myanmar on the East and the South, Tripura and Bangladesh on the West.
- It is located between 21°56' and 24°31' N latitude and 92°16' and 93°26' E longitude.

2.9 Extent of L2 landscape

Name of L2 landscape  :  Khawzawl Range
Location of the L2 Landscape  :  State  :  Mizoram
                      District  :  Champhai
                      Division  :  Champhai

Geo references of the L2 Landscape:-
- 23°38'46.07"N & 93°08'01.58"E (Vankal ram)
- 23°25'33.68"N & 93°05'07.72"E (Hmuncheng ram)
- 23°28'31.79"N & 93°13'7.94"E (Hermon ram)
- 23°31'29.22"N & 93°09'43.89"E (Arro ram)

Area of the landscape:
- Open forests  :  60.82 sq. km.
- Moderately dense  :  47.34 sq. km.
- Very Dense forests  :  11.06 sq. km.
- Scrub lands  :  -
- WRC  :  8.78 sq. km.
- Horticulture  :  9.50 sq. km.
- Other areas  :  42.2 sq. km.
- Total area  :  221.68 sq. km.

2.10 Extent and other features of L3 landscape (Arro ram)

| Location | The L3 Landscape (Arro) is a Village in Khawzawl Block in Champhai District of Mizoram State, India. It is located 59 Km. towards west from District head quarters Champhai. 210 Km. from State capital Aizawl Arro is surrounded by Champhai Block towards East , East Lungdar Block towards South , Thingsulthliah Block towards west , Phullen Block towards North |
| GPS coordinates: | N 23°34'96'' & E 93°06'10'', N 23°32'05'' & E 93°10'30''
N 23°29'218'' & E 93°7'14'', N 23°31'32'' & E 93°05'34''
| Area | 36.32 sq. kms. |
| Forest cover | Moderately dense forests - 13.37 sq. kms. |
| Open forests – 20.54 sq. kms. |
| Non-forests - 2.41 sq. kms. |
| Forest type | Eastern submontane semi-evergreen (2B/C1b) mixed with bamboo breaks. Important species found in the locality are - Lithocarpus spp., Castanopsis spp., Schima wallichii, Toona ciliata, Duabanga grandiflora, Phoebe spp., Michelia, Tetrameles nudiflora, Gmelia, etc. Dominant bamboo species are - Dendrocalamus hamiltonii, Bambusa tulda, etc. |
Soil quality

Three soil orders i.e. ultisols, inceptisols and entisols are found in the project area. The surface soil textures are loam to clay loam with clay content increasing with depth in the hills whereas in the valleys it is mostly sandy loam to sandy clay loams. The soils are acidic in nature with pH values ranging from 4.3 to 6.1. The soils in the hills are strongly acidic in reaction, whereas, the soils in alluvial deposits are less acidic in nature. The percentage of organic carbon content is medium (0.63 %).

Topography

Most of the land is undulating with moderate slope i.e. 20° to 40°, whereas some parts of the land are comparatively flat with an altitude of 700-1100 mts. above MSL.

2.11 Profile of L3 Landscape (Arro)

2.11.1 Population and Workers Population

The population data of Arro village is given below in the following table:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>No. of Households</th>
<th>Population</th>
<th>Children below 6 yrs</th>
<th>Total</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Adult Male</td>
<td>Adult Female</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>42</td>
<td>87</td>
<td>69</td>
<td>33</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>189</td>
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</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

The average family size is 4 to 5 persons per household.

Workers Population is as under:-

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Total Workers</th>
<th>Regular/Main Workers</th>
<th>Irregular/Marginal Workers</th>
<th>Non Workers</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Workers: 125</td>
<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Non Workers: 64</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Male: 71</td>
<td>Regular Workers: 54</td>
<td>Irregular Workers: 71</td>
<td>Male: 29</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Female: 54</td>
<td>Male: 30</td>
<td>Male: 41</td>
<td>Female: 35</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Female: 24</td>
<td>Female: 30</td>
<td></td>
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<td></td>
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</tbody>
</table>

Source: Census data, 2011

2.11.2 Social structure

The social structure of the population at Arro village is as under:-

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>General</th>
<th>Scheduled Caste</th>
<th>Scheduled Tribe</th>
<th>OBC</th>
<th>Total</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td></td>
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</table>

Source: Census data, 2011

2.11.3 Wealth Ranking

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Sl. No.</th>
<th>Classification</th>
<th>No. of families</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>Rich (Families having RCC building or motor car whose annual income exceeds Rs</td>
<td>1 (approx)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>5,00,000.00)</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2</td>
<td>Middle class (Families whose annual income is less than Rs 5,00,000.00 but above BPL)</td>
<td>18 (approx)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3</td>
<td>Poor (Families who are listed as BPL by the Govt.)</td>
<td>23 (approx)</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

Source: Actual field verification
### 2.11.4 Energy Consumption

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>No.</th>
<th>Description</th>
<th>Number</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>No. of Household</td>
<td>42</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2</td>
<td>LPG users</td>
<td>2</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3</td>
<td>LPG &amp; Fuel wood users</td>
<td>17</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4</td>
<td>Fuel wood only user</td>
<td>23</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>Solar devices user</td>
<td>Nil</td>
</tr>
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*Source: Actual field verification*

### 2.11.5 No. of Educational institutions

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Education</th>
<th>Table 9</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Anganwadi</td>
<td>Primary school</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>1</td>
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</table>

*Source: Actual Field verification*

### 2.11.6 Enrolment (as on 15th Aug 2014)

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Category</th>
<th>Table 10</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Anganwadi</td>
<td>Primary school</td>
</tr>
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<td>9</td>
<td>10</td>
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*Source: Actual Field verification*

### 2.11.7 Literacy percentage

Male – 95.83 %, Female – 85.71 %, Overall – 91.41 %

*Source: Census data, 2011*

### 2.11.8 Occupation

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Sl. No.</th>
<th>Category of Occupation</th>
<th>No. of families</th>
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</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>Govt. service</td>
<td>6</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2</td>
<td>Jhumming (Shifting cultivation)</td>
<td>18</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3</td>
<td>Horticulture including WRC</td>
<td>8</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4</td>
<td>Business/Petty trade</td>
<td>1</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>Daily labourers</td>
<td>9</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>6</td>
<td>Others</td>
<td>-</td>
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*Source: Actual Field verification*

### 2.11.9 Livestock population

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<th>Type</th>
<th>Table 12</th>
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<tr>
<td>Cattle</td>
<td>Goat</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>12</td>
<td>2</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

*Source: Actual Field verification*

### 2.11.10 Agriculture practices

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Category</th>
<th>Current Jhumming</th>
<th>Abandoned Jhumming</th>
<th>WRC</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Area (ha.)</td>
<td>306 Ha.</td>
<td>633 Ha.</td>
<td>118 Ha.</td>
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*Source: Existing Land Use Map*
2.11.11 Cropping Pattern

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Sl. No.</th>
<th>Crop</th>
<th>Time of sowing</th>
<th>Time of harvest</th>
<th>% of agri. area covered</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>Rice</td>
<td>April-May</td>
<td>Sept-Nov</td>
<td>85 (2.34 %)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2</td>
<td>Orange</td>
<td>May-June</td>
<td>Oct-Dec</td>
<td>25 (0.68%)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3</td>
<td>Banana</td>
<td>April-March</td>
<td>Jan-Dec</td>
<td>14 (0.38%)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4</td>
<td>Arecanut</td>
<td>May-June</td>
<td>March-April</td>
<td>-</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>Maize</td>
<td>March</td>
<td>July</td>
<td>4 (0.11%)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>6</td>
<td>Ginger</td>
<td>April-June</td>
<td>Oct-March</td>
<td>160 (4.41 %)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>7</td>
<td>Pumpkin</td>
<td>March</td>
<td>June</td>
<td>2 (0.05%)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>8</td>
<td>Calocasia (Bal)</td>
<td>April</td>
<td>Nov-Dec</td>
<td>3 (0.08%)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>9</td>
<td>Local pea (Behlawi)</td>
<td>March</td>
<td>Sept-Nov</td>
<td>6 (0.16%)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>10</td>
<td>Soya bean</td>
<td>June-July</td>
<td>Nov-Dec</td>
<td>3 (0.08%)</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>11</td>
<td>Oil Palm</td>
<td>April-June</td>
<td>Aug-Dec</td>
<td>4 (0.11%)</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

2.11.12 Water Resource

There are three main sources of water for the people living in Arro village i.e. water connection from Public Health Engineering (PHE) department, water collection points connected to perennial fountains and rain water harvesting. Water connection from PHE department has many outlets for all villagers, while house-to-house connection has been provided for some families. Rain water harvesting is being done by limited well-to-do families only.

2.11.13 Energy Consumption Pattern

The village has already been electrified by Power & Electricity department of the State. In addition energy requirement is met from LPG connections, kerosene oil and fuel-wood collected from the Village Supply Reserves, the Jhumlands and the surrounding forests.

2.11.14 Demand for fuel-wood

The demand for fuel wood has been worked out based upon inputs received from NGOs, VC members and other villagers. The annual demand is as under:-

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Average annual demand/household</th>
<th>No. of households</th>
<th>Total annual demand of the village</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1.9 cum</td>
<td>42</td>
<td>79.8 cum</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

The supply as per the carrying capacity of existing forest in L3(Arho) is expected as under:-

A - Total forest area : 3632 Ha.
B - GS/He. : 98.02705
C - Total GS : 356034.2456 cum
D - Annual Yield : 5956.48 cum
E - Fuelwood availability assuming 30% of Annual Yield as fuel wood: 1786.94 cum

2.11.15 Existing infrastructure

Anganwadi Centre (1 no.), Primary School (1 no.), Middle School (1 no.), Mini-playground (1 no.),

Local Institutions/Organizations: - Village Council, YMA (1 branch), MUP (1 unit), MHIP (1 branch) and Games & Sports Association.
2.11.16 Problems and Priority

Through PRA exercise, problems being faced by the villagers could be ascertained. These are inadequate supply of water, insufficient supply of LPG cylinders and lack of proper medical facility, abnormal construction of link road to agricultural fields, incomplete network of internal roads within the village.

2.12 Demographic statistics of L2 Landscape:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Sl. No.</th>
<th>Village</th>
<th>Population</th>
<th>Poverty (BPL families)</th>
<th>Forest dependency</th>
<th>Drivers of degradation</th>
<th>JFMCs/other institutions of Gram Sabha</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>Arro</td>
<td>189</td>
<td>23</td>
<td>Shifting cultivation, fuel-wood, timber for construction of houses, furniture etc.</td>
<td>Dealt in para. 2.15</td>
<td>Village Forest Development Committee (VFDC) is active in the village.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

*Source: Census data, 2011*

2.13 Present interventions for addressing livelihood needs (forestry as well as non-forestry sector) and promoting sustainable forest development:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Sl. No.</th>
<th>Name of Scheme</th>
<th>Implementing Agency</th>
<th>Forestry and Wildlife activities</th>
<th>Other components like SMC</th>
<th>Details of livelihood component</th>
<th>Villages covered</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>NLUP (New Land Use Policy)</td>
<td>Different line departments such as - Soil Conservation, Horticulture, Agriculture, Forest, Sericulture, Fisheries, Industries, AH&amp;Vety etc.</td>
<td>Plantation of bamboos and other indigenous species</td>
<td>Construction of terracing, trenching, Rain water harvesting structures</td>
<td>Provision of technical and sustainable livelihood support so as to wean them away from the traditional practice of jhumming</td>
<td>Arro</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
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<thead>
<tr>
<th></th>
<th>Program (Abbreviation)</th>
<th>Responsible Authority (Location)</th>
<th>Activities</th>
<th>Benefits</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>2</td>
<td>NAP (National Afforestation Programme)</td>
<td>FDA Champhai/ concerned VFDC</td>
<td>Sustainable management of forests with people’s participation. Plantation is carried out on degraded lands</td>
<td>Construction of contour trenching, Check dams, inspection path etc</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>3</td>
<td>NBM (National Bamboo Mission)</td>
<td>FDA Champhai/ concerned VFDC</td>
<td>Plantation of bamboo spp., Training to farmers to increase crop productivity</td>
<td>Livelihood support is expected from extraction of bamboo &amp; marketing of value added products</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>4</td>
<td>MGNREGS</td>
<td>DRDA, Champhai District</td>
<td>Roadside plantation</td>
<td>Provision of 100 days employment for every willing household</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>5</td>
<td>IWMP (Integrated Watershed Management Programme)</td>
<td>D.O.S &amp; WC Khawzawl</td>
<td>Afforestation including plantation, reservation of community forest area, and prevention of fire etc.</td>
<td>Provision of Financial and Material Support to selected beneficiaries and Self Help Groups of activities like Piggery, Goat Rearing, Poultry, Farming, Handloom, Tailoring, Hair Cutting, Petty Trade etc.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>6</td>
<td>IAY (Indira Gandhi Awaas Yojona)</td>
<td>DRDA, Champhai District</td>
<td>Nil</td>
<td>Construction of houses for the poor</td>
</tr>
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</table>
2.14 Gaps/Strategies identified under GIM:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Sl. No</th>
<th>Village</th>
<th>Forestry activities proposed</th>
<th>Other activities like SMC</th>
<th>Livelihood activities proposed</th>
<th>Any others</th>
</tr>
</thead>
</table>
| 1      | Arro    | 1) Moderately dense forest cover, but showing degradation  
         |         | 2) Eco-restoration of degraded open forest (Type A)  
         |         | 3) Eco-restoration of degraded open forest (Type B)  
         |         | 4) Eco-restoration of degraded open forest (Type C)  
         |         | 5) Rehabilitation of shifting cultivation areas  
         |         | 6) Farmer’s land including current fallows  
         |         | 7) Highways/Rural Roads/Canal/Tank bunds | Interventions in catchment areas of hydrological importance | (1) Community livelihood enhancement by Financial support to forest based cottage Industries and Handloom & Handicraft industries.  
         |         |                                    |                          | (2) Support to SGHs  
         |         |                                    |                          | (3) Construction of modern toilet (septic tank)  
         |         |                                    |                          | (4) Provision of Household water storage tank | Promoting alternate energy sources |

2.15 Drivers of degradation and deterioration in the forest eco-system:

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<tr>
<th>Sl. No</th>
<th>Village</th>
<th>Drivers of degradation</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>Arro</td>
<td>Traditional practice of shifting cultivation, Lack of strategic and participatory land-use planning, excessive population pressure on the forests for fuel-wood, fodder, timber etc., inadequate scientific management of watersheds including rainwater harvesting. Prodigal used of Forest resource due to inadequate knowledge of the importance of forest not only for themselves but also for future generation.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>
Chapter - 3
Process undertaken for preparation of Micro-Plan/Sub-Landscape Plan

3.1 Constitution of Micro-Plan Working Group

A meeting was held with members/representatives of Village Council for Arro village, conservation-oriented NGOs (YMA, MHIP and MUP), forest officers and other prominent citizens of the village on Dt 5.9.2014. As per recommendations made in the meeting, a Micro-Plan Working Group was constituted for facilitating preparation of micro-plan for Arro Landscape (L3). The constitution of the group is as under:-

Chairman : K. Zairema, Range Forest Officer, Khawzawl Range
Secretary : K. Zairema
Members : (1) R. Lalfakzuala (VC representative)
(2) Lalnghakliani (Social Welfare)
(3) Lalropuia (YMA representative)
(4) Laldinthara (Prominent Citizen)
(5) Lalmuankimi (MHIP representative)
(6) Dokhuma (MUP representative)
(7) Satinmanga (VFDC representative)

A questionnaire was designed by the committee for collection of data on (1) demographic status, (2) socio-economic conditions of the villagers, (3) resources available in the village etc. The questionnaire was designed to facilitate (1) assessment of current land use pattern and formulation of proposed land use pattern, (2) participatory resource-based land-use planning, (3) identification of livelihood needs, (4) planning of activities for sustainable livelihood support to the people and ecological stability in the region. The members of the Working Group also visited the area covered under L3 landscape.

3.2 Participatory Rural Appraisal (PRA)

PRA exercise including group discussion, experience sharing, one to one discussion with the villagers etc. was conducted to promote people’s participation in project planning, implementation and monitoring. Information on various issues concerning GIM implementation was explained to the villagers through interpretation of maps and other documents. Resource mapping, Preparation of existing land use map, seasonal Calendar (Cropping season) and wealth ranking exercise were completed during PRA activities. The principle of participatory land use planning was adopted with available technical inputs and in consultation with all the stakeholders including the local public, proposed land used map was prepared. The proposed land used map reflects the area where interventions are to be planned and implemented.

3.3 Households survey

Household survey was carried out in the village covering almost all the families. A structured questionnaire was prepared for collecting information on dependency of every family on the forests as well as other required data.

3.4 Transect Walk

Transect walk was done by the Micro-plan Working Group along-with some local people and VFDC members. During transect walk, inputs were obtained from the field for deciding upon the suitability of the proposed land-use. GPS reading of the prominent sites/spots visited by the Working group were also recorded.
3.5 Details of awareness programmes, meetings and work-shops along-with the resolutions and other outcomes:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Sl. No</th>
<th>Workshop/meetings State Level/Landscape/Villages covered</th>
<th>Category (stakeholders and no. of participants)</th>
<th>Major outcomes</th>
<th>Details of facilitators engaged</th>
<th>Whether resolutions/photographs enclosed</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>State/L1 level(State Mission Directorate)</td>
<td>Representative of all line departments, reputed academic and technical institutions No. of attendants - 33</td>
<td>Suggestions were mainly given for strengthening institutions responsible for GIM implementation in the State</td>
<td>Principal Secretary, Environment and Forest Dept. Govt. of Mizoram</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>2</td>
<td>District/L2 level</td>
<td>Representatives of VFDCs, VCs, and NGOs such as YMA's, MHIPs &amp; MUP. Total No. of participants: 48</td>
<td>More trainings are to be given at all levels. GIM guidelines in local dialect be distributed to locals/trainees.</td>
<td>1) Pu CC Lalchuangkima, Project Director, District Rural Development Agency, Champhai District Phone/Fax: 03831-234940/03831-234104 E-mail: <a href="mailto:chuangkima@yahoo.co.in">chuangkima@yahoo.co.in</a> 2) Pu Lalthanzuala, District Agriculture Officer, Champhai District</td>
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<tr>
<td>3</td>
<td>Village/L3 level at Arro</td>
<td>Representatives of VFDCs, VCs, and NGOs such as YMA's, MHIPs &amp; MUP attended. Total no. of participants - 15</td>
<td>GIM guidelines in local dialect be distributed. Rural outreach activity for data collection be done at the earliest</td>
<td>1) Pu CC Lalchuangkima, Project Director, District Rural Development Agency, Champhai District Phone/Fax: 03831-234940/03831-234104 E-mail: <a href="mailto:chuangkima@yahoo.co.in">chuangkima@yahoo.co.in</a> 2) Pu Lalthanzuala, District Agriculture Officer, Champhai District</td>
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### 3.6 Details of facilitators engaged in the process, institutions who prepared the micro-plans and approval of the Gram-Sabha:

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<tr>
<th>Sl. No</th>
<th>Village</th>
<th>Institution who prepared Micro-Plan JFMC/Others</th>
<th>Details of participation of all stakeholders/departments</th>
<th>Approval of Gram Sabha</th>
<th>Details of facilitators engaged</th>
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<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>Arro</td>
<td>Champhai FDA &amp; Microplan Working Group as in para. 1.1</td>
<td>Representatives of Govt. departments, Conservation oriented NGOs, VFDCs, VCs, and local public.</td>
<td>Approved by Village Council, Arro. Approval letter enclosed at Annexure – C.</td>
<td>1) Pu CC Lalchuangkima, Project Director, District Rural Development Agency, Champhai District Phone/Fax:03831-234940/03831-234104 E-mail: <a href="mailto:chhuangkima@yahoo.co.in">chhuangkima@yahoo.co.in</a> 2)Pu Lalthanzuala, District Agriculture Officer, Champhai District</td>
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### 3.7 Details of involvement of district level committee in preparation of perspective plan especially of convergence mechanism.

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### 3.8 Details of the meetings/consultations with other departments in finalizing the convergence issues and perspective plan.

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Chapter - 4
Activities proposed to be undertaken in the Sub-landscape (L3)

4.1 Current Land Use pattern

Current land use pattern has been mapped with interpretation of satellite imageries and field verification of interpreted data. The details are as under:

**Arro village:**

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<thead>
<tr>
<th>Sl. No</th>
<th>Land Use category</th>
<th>Area (Sq. kms.)</th>
<th>% of total area</th>
<th>Remarks</th>
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<td>1</td>
<td>Settlement</td>
<td>0.03</td>
<td>0.08 %</td>
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<td>2</td>
<td>Abandoned Jhum Area</td>
<td>6.33</td>
<td>17.42 %</td>
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<td>3</td>
<td>Current Jhum Land</td>
<td>3.06</td>
<td>8.43 %</td>
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<tr>
<td>4</td>
<td>Horticulture</td>
<td>2.16</td>
<td>5.95 %</td>
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<td>5</td>
<td>WRC</td>
<td>1.18</td>
<td>3.25 %</td>
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<td>6</td>
<td>Private land</td>
<td>8.69</td>
<td>23.93 %</td>
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<tr>
<td>7</td>
<td>a) Private land (Open forest)</td>
<td>4.55</td>
<td>12.53 %</td>
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<td>8</td>
<td>b) Private land (Moderately Dense forest)</td>
<td>3.79</td>
<td>10.44 %</td>
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<td>9</td>
<td>VC Land</td>
<td>14.87</td>
<td>40.94 %</td>
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<tr>
<td>10</td>
<td>a) VC Land (Open Forest)</td>
<td>8.20</td>
<td>22.58 %</td>
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<td>11</td>
<td>b) VC Land (Moderately Dense Forest)</td>
<td>5.33</td>
<td>14.68 %</td>
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<td><strong>TOTAL</strong></td>
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<td><strong>36.32</strong></td>
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*Source: GIS cell, E&F Dept., Mizoram*

4.2 Proposed Land Use Pattern

After careful scrutiny of current land use pattern, needs assessment and consultation with stakeholders, the following land use model is designed/proposed:

**Arro village:**

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<td>Horticulture Land</td>
<td>2.16</td>
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<td>WRC</td>
<td>1.18</td>
<td>3.25 %</td>
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<td>4</td>
<td>Shifting Cultivation Rehabilitation</td>
<td>6.27</td>
<td>17.26 %</td>
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<td>5</td>
<td>Agro Forestry</td>
<td>6.84</td>
<td>18.83 %</td>
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<td>6</td>
<td>RF (Dense Forest)</td>
<td>2.52</td>
<td>6.94 %</td>
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<td>7</td>
<td>Social Forestry</td>
<td>1.12</td>
<td>3.08 %</td>
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<td>8</td>
<td>Community Reserved</td>
<td>3.09</td>
<td>8.51 %</td>
<td></td>
</tr>
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<td>9</td>
<td>VC Area (Dense Forest)</td>
<td>10.06</td>
<td>27.69 %</td>
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<td>10</td>
<td>Settlement Area</td>
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### 4.3 Objectives

**Short term objectives**
- Identification and arrest of drivers responsible for eco-system degradation
- Water-shed management - ridge to valley approach
- Increase in fuel-wood and fodder availability
- Employment generation
- Awareness for sustainable management of natural resources

**Long term objectives**
- Sustainable livelihood support to the people
- Ecological stability in the region

### 4.4 Details of submissions proposed for treatment (Action plan):

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<tr>
<th>Sl. No.</th>
<th>Village</th>
<th>Sub-mission</th>
<th>Categories</th>
<th>Proposed area</th>
<th>Proposed cost (Rs. in lakh)</th>
<th>Livelihood activities proposed based on Micro-Plan</th>
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<tbody>
<tr>
<td>1</td>
<td>Arro</td>
<td>Sub-Mission 1: Enhancing quality of forest cover and improving ecosystem services (4.9 m ha.)</td>
<td>a) Moderately dense forest but showing degradation</td>
<td>100 Ha.</td>
<td>40.50</td>
<td>(1) Support to Cottage industries @Rs. 10 lakh/unit (5 units)</td>
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<td>b) Eco-restoration of degraded open forest (Type A)</td>
<td>140 Ha.</td>
<td>60.48</td>
<td>(2) Support to SGHs @Rs. 6 lakh/unit (7 SGHs)</td>
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<td></td>
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<td></td>
<td>b) Eco-restoration of degraded open forest (Type B)</td>
<td>50 Ha.</td>
<td>40.50</td>
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<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>b) Eco-restoration of degraded open forest (Type C)</td>
<td>145 Ha.</td>
<td>195.75</td>
<td>(3) Construction of Modern Toilet @ Rs. 40,000/unit to BPL families (23 families)</td>
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<td></td>
<td></td>
<td>Sub-Mission 2: Ecosystem restoration and increase in forest cover (1.8 mha)</td>
<td>a) Rehabilitation of shifting cultivation areas</td>
<td>235 Ha.</td>
<td>190.35</td>
<td>(4) Provision of HH water storage tank @ Rs. 27234.762/HH (42 HH)</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Sub-Mission 4: Agro-Forestry and social forestry (increasing biomass &amp; carbon sink) : 3 mha</td>
<td>a) Farmer’s land including current fallows</td>
<td>145 Ha.</td>
<td>78.30</td>
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<td>b) Highways/ Rural Roads/ Canal/ Tank Bunds</td>
<td>30 Ha.</td>
<td>56.70</td>
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<td><strong>TOTAL</strong></td>
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<td><strong>845 Ha.</strong></td>
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### 4.5 Treatment area under the landscape unit:

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<th>Category</th>
<th>Proposed area</th>
<th>Proposed cost (Rs. in lakh)</th>
<th>Livelihood activities</th>
<th>Proposed cost (Rs. in lakh)</th>
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<td>1</td>
<td>Sub-Mission 1: Enhancing quality of forest cover and improving ecosystem services (4.9 m ha.)</td>
<td>a) Moderately dense forest but showing degradation</td>
<td>100 Ha.</td>
<td>40.50 @Rs. 40,500/Ha.</td>
<td>Financial support to forest based cottage industries and Handloom &amp; Handicraft industries</td>
<td>5 units @Rs. 10.00 lakh/unit</td>
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<td>b) Eco-restoration of degraded open forest (Type A)</td>
<td>140 Ha.</td>
<td>60.48 @Rs. 43,200/Ha.</td>
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<td>b) Eco-restoration of degraded open forest (Type B)</td>
<td>50 Ha.</td>
<td>40.50 @Rs. 81,000/Ha.</td>
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<td></td>
<td>b) Eco-restoration of degraded open forest (Type C)</td>
<td>145 Ha.</td>
<td>195.75 @Rs. 135,000/Ha.</td>
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<td>Sub Total</td>
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<td>435 Ha.</td>
<td>337.23</td>
<td>5</td>
<td>50.00</td>
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<td>2</td>
<td>Sub-Mission 2: Ecosystem restoration and increase in forest cover</td>
<td>a) Rehabilitation of shifting cultivation areas</td>
<td>235 Ha.</td>
<td>190.35 @Rs. 81,000/Ha.</td>
<td>Support to SGH</td>
<td>7 SHGs @ Rs. 6 lakh/SGH</td>
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<td>Sub Total</td>
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<td>235 Ha.</td>
<td>190.35</td>
<td>35</td>
<td>42.00</td>
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<td>3</td>
<td>Sub-Mission 4: Agro-Forestry and social forestry (increasing biomass &amp; carbon sink) : 3 mha</td>
<td>a) Farmer’s land including current fallows</td>
<td>145 Ha.</td>
<td>78.30 @Rs. 54,000/Ha</td>
<td>Construction of modern toilet to BPL families</td>
<td>23 families @Rs. 40,000 per family</td>
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<td></td>
<td>c) Highways/ Rural Roads/ Canal/ Tank Bunds</td>
<td>30 Ha.</td>
<td>56.70 @Rs. 1,89,000/Ha</td>
<td>Provision of Household (HH) water storage tank</td>
<td>42 HH @Rs. 27234.762/H H</td>
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<td>Sub Total</td>
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<td>175 Ha.</td>
<td>135</td>
<td>65 HH</td>
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<td>4</td>
<td>Promoting alternative fuel energy</td>
<td>Biogas, solar devices, LPG, Biomass-based systems, improved stoves</td>
<td>40 families</td>
<td>1.32 @Rs. 3,300/unit</td>
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<td></td>
<td>Sub Total</td>
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<td>40 fam.</td>
<td>1.32</td>
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<td>TOTAL</td>
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<td>663.90</td>
<td>105 HH</td>
<td>112.6386</td>
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4.6 Whether Map showing details of the area proposed village-wise and submission-wise enclosed
- Attached at Annexure-

4.7 Whether the geo-references of the treatment locations enclosed in the prescribed format
- N/A

4.8 Details of support activities proposed in the landscape including proposed cost and village-wise details wherever applicable

(1) Technical and financial support to 5 units of forest based cottage industries. The proposed cost for this activity will be Rs. 50.00 lakh.

(2) Financial support to 7 units of SHGs for revolving fund which may be utilized as a loan by the members and the interest may be distributed in equal amount among the members from time to time. The proposed cost for this activity will be Rs. 42.00 lakh.

(3) Construction of modern toilet (septic tank) to 42 families to improve their livelihood by having a hygienic toilet. The proposed cost for this activity will be Rs. 9.20 lakh.

(4) Construction of household water storage tank for 42 families @ Rs. 27578.095/HH to solve scarcity of water and time consume to carry water from far distance so that working periods will increase. The proposed cost for this activity will be Rs. 11.4386 lakh.

4.9 Details of each cross-cutting intervention proposed under the mission with area details, geo-references, activities etc.

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<tr>
<th>Sl. No.</th>
<th>Cross cutting interventions proposed</th>
<th>Activities</th>
<th>Unit</th>
<th>Total Cost (Rs. in lakh)</th>
<th>Geo-references</th>
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<td>Promoting alternative fuel energy</td>
<td>Biogas, solar devices, LPG, Biomass-based systems, improved stoves</td>
<td>40 families</td>
<td>1.32</td>
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<td>2</td>
<td>Community livelihood enhancement</td>
<td>1) Financial support to micro cottage industries</td>
<td>5 units</td>
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<td>2) Support to SHGs</td>
<td>7 units</td>
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<td>3) Construction of Modern Toilet to BPL families</td>
<td>23 families</td>
<td>9.20</td>
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<td>4) Provision of household water tank</td>
<td>42 families</td>
<td>11.4386</td>
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<td><strong>TOTAL</strong></td>
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Table 25
### 4.10 Promotion of alternative fuel energy:

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<tr>
<th>Sl. No.</th>
<th>Village</th>
<th>Schemes proposed (Biogas, Solar devices, LPG, improved stores, biomass based systems etc.)</th>
<th>No. of beneficiaries in each scheme proposed</th>
<th>Total cost under each scheme (Rs. in lakh)</th>
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<td>Arro</td>
<td>Promoting alternative fuel energy</td>
<td>40 families</td>
<td>1.32 @ Rs. 3,300/unit</td>
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<td></td>
<td><strong>Total</strong></td>
<td>40 families</td>
<td>1.32</td>
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Table 26
## 5.1 Activities Proposed Under Convergence:

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<th>Village/L3 Landscape</th>
<th>Scheme</th>
<th>Implementing Agencies</th>
<th>Area (NRD Activities)</th>
<th>Other Activities</th>
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<td>Arro</td>
<td>IWMP</td>
<td>Ministry of Rural Development</td>
<td>Terracing</td>
<td>GIM and MoA</td>
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<td>IWMP</td>
<td>Ministry of Rural Development</td>
<td>Construction of water reservoir</td>
<td>GIM and MoA</td>
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<td>IWMP</td>
<td>Ministry of Rural Development</td>
<td>Irrigation</td>
<td>GIM and MoA</td>
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<td>IWMP</td>
<td>Ministry of Rural Development</td>
<td>Sugarcane &amp; Orange Garden</td>
<td>GIM and MoA</td>
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Chapter - 6
Institutional Set-up for implementation in the landscape

6.1 GIM Committee:

Various committees have been constituted by the State government vide Notification No. B. 11016/16/2011-FST dated 11<sup>th</sup> November, 2014 for effective implementation of GIM in the State of Mizoram. A copy of notification is attached at Annexure – D.

The names of these committees are as under:-
1) State Forest Development Agency for “Green India Mission”/State Mission Directorate
2) State Level Steering Committee for Green India Mission
3) GIM Cell under Environment & Forest Department/Nodal Agency
4) Revamped FDA for Green India Mission
5) District Level Steering Committee
6) Village Level GIM Committee

6.2 Institutional Set-up for implementation in the landscape:

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Village</th>
<th>Institutions proposed for implementation</th>
<th>Submission of area</th>
<th>Details of other activities</th>
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<td>Arro</td>
<td>Revam-ped VFDC</td>
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<td>a) Moderately dense forest but showing degradation 100 Ha.</td>
<td>Provision of support to small scale cottage industries</td>
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<td>b) Eco-restoration of degraded open forest (Type A) 140 Ha.</td>
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<td>b) Eco-restoration of degraded open forest (Type B) 50 Ha.</td>
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<td>b) Eco-restoration of degraded open forest (Type C) 145 Ha.</td>
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<td>Sub-Mission 2: Ecosystem restoration and increase in forest cover (1.8 mha)</td>
<td>a) Rehabilitation of shifting cultivation areas 235 Ha.</td>
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<td>d) Farmer’s land including current fallows 145 Ha.</td>
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<td><strong>Total</strong> 845 Ha.</td>
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Chapter - 7
Livelihood Issues

7.1 Brief note on the forest dependency and livelihood issues village-wise

7.1.1 Availability and Requirement of Fuel wood.

Most of the households use fuel-wood as supply of LPG cylinders is much limited in the rural areas. The requirement and availability of fuel-wood is indicated below:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Sl. No.</th>
<th>Village</th>
<th>No. of households</th>
<th>Average fuel wood requirement per household (cum.)</th>
<th>Annual Fuel wood requirement (cum.)</th>
<th>Fuel wood availability (Annual Yield) (cum.)</th>
<th>Remarks</th>
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<td>42</td>
<td>1.9</td>
<td>8.4</td>
<td>2168.94</td>
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7.1.2 Availability and Requirement of Fodder

Very few households practice cattle rearing for livelihood support. Therefore, demand for fodder is comparatively low.

7.1.3 Availability and requirement of Timber

Demand for timber used in house construction and furniture has been worked out and is indicated below:

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<th>Sl. No.</th>
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<th>No. of households</th>
<th>Average timber requirement per household (cum.)</th>
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<td>0.20</td>
<td>8.4</td>
<td>2168.94</td>
<td>Source: PRA Exercise</td>
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7.1.4 Availability and Requirement of NTFP(s).

Bamboo, cane, thatch, honey etc. are some of the important NTFP (s) which are extracted by the villagers from the forests. The demand as well as the availability for various NTFPS has been indicated below:

Arro Village:

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<th>Bamboo (nos.)</th>
<th>Fuelwood(cum)</th>
<th>Broom(Qtls)</th>
<th>Thatching grass (Bundles)</th>
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<td>Demand</td>
<td>Supply availability</td>
<td>Demand</td>
<td>Supply Availability</td>
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<td>1668</td>
<td>341503</td>
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7.2 Details of activities to be carried out to address livelihood issues through Green India Mission including details of activities, beneficiaries, cost, village-wise plan etc.:

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Village</th>
<th>Proposed livelihood activities</th>
<th>Role of facilitators, if any engaged</th>
<th>Beneficiaries</th>
<th>Proposed cost (Rs. in lakh)</th>
<th>Remarks</th>
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<td>Arro</td>
<td>(1) Technical &amp; Financial support to cottage industries</td>
<td>Provision of technical knowledge to improve quality and quantity of production as well as assistance in marketing</td>
<td>5 5</td>
<td>50.00 @10 lakh per unit</td>
<td>Producing different handicraft-items like basket, pot, traditional local carriers, Flower vase, Mat, etc. made from bamboo &amp; cane</td>
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<td>(2) Support to SGHs</td>
<td>Provision of knowledge to form a healthy SHGs for livelihood improvement activities</td>
<td>35 7</td>
<td>42.00 @6 lakh per SHGs</td>
<td>The revolving fund may be utilized as a loan by the members and the interest may be distributed in equal amount among the members from time to time</td>
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<td>(3) Construction of Modern toilet (septic tank) to BPL families</td>
<td>Provision of technical knowledge for construction of septic tank</td>
<td>23 23</td>
<td>9.20 @Rs.40,000 per HH</td>
<td>BPL families may improve their livelihood by having a hygienic toilet</td>
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<td>(4) Provision of Household water storage tank</td>
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<td>42 42</td>
<td>11.4386 @Rs. 27234.76/ HH</td>
<td>Scarcity of water and time consume to carry out water from far distance will be solved, and working period will increase.</td>
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<td><strong>TOTAL</strong></td>
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<td><strong>105</strong> <strong>77</strong></td>
<td><strong>112.6386</strong></td>
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7.3 Convergence of schemes of other departments/missions viz. NRLM to enhance the livelihood especially with the aim of addressing the drivers of degradation and the activities proposed along-with the beneficiaries, cost, and village-wise plan.

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<td>IWMP</td>
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SHG shall be formed and financial support to be given in the form of revolving fund @Rs. 6 lakh/SHG. The cost shall be borne from livelihood improvement activities as in Table 22.
8.1 Baseline survey

The baseline data for various parameters required for maintaining the outcomes of activities undertaken under GIM are given below:

Arro village:

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<td>1. Forest/tree cover on forest/ non-forest lands in the Mission Target Area (MTA)</td>
<td>a) % of area with forest cover</td>
<td>93.36% (Total forest cover 33.91 sq. km. out of 36.32 sq. km.)</td>
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| | b) % area in various forest density classes | 1) Very Dense = 0.0%  
2) Moderately Dense = 36.81% (13.37 Sq. Km.)  
3) Open Forest = 56.55% (20.54 Sq. Km.) |
| | Source: GIS cell E&F dept. Govt of Mizoram |
| 2. Ecosystem services from targeted areas/landscapes | a) Shannon-Weiner Index | 3.663273866 |
| | b) Biomass | Above Ground Biomass = 223492.43423 tonnes |
| | Source: Field Survey data |
| 3. Soil | a) Depth of top soil | The depth of top soil is very deep in valley flatlands whereas in the hills it is deep to very deep. |
| | b) Soil quality | Three soil orders such as ultisols, inceptisols and entisols are found in the project area. The surface soil textures are loam to clay loam with clay content increasing with depth in the hills whereas in the valleys it is mostly sandy loam to sandy clay loams. The soils are acidic in nature with pH values ranging from 6.5 to 7.0. The soils in the hills are strongly acidic in reaction, whereas, the soils in alluvial deposits are less acidic in nature. The percentage of organic carbon content is medium (0.70%). The available nitrogen is medium (0.6 kg/ha) while available phosphorus is found low (12 kg/ha). The available potash is found to be high (285 kg/ha). |
| 4. Hydrology | a) Wetland area  
b) Stream beds/water discharge  
c) Ground water, Table-water level in wells/ springs | a) No wetlands in the Area  
b) No data on stream water discharge  
c) The area is hilly with variable elevation. Therefore, the ground water level varies. In the village settlement area, the depth of water in well is about 40 ft. |
| 5. Annual sequestration of CO₂ | Carbon sequestered in the target area. | Baseline Carbon Stock = 332409.72655 tonnes |

6. Forest/ non-forest based | No. of targeted | Annual Income | No. of Households
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<th>7. Quality of forest cover &amp; ecosystem services of forest / non-forests</th>
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<th>8. Ecosystems are restored and forest cover is increased in scrub, shifting cultivation areas etc.</th>
<th>a) % of area that is adequately stocked /productivity</th>
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<td>9. Forest and Tree cover in urban/ peri-urban land</td>
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<td>10. Forest and tree cover on marginal agricultural lands / fallsows and other non-forest land under agro forestry/ social forestry</td>
<td>a) % of tree cover on non-forest land.</td>
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<td>11. Public forest/ non-forests areas (taken up under the Mission) are managed by the community institutions.</td>
<td>a) % of area under management of community institutions</td>
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<td>a) % of HH reporting use of alternative energy devices.</td>
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<td>13. Forest/non forest based livelihoods of the people living in and around the forests are diversified.</td>
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Chapter – 9
Status of reforms proposed

9.1 Role of Gram Sabha (Village Council) in project planning, implementation and monitoring.

Village level GIM committee has been constituted by the State Government vide notification No. B.11016/16/2011-FST dated 11th Nov, 2014 for the following activities:-

1. To render support in the preparation of Perspective Plan.
2. To ensure implementation of planned and approved schemes (approved by the State Level Steering Committee and MoEFCC) with expected level of quality.
3. To promote active people’s participation in the implementation of “Green India Mission’ and
4. To provide feedbacks timely to concerned authorities for further improvement in programme implementation.

Further, VFDC would play key role in project planning, monitoring and implementation under GIM. Both the VFDC and the village level GIM Committee would work closely in co-ordination with Gram Sabha (Village Council).

9.2 Revamping of FDAs and SFDAs

SFDAs and FDA’s (General Body as well as Executive Committee have been revamped for formulating suitable plans and executing well-planned projects with people’s participation under GIM in Mizoram. The SFDA (General body) will provide overall guidance for effective implementation of ‘Green India Mission’ in the State. It will also oversee implementation of the broad policy framework in achieving Mission goals and objectives. The Executive Committee of revamped SFDA has been entrusted with the following functions:-

1. Approval of Perspective Plan as well as Annual Plan of Operations;
2. Preparation of annual reports on GIM implementation in the State;
3. Programmatic convergence at the landscape level.

The revamped FDA (General body) will deal with policy issues pertaining to cohesion and convergence of different programmes at the Panchayat/Village Council level for better outcomes from the mission. The Executive Committee of revamped FDA will arrange for preparation of perspective plan/annual plan and convergence of various programmes.

9.3 FRAs compliance in areas covered under L2 and L3s.

Claims for rights in the forests would be settled strictly as per the relevant acts applicable in the State of Mizoram.

9.4 Easing out regulatory framework in felling and transportation of forest produce.

There is a need to simplify the procedure for issuing documents enabling felling and transportation of forest produce. The MoEFCC has recently taken initiative for simplifying rules and procedures for issue of permits and transit passes in respect of trees grown on non-forest private lands. The State of Mizoram would work in this direction in a proper way to motivate tree planters on non-forest private lands and also to protect the valuable forest wealth existing in the State.

9.5 Strengthening frontline formation of E&F department.

Necessary actions would be taken for ‘Capacity Building’ of frontline forest staff engaged in implementation of GIM in the State. Suitable training as well as required facilities would be provided to them for executing the planned works efficiently. It is expected that well-trained forest staff with people’s participation would be able to deliver the desired outputs/outcomes under GIM.
Chapter 10  
Mission Cost

10.1 Cost of the Mission  
Year-wise cost of the mission for various work items has been given in the table placed in Annexure – A

10.2 Mission sustainability  
The mission will be executed with active participation of the local people. On completion of the project, crop productivity of the existing forest will increase substantially. Sustainable extraction of forest produce, value addition to forest produce as well as marketing of value added products will provide livelihood support to the people while maintaining ecological stability in the region. Thus the mission is economically viable and socially adoptable.

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- Details of Work Proposal given in Annexure - A
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#### Sub-Mission - 1: Enhancing quality of forest cover and improving ecosystem services (4.9 m ha)

##### a) Moderately dense forest but showing degradation

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**TOTAL A1** 580 188.488859

Advance Work Funding already received 29.4371

**TOTAL of A2** 167.925959
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**TOTAL of B**

|            | 30 | 0.99 |

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|            | 35 % of A2 | 58.774085 |

### D.

**G. TOTAL (A1+B+C) = 198,25294**

*Rupees (One hundred and ninety eight lakh, twenty five thousand, two hundred and ninety four) only.*
APPROVAL LETTER

Green India Mission (GIM) awmzia, Kalphung leh thil tumte (Mission, aims and objectives). mipui chanvo leh mawhphurna (stake holder's expectation) te, Forest Department Official ten chiang taka min hrihfhiah hnuah, Keini Arro khaw mipuite chuan he mission hna hi tha kan tiin kan pawm a. GIM hnuala kan khaw ramchhunga hna thawh tur ruahman (plan) te hi pawmpuiin kan remti tlang a, concern Department hrang hrang pawh he Mission hna a hlawhtlin ngei theih nan kan thawhpui ang.

Khauntlet aiawhin,

Name

Signature

Designation: VCP

With Seal

President
Village Council/Court
Arro: Mazannah
Constitution of Village Level GIM Committee

As per Govt. Notification No. B. 11016/16/2011-FST, Dated 11th November, 2014 a Village Level GIM Committee was set up with the following composition:

**Arro Village:-**

Chairman : K. Zairema, Range Forest Officer, Khawzawl Range  
Secretary : K. Zairema  
Members :  
1. R. Lalfakzuala (VC representative)  
2. Lalnhakliani (Social Welfare)  
3. Lalropuia (YMA representative)  
4. Laldinthara (Prominent Citizen)  
5. Lalmuankimi (MHIP representative)  
6. Dokhuma (MUP representative)  
7. Satinmanga (VFDC representative)
DRAINAGE MAP OF L3 ARRO VC AREA

Scale: 1:50,000

Working Area: 36.32 Sq.Km

Legend
- Working Area
- Drainage
- Rivers

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PROPOSED LANDUSE MAP OF L3 ARRO

Working Area: 36.32 Sq.km
Rehabilitation of Shifting Cultivation: 2.47 Sq.km
Agro Forestry & Social Forestry:
1. Farmers Land: 2.04 Sq.km
2. Highway / Roadside Plantation: 0.44 Sq.km
Community Land:
1. Moderately Dense Forest cover showing degradation: 1.81 Sq.km
2. Eco restoration of degraded open forest: 4.20 Sq.km
Community Land: 22.81 Sq.km
Settlement Area: 0.03 Sq.km

Legend:
- Working Area
- Rehabilitation
- Agro Forestry & Social Forestry
- Farmers Land
- Highway / Roadside Plantation
- Moderately Dense Forest cover showing degradation
- Eco restoration of degraded open forest
- Community Land
- Settlement
CONTOUR MAP OF L3 ARRO VC AREA

Scale: 1:50,000

Working Area: 36.32 Sq.Km

Legend
- Working Area
- Contour

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GEOGRAPHICAL MAP OF L3 ARRO VC AREA

Scale: 1:50,000

Working Area: 36.32 Sq.Km

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Legend
Working Area
1. Working Area : 36.32 Sq.Km
2. Open Forest : 20.54 Sq.Km
3. Moderately Dense Forest : 13.37 Sq.Km
4. Non Forest : 2.41 Sq.Km

Legend
- Working Area
- Open Forest
- Moderate Dense Forest

Prepared By:
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ESTIMATING OF TOTAL CARBON STOCK
ARRO (L3) LANDSCAPE: KHAWZAWL FOREST RANGE

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