GOVERNMENT OF MEGHALAYA
FORESTS & ENVIRONMENT DEPARTMENT

ORDERS BY THE GOVERNOR

NOTIFICATION

Dated Shillong, the 8th September ,2021

NO.FOR. 24/2021/43:- In accordance with the provisions of Section 36 C of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972(as amended upto 2006), the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to declare the CommunityForest of Rantangsora Village in South GaroHills District, as a Community Reserve to be known as the **"RantangsoraCommunity Reserve"** with immediate effect as per the schedule of boundaries indicated below:-

Schedule of Boundaries:-

NORTH : The northern boundary starts from point No. 1 at 25°11'31.280"N 90°53'47.780"E then it proceeds in Eastern direction along the Rantangsora Village Garden boundary till it reaches point No.2 at 25°11'31.699"N 90°53'50.909"E then it proceeds Eastward along the same boundary (Rantangsora Village Garden) up to point No.3 at 25°11'32.082"N 90°53'52.913"E, then it continue run along the same boundary through point No.4 at 25°11'31.890"N 90°53'54.282"E, then point No.5 at 25°11'32.810"N 90°53'56.970"E,then point No.6 at 25°11'32.867"N 90°53'58.150"E and then point No.7 at 25°11'32.210"N 90°53'59.000"E.

EAST : Eastern boundary starts from point No.7 at 25°11'32.210"N 90°53'59.000"E and proceeds southward along the Rantangsora Nokma A'king land boundary through point No.8 at 25°11'29.511"N 90°53'59.855"E, then point No.9 at 25°11'27.200"N 90°54'0.910"E and run up to point No.10 at 25°11'25.900"N 90°54'0.550"E.

SOUTH: Southern boundary starts from point No. 10 at 25° 11' 25.900" N 90° 54' 0.550" E then proceeds in Western direction along the RantangsoraA'king Land boundary till it reaches point No. 11 at 25° 11' 24.960" N 90° 53' 58.232" E, then it continue run along the same A'king boundary through point No. 12 at 25° 11' 24.390" N 90° 53' 55.270" E, point No. 13 at 25° 11' 25.008" N 90° 53' 54.247" E, point No. 14 at 25° 11' 24.990" N 90° 53' 53.103" E, then to point No. 15 at 25° 11' 24.575" N 90° 53' 52.750" E and till it reaches point No. 16 at 25° 11' 24.576" N 90° 53' 52.249" E. From the point No. 16, the boundary proceeds in same direction along the small stream of Rangtangsora village through point No. 17 at 25° 11' 23.899" N 90° 53' 51.600" E, point No. 18 at 25° 11' 23.180" N 90° 53' 51.200" E, point No. 19 at 25° 11' 22.900" N 90° 53' 50.146" E, point No 20 at 25° 11' 22.433" N 90° 53' 49.816" E, point No. 21 at 25° 11' 21.924" N 90° 53' 48.684" E, point No. 22 at 25° 11' 21.940" N 90° 53' 48.260" E, point No. 23 at 25° 11' 21.637" N 90° 53' 47.526" E, point No. 24 at 25° 11' 21.300" N 90° 53' 46.924" E, point No. 25 at 25° 11' 21.012" N 90° 53' 46.724" E, point No. 26 at 25° 11' 20.796" N 90° 53' 45.820" E and till it reaches point No. 27 at 25° 11' 20.880" N 90° 53' 45.400" E.

WEST : Western boundary starts from point No. 27 at 25° 11' 20.880" N 90° 53' 45.400" E then it proceeds in Northern direction along the betel nut garden of Shri Leving Ch. Marak till it reaches point No. 28 at 25° 11' 21.933" N 90° 53' 45.409" E then it continue run along the same boundary of Shri Leving Ch. Marak through point No. 29 at 25° 11' 23.687" N 90° 53' 45.294" E, point No. 30 at 25° 11' 25.723" N 90° 53' 44.698" E, point No. 31 at 25° 11' 26.310" N 90° 53' 45.010" E, then point No. 32 at 25° 11' 27.194" N 90° 53' 44.919" E then point No. 33 at 25° 11' 28.850" N 90° 53' 45.800" E. From the point No. 33, the boundary proceeds in North Eastern direction along the Rantangsora village boundary till it reaches point No. 34 at 25° 11' 29.114" N 90° 53' 46.667" E then it continue run along the Rantangsora Village boundary towards Western direction to point No. 35 at 25° 11' 29.972" N 90° 53' 46.452"E. From the point No. 35, the boundary proceeds in North Eastern direction along the same Village boundary upto point No.36 at 25° 11' 30.498" N 90° 53' 46.901"E then proceeds in North Eastern direction till it reaches starting point of the Northern boundary at point No. 1 at 25° 11' 31.280" N 90° 53' 47.780" E.

AREA : **10.4** hac. Approximately.

NO.FOR. 24/2021/43-A :- In exercise of the powers conferred under Section 36 D of the Wild Life (Protection) Act, 1972(as amended upto 2006), the Governor of Meghalaya is pleased to constitute the Management Committee for the **"RantangsoraCommunity Reserve"**consisting of the following members:-

1. Shri DinsonA.Marak - Chairman
2. Shri RalminK.Sangma - Member
3. Shri Lipton A.Sangma - Member
4. ShriSengbatA.Marak - Member
5. Smti. TindhaCh.Marak - Member
6. The Director, Balpakram National Park, Baghmara or his nominee not below the rank of Forester-I. - Member Secretary

The Chairman of the Community Reserve shall also be the Honorary Wildlife Warden on the Community Reserve.

(Sd/- D.P.Wahlang, IAS)
Addl. Chief Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya,
Forests & Environment Department
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Memo. NO.FOR.24/2021/43-B **Dated Shillong, the 8th September, 2021.**

Copy forwarded to:-

1. The P.S. to the Chief Minister, Meghalaya for information of the Chief Minister.
2. The P.S. to the Minister, I/c Forest & Environment Department for information of the Minister.
3. The P.S. to the Chief Secretary, Govt. Of Meghalaya for information of the Chief Secretary.
4. The Additional Director General of Forests(WL), Govt. of India, Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change, Indira Paryavaran Bhawan, JorBagh Road, Aliganj, New Delhi-110003.
5. The P.S to the Hon'ble Speaker, Meghalaya Legislative Assembly for information of the Hon'ble Speaker.
6. The P.S to the Leader of Opposition, Meghalaya Legislative Assembly for information of the Hon'ble leader of Opposition.
7. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forest &HoFF,Meghalaya,Shillong.
8. The Additional Principal Chief Conservator of Forest, Wildlife & Chief Wildlife Warden, Meghalaya, Shillong.
9. The Chief Conservator of Forest, Wildlife, Meghalaya, Shillong.
10. The Deputy Commissioner, South GaroHills District,Baghmara.
11. The Conservator of Forest,Wildlife & Territorial, Garo Hills Region, Tura.
12. The Director, Balpakram National Park, Baghmarawith a request for taking necessary action in intimating the persons concerned.
13. The Director of Printing & Stationery, Meghalaya for favour of publication in the Gazette.
14. The Senior System Analyst, NIC for uploading the Notification in the Department Website.

By Order etc.

Secretary to the Government of Meghalaya,
Forest & Environment Department.
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