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There are several livelihood alternatives provided in incentives by the

government to supplement village economy, few of them like beekeeping, leaf plate

making, candle making, small ruminants rearing, and small dairy units are well

adaptable to tribes which need awareness on the schemes launched by the

government.

It's crucial time the government contemplate anent RoFR Act 2006 to arrest

forest encroachments. The RoFR Act 2006 act needs to be amended or uprooted

completely, for it shall pave for more encroachments and decline of forest cover

across the country. If ignored it shall remain a serious crime committed in the history

of mankind.

Sir, the society is hopeful that The Office of Prime Minister will do its best to

put a hold to this dangerous trend of decline in forest land. The PMO can direct the

Ministry of Environment and forests, Ministry of Tribal Affairs and all concerned

departments to exercise caution in alienating forest land to individuals or

communities.

Thanking you Sir.

Yours since; ely

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