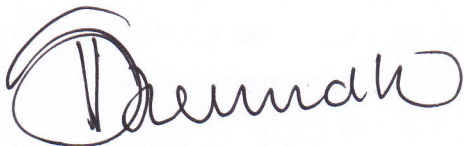


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Alien Invasive Species removal Policy of the HPL

Main invasive species identified in the HPL lands by field expertise and estate Management will strictly control the regeneration and spread of the invasive species by using a well-structured approach. Such species already established in the conservation areas and other areas in large scale will not be eradicated due to the impossibility, especially due to the restrictions in using agro-chemicals, fire, large scale machinery and the due to the prevailing legal systems. However, further spread of those species in such areas will strictly be controlled. As well as If invasive plants are removed, their parts or residue are not deposited aquatic ecosystems.

In addition all estate workers will be given instructions to uproot/ remove the invasive species at young stage once such species are encountered. Invasive species control records will be analyzed by the Forestry Officer/ Assistant Superintendent/ Superintendent and kept in the estate Office to incorporate in the next year plan.



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