

Forest Conservation and The Tribal: A Study In Manatu Village Under Ranchi District of Bihar

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ABSTRACT It is the fact that only the various measures and legislation on forest in order to control the defore-station caused by human beings will not yield the desired results, until people's sincere participation is there. And, when initiatives come from the local/concerned people themselves for participation, rather than from external forces/sources, the results are no doubt best. This study deals with mainly that how the tribal of Manatu village has been maintaining an excellent and exemplary task by protecting forest from their own and not due to any external factors, and thus contributing to a greater extent to conserve the forest and environment in the area.

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