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Ban Jhakri Falls Energy Park situated at a distance of 4 kms from Gangtok is now one of the popular tourist spots. This spot was developed by the State Government in honour of the traditional faith healers who are known by the local name Bhan Jhakris. Today this tourist spot is one of the favorite for visitors both from within the State as well as from outside the State. In tourist season at least 2000 people visit this spot daily. This spot offers a serene environment having a beautiful waterfall as its backdrop.

Visitors once inside this area forget the strain and stress of the daily lives and can spend the whole day in leisure among the ethnic sculptures of the Jhakri culture beautifully spread across the 2 acres of green valley. This place offers an insight into the age old traditional healing of body, mind and soul. In recent days baseless rumors have been making the rounds with a view to create dread among the visitors. Anybody who visits this tranquil and peaceful place would immediately understand the malice intended.

Tourism Department would like to appeal to the public not to give heed to such baseless propaganda which will be harmful to the tourism promotion in the State.