

Roc. No. E-1815742/2020/F1

West Godavari Collectorate,

Eluru, 17/10/2020.

Annexure-1

Form-1

(For Linear Projects)

Government of Andhra Pradesh

Office of the District Collector, West Godavari

TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

In compliance with the Ministry of Environment and Forests (MoEF), Govt. of India Letter No.11-9/98-FC(pt), dated 03.08.2009 wherein the MoEF issued guidelines on submission of evidences for having initiated and completed the process of settlement of rights under the Scheduled Tribes and other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 (FRA for short) on the forest land proposed to be diverted for non-forest purposes read with MoEFs letter dated 05.02.2013 wherein MoEF issued certain relaxation in respect of linear projects, it is certified that to permission to lay optical fibre cable from Check post/Kalakurru jurisdiction up to Pedayadlagadi bridge (Sriparru Beat of Eluru Range) in the Eluru - Kaikaluru OFC route in West

Godavari District.

The Divisional Forest Officer, Wildlife Management Division, Eluru vide Rc.No.850/2017/WL-O,dt.8-9-2020 reported that the said area comes under Kolleru Wildlife Sanctuary and there is no notified forest area existing in the sanctuary. Hence the present does not attract RoFR Act.

The Project Officer, ITDA, K.R.Puram, West Godavari District vide his letter in Rc.No.T9/78/ITDA/ dated 14.10.2020 reported that the above said optical Fibre cable Project work is not affected the right of the Tribal people under RoFR Act, 2006 for setting up of Fibre cable project by the BSNL Authorities. A copy of the letter is also enclosed for the ready reference.

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