

Form - I
(for linear projects)
Government of Tamil Nadu
Office of the District Collector Kanchipuram

Ref No :B1/38887/2013

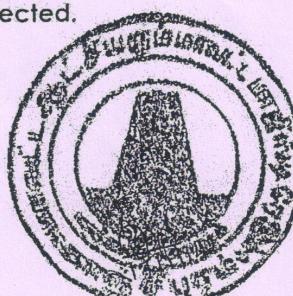
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Dated: 17.01.2014

TO WHOM SOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

In compliance of the Ministry of Environment and Forests (MoEF), Government of India's letter No : 11-9/98-FC (p) dated 3rd August 2009 wherein the MoEF issued guidelines on submission of evidence 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 MOEF's letter dated 5th February 2013 wherein MOEF issued certain relaxation in respect of linear projects, it is certified that 11.81.0 Hectares of forest route identified for laying of 400KV High Voltage Transmission Line from Thiruvalam to Kalivanthapattu by M/s. Power Grid Corporation of India Limited lies within jurisdiction of Thehmelpakkam Village (S.No 211 Thirutheri RF & 244 Sengundram RF), Kondamangalam Village (S.No. 191 Sengundram RF), Thirutheri Village (S.No 108/1 Thirutheri RF) in Chengalpattu Taluk, Kanchipuram District.

It is further certified that :

1. Certified that the proposal has been examined with reference to ensuring compliance of Scheduled Tribes and other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act 2006.
2. Certified that there are no Scheduled Tribes and other Traditional Forest Dwellers in Thirutheri and Sengunram Reserve Forest of Chengalpattu Taluk, Kancheepuram District and consequently no claims have been received under this Act with respect to the area proposed for construction of 400kV D/C Thiruvalam – Melakkottaiyur (Kalivanthapattu) Transmission Line by Power Grid Corporation of India Ltd.
3. Certified that there are no Primitive Tribal Groups (PTG) and Pre-Agricultural Communities (PAC) in the Thirutheri and Sengunram Reserve Forest of Chengalpattu Taluk, Kancheepuram District. So, the recognised rights of PTG and PAC are not affected.


Anil Kumar
17.1.14
District Collector
Kancheepuram

FORM - I
FOR LINEAR PROJECTS
Government of TAMIL NADU
Office of the District Collector TIRUVALLUR

Rc.No.12703/13 N2

Dated: 3-03-2014

TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

In compliance of the Ministry of Environment and Forests (MoEF) Government of India's letter No. 11-9/98-FC (pt.) dated 3rd August 2009 wherein the MoEF issued guidelines and submission of the 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 MoEF's letter dated 5th February 2013 wherein MoEF issued certain relaxation in respect of linear projects, it is certified that **22.10.0** Hectares of Forest Land proposed to be diverted in favour of **PUBLIC WORKS DEPARTMENT (W.R.O.)** for the formation of New Off Take Canal (purpose for diversion of forest land) in TIRUVALLUR District falls within jurisdiction of 1) PALAVAKKAM, 2) SENJIAGARAM & 3) THAMARAIKUPPAM village(s) in UTHUKOTTAI TALUK.

It is certified that:

- (a) Certified that the proposal has been examined with reference to ensuring compliance of scheduled tribes and other traditional forest dwellers(Recognition of Forest Rights) Act 2006.
- (b) Certified that there are No scheduled Tribes and other Traditional Forest Dwellers in the above villages and consequently no claims have been received under this Act with respect to the area proposed for the diversion of forest land for the excavation of off take canal at LS 2200 m of Kandaluru poondi canal.
- (c) The proposal does not involve recognised rights of Primitive Tribal Groups and Pre-agricultural communities, in the Palavakkam, Senjiagaram, and Thamaraikuppam villages of Uthukottai Taluk, Tiruvallur District. So the recognized rights of PTG and PAC are not affected.



K. S. Raja 3-3-14
District Collector,
Tiruvallur District.

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3/3/14

DR. H. MALLESHAPPA, I.F.S.,
MEMBER SECRETARY



STATE LEVEL ENVIRONMENT
IMPACT ASSESSMENT
AUTHORITY,
TAMILNADU,

सत्यनेत्र जयने 3rd Floor, PanagalMaaligai,
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Chennai-15.

Lr.No.SEIAA/TN/F.No 620 /2012/2013-2 dt.09.5.2013

To
The Executive Engineer
PWD/WRD,
Thiruvallur.

Sir,

Sub: SEIAA ,TN- Environmental clearance- Formation of new reservoir at Kannankottai & Thervaikandigai Village in Gummidi poondi Taluk, Thiruvallur District of TamilNadu by M/s.PWD,GoTN—reg.

Ref: 1. Your application for EC dt 15.12.2010
2. MOEF, (IA-1 Division) G.O.F.No.J-12011/45/2012-1A-D dt 3.4.2013

Kind attention is invited to the application seeking environmental clearance for Formation of new reservoir at Kannankottai & Thervaikandigai Village in Gummidipoondi taluk, Thiruvallur District of Tamil Nadu was forwarded to MOEF, GoI for taking necessary action as the project falls under Category 'A' of the Schedule of the EIA Notification 2006 and its subsequent Amendment 2009.

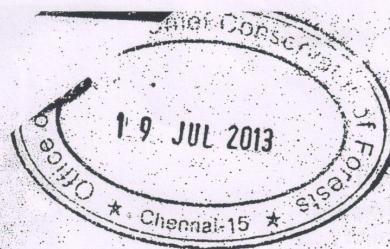
Now ,the Ministry vide their letter second cited has clarified that the proposal is purely a drinking water supply scheme and it does not attract the provisions of EIA Notification, 2006 and its subsequent amendment, 2009.

Further, the MoEF, GoI has mentioned that the following steps, however be taken /ensured by the State Govt. while implementing the project:

- i) Necessary clearance for diversion of forest land for the project to be obtained from the designated authority before commencement of the project.
- ii) Any other mandatory clearance/statutory permission from any other organisation/ department to be obtained by the project proponent.
- iii) Environmental safeguard measures/management plans may be implemented appropriately and in a timely manner.

Therefore, you are requested to take necessary action to follow the above steps while implementing the project.

Shafiq
Member Secretary
SEIAA-TN.



F. No. 11-9/98-FC (pt.)
Government of India
Ministry of Environment & Forests
(FC Division)

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Paryavaran Bhawan
CGO Complex, Lodhi Road,
New Delhi-110 003
Dated: 5th July, 2013

To,

The Principal Secretary (Forests),
All State/ Union Territory Governments

Sub:

Diversion of forest land for non-forest purposes under the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 - ensuring compliance of the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry's letters of even number dated 3rd August 2009 and dated 5th February 2013 on the above mentioned subject wherein this Ministry issued detailed 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, and to say that certificate in accordance with the said letters in respect of (a) linear, and (b) other projects shall be submitted in the formats enclosed as Annexure-I (FORM-I) and Annexure-II (FORM-II) respectively.

Encl.: As above.

Yours faithfully,

(H.C. Chaudhary)
Assistant Inspector General of Forests



Copy To:

1. The Secretary, Ministry of Tribal Affairs, New Delhi.
2. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, all State/UT Governments.
3. Nodal Officer, the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, all State/UT Governments.
4. All Regional Offices, Ministry of Environment & Forests.
5. Joint Secretary in-charge, Impact Assessment Division, MoEF.
6. All Assistant Inspector General of Forests/ Directors in Forest Conservation Division, MoEF.
7. Director R.O. (HQ), Ministry of Environment & Forests, New Delhi.
8. Sr. Director (Technical), NIC, MoEF with a request to place a copy of the letter on website of this Ministry.
9. Guard File.

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(H.C. Chaudhary)
Assistant Inspector General of

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