

FORM-II

(For the projects other than linear projects)

Government of Tamil Nadu

Office of the District Collector

Ref.No.e557311/2023.C2

Dated: 03.02.2023.

TO WHOME SO EVER IT MAY CONCERN

In compliance of the Ministry of Environment and Forest (MoEF), Government of India's letter No. 119/98-FC(Act) Dated 3rd August 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, it is certified that, **4.85** hectares of forest land proposed to be diverted in favour of the **Superintending Engineer, General Construction Circle, Tamil Nadu Transmission Corporation Limited (TANTRANSCO), Coimbatore** for **Improvement of 400 KV Substation into existing 200 KV Substation at Parali, Pillur Slope RF, in Coimbatore** District falls within jurisdiction of **Nellithurai** Village in **Mettupalayam** Tahsils.

It is further certified that:

- (a) The complete process for identification and settlement of rights under the FRA has been carried out for the entire **4.85** hectares of forest land proposed for diversion.
- (b) The proposal for such diversion (with full details of the project and its implications, in vernacular/local language) have been placed before each concerned Grama Sabha of forest dwellers, who are eligible under the FRA,
- (c) The each of the concerned Grama Sabha(s), has certified that all formalities/ Processes under the FRA have been carried out, and that they have been given their consent to the proposed diversion and the compensation and ameliorative measures, if any, having understood the purpose and details of proposed diversion. A copy of certificates issued by the gram Sabha of Nellithurai village(s) is enclosed as Annexure I to Annexure II

- (d) The discussion and decisions on such proposals had taken place only when there was a quorum of minimum 50% of the members of Gram Sabha present.
- (e) The diversion of forest land for facilities managed by the Government as required under section 3 (2) of the FRA have been completed and the Gramasabhas have been given the consent on it.
- (f) The rights of Primitive tribal Groups and Pre Agricultural Communities when applicable have been specifically safeguarded as per Section 3(1) (e) of the FRA.

Encl:Annexure I and II


Signature
DISTRICT COLLECTOR
COIMBATORE.