

FORM -1  
(For linear project)  
Government of \_\_\_\_\_  
Office of the District Collector Uttarkashi

No ..158/2018

Dated: 31.1.18

**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 3<sup>rd</sup> 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 purpose read with MOEF's letter dated 5<sup>th</sup> February 2013 wherein MOEF issued certain relaxation in respect of linear projects, it is certified that **0.582 hectares** of forest land proposed to be diverted in favour of **Telelinks Ltd. EPC Division, Industrial Area, Phase – 8B Mohali, Punjab** for **Laying Optical Fiber Cable Aerial** is **Uttarkashi** district falls within jurisdiction of **Veerpur** village (s) in **Dunda** Tehsils.

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 **0.582 hectares** of forest area proposed for diversion. A copy of records of ail consultation and meeting of the Forest Right Committee (S) Gram Sabha (s) Sub Division Level Committee (s) and the district Level Committee and enclosed as annexure I to Annexure II
- (b) 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 Gram Sabhas have given their consent to it.
- (c) The proposal does not involve recognized rights to Primitive Tribal Groups and Pre-agricultural communities.



Signature

ENCL: as above

(full name and office seal of the District Collector)