

FORM-1

(For Liner Projects)

GOVERNMENT OF PUNJAB.

OFFICE OF THE DISTRICT COLLECTOR, RUPNAGAR.

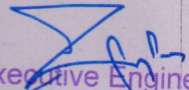
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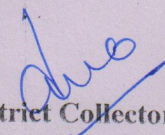
TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

In Compliance of the Ministry of Environment and Forest (MoEF) Government of India's letter No. 11-9/98-FC (pt) dated 03.08.2009 wherein the MoEF issued guidelines on submission of evidence for having initiated and completed the process of settlement of rights under the schedule 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 **2.154 Ha.** of forest land proposed to be diverted in favour of **Executive Engineer, Construction Division, PWD B&R Branch, Rupnagar (Name of User Agency)** for widening of **Ropar-Abiana-Nurpurbedi Road from 0.510 Km to 4.10 Km from Ropar Head Works to Village lower Garhgabha under Rupnagar Forest Division, Distt Rupnagar in the State of Punjab.**

It is further certified that :-

- The complete process for identification & settlement of Rights under the FRA has been carried out in the entire **2.154 Hec.** forest area proposed for diversion. (Since there is no Schedule Tribes in State of Punjab as per Census 2011).
- The proposal does not involve recognized rights of primitive Tribal Groups and Pre-Agricultural Communities.


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18/7/16


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