From Smt. Sujata Sharma, I.A.S., Collector & District Magistrate, Prakasam District, Ongole. To Sri P.R. Suresh, Chief Project Manager, World Class Station Project, O/o CAO (con), S.C. Railway, Secunderabad.

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D.Dis.E1/316/2016, Dated 17.03.2016.

Sir,

Sub:- RoFR, Act, 2006 - Railways - Prakasam District - Construction of BG Railway line between Nadikudi-Srikalahasti - Issue of NOC under the provisions of RoFR Act, 2006 for the revised area 14.02 & 97.225 Ha - Regarding.

Ref:- 1. Govt. Memo.No.11483/TR.II/2/2010, Transport, Roads & Buildings (Tr.II) Dept., dt.12.01.2016.
 2. District Tribal Welfare Officer, Ongole, letter Rc.No.A1/177/2015, dated 19.02.2016.

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- 1. Attention is invited to the references cited.
- 2. In pursuance of the instructions of the Government Memo $\mathbf{1}^{\text{st}}$ cited, I enclose the certificate in Form-I under the ROFR Act, 2006 in connection with the construction of BG Railway line between Nadikudi Srikalahasti.

Yours faithfully, Sd/- Noorbasha Khasim, For Collector, Ongole.

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Superintendent (F)

Copy submitted to the Special Chief Secretary to Government, Transport, Roads & Buildings (Tr.II) Department, A.P. Secretariat, Hyderabad, for favour of information

Copy to the General Manager, South Central Railways, Secunderabad, for information

<u>FORM – I</u> (for linear projects)

Office of the Collector & District Magistrate, Prakasam District, Ongole, D.Dis.No.E1/316/2016, Dated:17.03.2016.

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 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 MoEF's letter dated 5th February 2013 wherein MoEF issued certain relaxation in respect of linear projects, it is certified that 14.02 hectares with a length of 2.47 Kms., of forest land proposed to be diverted in favour of *Chief Project Manager, World Class Station Project, O/o CAO(con.) S.C Railway Secunderabad* for construction of new B.G. Railway line between Nadikudi and Srikalahasthi Stations (purpose for diversion of forest land) in Prakasam District falls within jurisdiction of Punugodu Village in Kanigiri Mandal, (Tahsil).

It is further certified that:

The proposal does not involve recognized rights of Primitive Tribal Groups and Pre-agricultural communities.

(Sujata Sharma)
Collector and District Magistrate,
Prakasam District, Ongole (A.P)
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To The Collector & District Magistrate, Ongole, Prakasam District.

Rc.No.A1/177/2015, dt./9 -02-2016.

Sir,

Sub: T.W.D - Prakasam District - Construction of New Railway line from Nadikudi to Srikalahasti – Diversion of Forest lands in Giddalur Division - Punugodu Reseve Forest Giddalur conducted enquiry - Submitted Report - Regarding.

Ref: 1. Govt Memo No.11483/TR.II/2/2010, Transport, Roads & Buildings (Tr.II) Dept, dt.12.01.2016. 2. Lr.Rc.No.E1/316/2016, dt.02-02-2016, Collector & District Magistrate, Ongole.

I submit that I proceeded to Punugodu, Kanigiri Mandal to enquire in to the facts whether the proposed new B.G rail way line from Nadikudi to Srikalahasti involves any recognised rights of the primitive Tribal groups and pre agricultural communities. I was there in Punugodu Reserve forest at 2.00 Pm on 08-02-2016.

Sri P.M.D Arifkhan Deputy Range Officer, Kanigiri, Sri B.Ch.Nagaiah Forest Beat Officer Kanigiri and Sri Basheer Ahmad Assistant Beat Officer Kanigiri accompanied me and assisted me to locate the area of the proposed new B.G rail way line in Punugodu Reserve Forest.

I submit that the proposed new B.G rail way line enters the punugodu Reserve forest at station number 69 & 70 from the northern side and ends at station number 46 & 47 towards the southern side. As per the report of the forest range officer kanigiri the area to be diverted is arrived to 14.02 Ha with a length of 2.47 Kms. Punugodu village is located 4 Km away from the Reserve forest.

I submit that I again proceed that punugode and consulted the sarpanch grama panchayat punugodu and Village Revenue Officer, Punugodu for details on 16-02-2016. The Village Revenue Officer Punugodu village and sarpanch of Punugodu grama panchayat stated in writing that the proposed new B.G rail way line from Nadikudi to Srikalahasti does not incur any lose to the properties of the tribal people dwelling in punugodu grama panchayat. They stated after verifying the revenue records.

I submit that the proposed new B.G rail way line does not involve any recognised rights of the primitive Tribal groups and pre agricultural communities. It does not involve any right of the Tribal people regarding lands under the ROFR act 2006.

This is submitted for favour of your kind perusal.

1. Statement of Village Revenue Officer Punugodu And the sarpanch grama Panchayat punugodu.

2. Report of the forest range officer Kanigiri.

Yours faithfully,

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DISTRICT TRIBAL WELFARE OFFICER, ONGOLE:: PRAKASAM DISTRICT.

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