Form - I (For linear Projects) Government of Tamil Nadu Office of the District Collector, Dharmapuri.

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TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

In compliance of the Ministry of Environment and Forests (MOEF). Government of India's letter No.11-9 /98-F.C (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 Feb 2013 wherein MOEF issued certain relaxation in respect of linear projects, it is certified that 0.389 hectares of forest land proposed to be diverted in favour of the Project Director, PIU Krishnagiri for A New Route of Neralur (KA) - Kothakondapalli (TN) - Rayakottai - Dharmapuri section from Km 0+000 to Km 94+460 of New NH - 844 Gummanur Forest in Dharmapuri Forest Division. It is further certified, that there is no suitable alternative non forest land is available for the implementation of the project near Gummanur Forest and the demand of Forest land for the project is minimum.

District Collector Dharmapuri