

Form-1

(For Linear Projects)

Govt. of Uttar Pradesh

Office of the District Collector, Sitapur (U.P.)

No.

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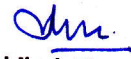
**To Whomsoever It May Concern**

In compliance of the ministry of environment and forest (MoEF), Government of India letter No. - 11-9/98-FC (pt.) dated 3<sup>rd</sup> August, 2009 and dated 5<sup>th</sup> February, 2013 where in 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-forestry purposes. In further modification of above said letter, MoEF exempted the requirement of initiation and completion of process for recognition and vesting of forest rights of Scheduled Tribes and other Traditional Forest Dwellers in case of linear projects vide ministry of environment and forest (MoEF) Government of India's letter no. 11-9/98-FC (pt) dated 28-10-2014.

It is further certified that –

- a) An area of 30.6259 Hectare of protected forest land is proposed to be diverted for non-forestry purpose in favor of Northern Railway, Division Moradabad, for Doubling of Railway Track along with below Railway Track in Social Forestry Division of Sitapur district.
  1. At Roza to Sitapur Railway KM NO 46.00 to 80.30 in sitapur 30.6259 Ha.. in Social Forestry Division Sitapur-UP of protected forest land.
- b) The proposal does not affect the recognized rights and interests of primitive Tribal Groups or Pre Agricultural Communities, as those are having no recorded population in the above stated region of the protected forest land.
- c) The forest land proposed to be diverted is plantation which was notified as "Forest" less than 75 years prior to the 13<sup>th</sup> day of December 2005 is located in villages having no recorded population of Scheduled tribes & Pre-Agricultural Communities, as per census 2001 and the census 2011. The requirement of forest land as proposed by the user agency is barest minimum.

  
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