FORM - I

(for linear projects) Government of Gujarat Office of the District Collector, Valsad

No.FRA/certificate/cols. 1905 17

Date: - 18/9 2017

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 purpose read with MoEF's letter dtd.5th February 2013 wherein MoEF issued certain relaxation in respect of linear projects, it is certified that **0.998 Hectares** of forest land proposed to be diverted in favour of Executive Engineer, Damanganga Canal Investigation Division, Valsad (Name of user agency) for Environmental Rejuvenation of Tithal Seafront Phase-I, Valsad for Gujarat Tourism in Valsad District falls within jurisdiction of Tithal Village in Valsad 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 0.998 hactares of forest are proposed for diversion. A copy of records of all consultations and meetings of the Forest Rights Committee (S), Gram Sabha(s), Sub Division level committee(s) and the District Level Committee are enclosed as annexure N.A. to N.A. annexure N.A.
- (b) The diversion of forest land for facilities 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 of Primitive Tribal Groups and Pre-agriculural communities.

Encl: as above

To.

Executive Engineer

Damanganga Canal Investigation Division

Valsad