

FORM – II
(for project than liner Projects)
Government of
Office of the District Collector
TO WHOWSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

Letter No.AW7/21529/19

Dated: .01.2020

In compliance of the Ministry of Environment and Forest (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, it is certified that 0.42 Hectares of forest land proposed to be diverted in favour of construction Toilet, Bathroom and Rest Room (name of user agency) for president of Arulmigu Malaiyandi Sastha Ayyanar Kovil Araikulam (purpose for diversion of forest land) in Thoothukudi district falls within jurisdiction of Araikulam village(s) in Ottapidaram Taluk.

- (a) the complete process for identification and settlement of rights under the FRA has been carried out for the entire 0.42 hectares of forest area proposed for diversion. A copy of records of all consultation 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.
- (b) the proposal for such diversion (with full details of the project and its implications, in vernacular/local language) have been placed before each concerned Gram Sabha of forest-dwellers, who are eligible under FRA.
- (c) the each of concerned Gram Sabha(s), has certified/processes under FRA have been carried out, and that they have given their consent to the proposed diversion and the compensation and ameliorative measures, if any, having understood the purpose and details of proposed diversion. A copy of certificate issued by the gram sabha of Araikulam Village(s) is enclosed as annexure to annexurell.
- (d) the discussion and decision on such proposals had taken place only when there was a quorum of minimum 50% of the members of Gram Sabha present.
- (e) the diversion of forest land for facilities managed by the Government as required under section 3(2) of the FRA have been completed and the Grama Sabhas have given their consent to it.
- (f) the rights of Primitive Tribal Groups and Pre-Agricultural Communities, where applicable have been specifically safeguarded as per section 3(1) of the FRA.
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Since there are no Tribal People residing in the proposed Checkdam Construction site in Suranganar Reserved Forest of Uthamapalayam Taluk para (a) to (f) in this certificate are not applicable.

Enxl:As above

Signature,

(Full name and official seal of the District Collector)

COLLECTOR
THOOTHUKUDI DISTRICT
THOOTHUKUDI.

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