

Annexure - 15

FORM-I
(FOR LINEAR PROJECT)
Government of Gujarat
Office of the District Collector, Mehsana
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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-FC (Pt.) dt. 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 Right) Act, 2006 (FRA), for short) on the forest land proposed to be diverted for non-forest purposes read with MoEF's letter dt. 5th February 2013 wherein MoEF issued certain relaxation in respect of linear projects, it is certified that **12.25 Hectare** of forest land proposed to be diverted in favour Proposal for Widening of Visnagar - Vijapur Road SH 130 Chainage 0.00 Km - 24.500 Km in Taluka Visnagar & Vijapur, Dist. Mehsana.

It is further certified that:

- The complete process for identification and settlement of rights under the FRA has been carried out for the entire **12.25 Hectares** of forest area 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.
- 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 Gram a Sabhas have given their consent to it; N.A.
- The proposal does not involve recognized right of primitive Tribal Groups and Pre-Agricultural Communities.


(H.K. Patel)
Collector, Mehsana.

Signature

(Full name and official seal of the District Collector)

Encl: As above


(Y. L. VARMA)

Dy. Conservator of Forests
Extension Division, Mehsana.