

Form-I
(For Linear projects)
Government of Karnataka
Office of District Collector Uttar Kannada, Karwar

No. R.B /For/CR-5/2020-21

Dated: 25-11-2020

TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

In compliance of the Ministry of Environment & 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 evidence for having initiated & completed the process of settlement of rights under the scheduled Tribes & 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 February 2013 wherein MOEF issued certain relaxation in respect of linear projects, it is certified that **1.4179 Hectares of Forest land situated in F S No. 130A proposed to be diverted in favor of M/s Biogen Wellness Private Limited for purpose of approach road to falls within jurisdiction of Kagal village in Kumta Tehsil of Uttar Kannada District.**

It is further certified that:

- (a) The complete process for identification & settlement of rights under the FRA has been carried out for the entire **1.4179** hectares of forest area proposed for diversion. A copy of records of all consultations of the Sub-Division Level Committee and the District Level Committee are enclosed.
- (b) The diversion of Forest land for facilities managed by the Government as required under section 3(2) of the FRA have been completed. A copy of certificate issued by Gram Sabha is enclosed.
- (c) The proposal does not involve Recognized Rights of primitive Tribal groups and Pre-Agricultural communities.

Encl: as above



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**Deputy Commissioner,
Uttara Kannada, Karwar.**