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# Annexure- I FORM - I (For Linear Projects)

# Government of Andhra Pradesh Office of the District Collector, Visakhapatnam

Lr. Rc.No. AEE/ /Forest Clearance/ 2013-14, Dt. 30.10.2014

### TO WHOM SO EVER IT MAY CONCERN

In compliance of the Ministry of Environment and Forests (MoEF), Government of India, letter No. 11-9/98, FC (Pt.) Dated 3rd August 2009 wherein the MoEF issued guide lines on submission of evidences of 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 Dated 5th February 2013 wherein MoEF issued certain relaxation in respect of linear projects, it is certified that 4.90 Hectares of forest land proposed to be diverted in favour of Executive Engineer, Panchayat Raj Division, Paderu (Name of User Agency) for "Formation and BT to the road including construction of culverts from Lammasingi to Busulakota" (purpose for diversion of forest land) in Visakhapatnam District falls within jurisdiction of Busulakota village in Chinthapalli Tehslis.

### 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 4.90 Hectares of forest area proposed for diversion. A copy of resolution of Grama Sabha is enclosed as Annexure-1.
- (b) The diversion of forest land for facilities managed by the Govt. as required under section 3(2) of the FRA have been completed and the Grama Sabhas have given their consent to it.
- (c) The proposal does not involve recognized right of Primitive Tribal Groups and Pre Agricultural Communities.

User Agency

Executive Engineer PR (PRI+PIU) Division PADERU Signature (Full Name and Official Scal of District Collector)