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- Dated: 04.03.2021

FORM - 1 (For linear projects) Forest College and Research Institute, Mettupalayam - 641 301.

## TO WHOMSOEVER IT MAY CONCERN

In compliance of the Ministry of Environment and Forests (MoEF) Government of India's letter F. No. 11-9/98-FC (pt.) dated 05.07.2013 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 utilized for non-forest purpose read with MoEF's letter dated 5th February 2013 wherein MoEF issued certain relaxation in respect of linear projects, it is certified that 117 meters of forest land proposed to be used in favour of Forest College and Research Institute, Mettupalayam for laying 200 mm pipe passing through the Jakanari Reserve Forest, Sirumugai range, Odanthurai beet, Mettupalayam, Coimbatore district.

- Certified that the proposal has been examined with reference to ensuring compliance of Scheduled Tribes and Other Tradition Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act 2006.
- Certified that there are no Scheduled Tribes and other Traditional Forest Dwellers in Jakanari Reserve Forest, Sirumuai range, Odanthurai beet in respect to the area for laying of 200 mm pipe.
- Certified that there are no Primitive Groups (PTG) and Pre-Agricultural Communities (PAC) in the Jakanari Reserve Forest, Sirumuai range, Odanthurai beet. So the recognized rights of PTG and PAC are not affected.

District Collector, Coimbatore.

To, The Dean (Forestry) Forest College and Research Institute Tamil Nadu Agricultural University Mettupalayam - 641301

04/05/21