

**FORM - I**  
**(For Linier Project)**  
**Government of Tamil Nadu**  
**Office of the District Collector, The Nilgiris District**

**Rc.No.A5/6955/2018**

**Date: 16.09.2019.**

**TO WHOM SO EVER IT MAY CONCERN**

In compliance of the Ministry of Environment and Forest (MOEF, Government of India's letter No.11-9/98 Fc(PT) dated: 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2009 wherein the MOEF issued guidelines on 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 5<sup>th</sup> February 2013 where in MOEF issued certain relaxation in respect of linear projects,

It is certified that there is no alternative approach road for the patta lands in Survey Numbers 629, 630/2A1,2B,2F,2C and 2E having an extent of 16.36.10 Hectares of Total Environment Habitat Private Limited, Ooty except the forest land in Survey No.632 in Udhagamandalam Rural Village of Udhagamandalam Taluk.

Certified that the complete process for identification and settlement of right under the FRA has been carried out for the entire 0.36.0 hectares of forest area proposed for diversion.

Since the proposed land is not involved in recognized rights of Scheduled Tribe Groups as per the FRA act, the diversion of forest land for facilities managed by Government as required under Section 3(2) of the FRA and consent of the Grama Sabha does not arise.

Certified that the proposal does not involve recognized rights of Primitive Scheduled Tribe Group and pre Agricultural Communities and Traditional Forest Dwellers.

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District Collector,  
The Nilgiris.

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