

FORM-I
(For linear projects)
Government of Odisha
Office of the District Collector, Kalahandi

No. 134

Dated. 21.01.2016

TO WHOMSOEVER 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 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 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 3.363 ha (out of proposed 7.535 ha.) hectares of forest land proposed to be diverted in favour of the User Agency- Executive Engineer, Kalahandi Investigation Division, Bhawanipatna, District- Kalahandi for the purpose for Construction of Canal (Sandul Irrigation Project) over a length of canal is 17.02 Km. in Kalahandi district falls within jurisdiction of Village(s)-Joradobra, Karnikhunti, Siletpada in Karlamunda Tahasil, Village- Maskadandi in M.Rampur Tahasil & village- Pipalpadar in Kesinga Tahasil.

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 3.363 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 to annexure


Grama Sabha has been relaxed for diversion for this linear project vide Government of India (MoEF) guidelines No.110510, dated 05.02.2013. The copy of the proceeding of the District Level Committee meeting is enclosed.

- (b) The diversion of forest land for facilities managed by the Government as required under Section. 3(2) of FRA have been completed and the Grama Sabhas have given their consent to it.

Not applicable as per clause (a) above.

- (c) The proposal does not involve recognized Rights to Primitive Tribal Groups and Pre-agricultural communities.

Encl.: As above


 Signature
 (Dr. Brundha D. IAS)
 Collector & District Magistrate, Kalahandi

FORM-II
(For projects other than linear projects)
Government of India
Office of the District Collector, Kalahandi

No. 135

Dated. 21.01.2016


TO WHOMSOEVER 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 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 Rights) Act, 2006 ("FRA" for short) on the forest land proposed to be diverted for non-forest purpose, it is certified that 4.172 Hectares (out of proposed 7.535 ha.) of forest proposed to be diverted in favour of Executive Engineer, Kalahandi Investigation Division, Bhawanipatna, District- Kalahandi for Construction of Barrage (Sandul Irrigation Project) in Kalahandi district falls within jurisdiction of Villages- Dhauramal, Sadingtara, Uphar of Narla Tahasil, Villages- Dutta, Ghodapokhari of M.Rampur Tahasil & Village- Ektara in Karlamunda Tahasils.

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 4.172 hectare 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 to annexure
Copy of the proceedings of the Forest Rights Committees Grama Sabha and copy of the proceeding of the District Level Committee meeting are enclosed.
- (b) The proposal for such diversion (with full details of the project and its implications, in vernacular/ local language) have been placed before each concerned Gram Sabha of forest-dwellers, who are eligible under the FRA;
- (c) The each of concerned Gram Sabha(s), has certified that all formalities/ processes under the FRA have been carried out, and that they have given their consent to the proposed diversion and the compensation and ameliorative measures, if any, having understood the purpose and details of proposed diversion. A copy of certificate issued by the Gram Sabha of concerned villages(s) as above are enclosed as annexure.....to annexure.....
- (d) The discussion and decisions on such proposals had taken place only when there was a quorum of minimum 50% of the members of Gram Sabha present;
- (e) The diversion of forest land for facilities managed by the Government as required under Section.3(2) of FRA have been completed and the Grama Sabhas have given their consent to it.
Not applicable as per clause (a) above.
- (f) The rights of Primitive Tribal Groups and Pre-Agricultural Communities, where applicable have been specifically safeguarded as per Section.3 (1)(e) of FRA.

Encl.: As above


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