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FORM NO. I
(for linear projects)
Government of Odisha
Office of the District Collector, Keonjhar

No. 501

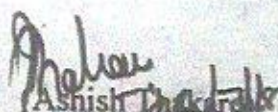
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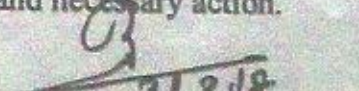
In compliance of the Ministry of Environment and Forests (MoEF), Government of India's letter No.11-9/98-FC(Pt) dt.3rd August, 2009 wherein the MoEF issued guidelines on submission of evidences for having initiated and completed the process of settlement of rights under the Scheduled Tribes and Other 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 311.117 hectares of forest land proposed to be diverted in favour of the **Executive Engineer, Kanpur Canal Division** for Canal system of Kanpur Irrigation Project in Keonjhar District falls within jurisdiction of several villages (as per diversion proposal) in **Barbil, Keonjhar, Champua, Jhumpura and Patna 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 311.117 hectares of forest land proposed for diversion.
- b) No such facilities managed by Government requiring diversion of forest land u/s 3(2) of Forest Rights Act, 2006 exist over the forest land proposed for diversion
- c) the proposal does not involve recognized rights of Primitive Tribal Groups and Pre-agricultural communities.


Ashish Mohapatra
Collector, Keonjhar

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Copy of the certificate along with its enclosure (Annexure - 1 to Annexure -7)
forwarded to the D.F.O., Keonjhar Division, Keonjhar for information and necessary action.


31/3/18
Addl. District Magistrate,
Keonjhar