Certificate of Collector under the FRA - 2006

Form -1 Annexure 1
(For linear projects)
Government of Maharashtra
Office of the District Collector Gondia

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In compliance of the Ministry of Environment and Forest (MoEF), Government of India's letter No.11. 9/98 – FC (pt) Dated 3 rd August 2009 wherein the MoEF issues guideline 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 MoEFs letter dated 5th February 2013 wherein MoEF issued certain relaxation in respect of linear project, it is certified that 2.00 hectares of forest land proposed to be diverted in favor of Police Inspector Rawanwadi (name of user agency) for Construction of Police Station and Police residence Quarter (purpose for diversion of forest land) in Gondia District falls within jurisdiction of Rawanwadi Village in Gondia Tahsil.

- the complete process for identification and settlement of rights under the FRA has been carried out for the entire 2.00 hectares of forest area proposed for diversion. A copy of records of all consultation and meetings of the, Forest Rights Committee(s), Gram Sabha(s), Sub-Division Level Committee(s) and District Level Committee are enclosed as annexure to annexure.
- (b) the proposal for such diversion of forest land for facilities managed by the Government as required under section 3 (2) of the FRA have been completed and the Gram Sabhas have given their consent to it.
- the each of concerned Gramsabha(s), has certified that all formalities / processes under the FRA have been carried out, and that they given their consent to the proposed diversion and compensation and ameliorative measures, if any, having understood the propose and details of proposed diversion. A copy of certificate issued by the gram sabha of Rawanwadi village(s) is 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 FRA have been completed and Gram Sabha have given their consent to it.

the rights of Primitive Tribal groups and Pre agriculture communities, where applicable have been specifically safeguarded as per section 3(1)(e) of the FRA.

Encl. As above

Collector, Gondia