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SJVN Limited

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A 'Mini Ratna' & Schedule 'A' PSU

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Luhri Hydro Power Project -1



ENVIRONMENT DEPARTMENT

No.: SJVN/LHEP-I/Env.-FCA/2021- 1471

Dated: 05/08/2021

To

**The Divisional Forest Officer,
Forest Division Anni at Luhri,
Distt.Kullu (H.P.)**

Sub: Diversion of 0.9486 ha of additional forest land for Luhri HEP Stage-I (210 MW), Bithal, Shimla for the construction of approach road for Moin quarry site within the jurisdiction of Anni at Luhri Forest Division, Distt. Kullu, Himachal Pradesh- Regarding Certificate for FRA-2006.

Sir,

This has reference to your office letter No. 738 dated 16/06/21. *In this context , enclosed please find herewith the certificate regarding 'recognition' & vesting of rights in accordance with the provision of scheduled Tribes and other traditional forest dwellers (Recognition of forest Right), act 2006 issued by DC Kullu (Annex.-I). The point wise replies for the observations raised by MoEF&CC, New Delhi vide letter No. File No.8-48/2018-FC(Vol.), dated 17.03.2021 are also enclosed please(Annex.-II)*

This is for further necessary action at your end please.

With Regards,

DA: As Above.

Yours faithfully,

((Er. R.L. Negi)

**Chief General Manager/HOP,
Luhri HEP stage-I,
SJVN Ltd., Bithal.**

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अपने तथा राष्ट्र के हित में ऊर्जा की बचत करें।

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The point wise replies for the observations raised by MoEF&CC, New Delhi vide letter No. File No.8-48/2018-FC(Vol.), dated 17.03.2021 are as under:

Sr.No.	Observation	Reply
1	The process of recognition and vesting of rights in accordance with the provisions of Scheduled Tribes and other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights), Act 2006 is required to be completed before Stage-2 approval. The state government may therefore submit the complete compliance report of the condition no.A (6) stipulated in the stage-1 approval.	The certificate regarding 'recognition' & vesting of rights in accordance with the provision of scheduled Tribes and other traditional forest dwellers (Recognition of forest Right), act 2006 issued by DC Kullu is enclosed please.
2	The KML files of the already diverted area, the additional area proposed for diversion and the Compensatory Afforestation areas are required to be uploaded on E-greenwatch portal as requested vide condition A (8)	Needful to be done by your office please.
3	The forwarding letter dated 02.03.2021 of the Nodal Officer Cum- APCCF (FCA) is silent about the compliance Report of the condition Nos. B (1) to (5).	Needful to be done by your office please.


 CGM/HQP
 SJVN, LNEP, Bithal

Form-II
(for projects other than linear projects)
Government of Himachal Pradesh.

Office of the District Collector, Kullu, Distt. Kullu, H.P.

No: 1400 /DRA

Dated: 2/8/2021

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 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, it is certified that 00-94-86 hectare of the forest land proposed to be diverted in favour of SJVNL Luhri Hydro Electric Project Stage-I, for construction of Luhri Hydro Electric Project Stage-I (210MW) in district Kullu which falls within jurisdiction of Gram Panchayat, Dehra in Tehsil, Nirmand.

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 00-94-86 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 District Level Committee are enclosed as annexure A to annexure D.
- (b) The proposals 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 detail of proposed diversion. A copy of certificate issued by the Gram Sabha of Dehra villages (s) is enclosed as annexure C to annexure D.
- (d) The discussion and decision 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 the FRA have been completed and the Gram Sabhas have given their consent to it;
- (f) 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.


(Ashutosh Garg, IAS)
District Collector,
Kullu.


CGM/OP
SJA

Proceedings of the meeting of the District Level Committee constituted under Schedule Tribes & Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act (FRA), 2006.

A meeting of the District Level Committee of Kullu District, constituted under FRA, 2006 was held under the Chairmanship / Chairpersonship of Ashutosh Garg, IAS, Deputy Commissioner, Kullu on 27/07/2021 at 04:00 PM at Kullu in which the application(s) claiming rights in Gram Panchayat, Dehra forest area under FRA, 2006, of the following applicant(s), duly processed and recommended by the Sub Division Level Committee(s) of Kullu Sub Division(s), were discussed to consider the same for admission by the District Level Committee.

After scrutiny of the documents and detailed discussions the following decisions were taken on each application:-

<u>Name of Applicant</u>	<u>Decision (Admitted/Rejected)</u>
SJVNL Luhri Hydro Electric Project Stage-I Place: Kullu	Admitted DC-cum Chairman/Chairperson, District Level Committee, Kullu District HP.

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