

Government of India  
Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change  
(Forest Conservation Division)

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**Dated: 22nd September, 2021**

To,  
**The Addl. Chief Secretary (Forests),**  
Department of Forest and Environment,  
Government of Karnataka,  
Bangalore.

**Sub: Proposal for diversion of 2.70 ha. for the existing approach road for mining project ML No. 2294 at Niruthadi State Forest Holalkere Range Chitradurga division in favour of Sri R. Praveen Chandra, Bangalore (Online proposal No. FP/KA/MIN/23899/2014).-regarding.**

Madam/Sir,

I am directed to refer to the Government of Karnataka's letters No. FEE 01 FFM 2015 02.09.2021 on the above cited subject, forwarding additional information in response to this Ministry's letter dt 21.06.2021. From the examination of the information it is observed that the Documentary Evidence in support of Compliance of Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 are incomplete. The State govt. is requested to forward the DC certificate along with Gram sabha consent and other supporting documents as per FCA rules.

This Ministry vide its letter of even no. dt 21.06.2021 has previously requested the State govt. to submit complete compliance of FRA 2006 as per this Ministry guideline dt 05.07.2013, which includes Gram Sabha and other committees resolutions. However, the State government has submitted incomplete information. It may further be noted the guideline dt 05.02.2013 has been superseded by this Ministry guideline dt 05.07.2013.

In view of the above, the Government of Karnataka is once again requested to furnish the complete compliance of FRA 2006 as per this Ministry guideline dt 05.07.2013 to this Ministry for further consideration of the proposal.

Yours faithfully,

**Sd/-**

**(Sandeep Sharma)**

Assistant Inspector General of Forests

**Copy to:**

1. The Principal Chief Conservation of Forests (HoFF), Government of Karnataka, Bangalore.

2. The Regional Officer, Integrated Regional Office, MoEF&CC, Bangalore.
3. The Nodal Officer, Forest Dept., Government of Karnataka, Bangalore.
4. User Agency.
5. Monitoring Cell, FC Division, MoEF & CC, New Delhi.