

ಪ್ರಧಾನ ಮುಖ್ಯ ಅರಣ್ಯ ಸಂರಕ್ಷಣಾಧಿಕಾರಿ  
(ಅರಣ್ಯ ಪಡೆ ಮುಖ್ಯಸ್ಥರು) ರವರ ಕಛೇರಿ

Office of  
Principal Chief Conservator of Forests  
(Head of Forest Force)



ಅರಣ್ಯ ಭವನ, 18ನೇ ಅಡ್ಡ ರಸ್ತೆ,  
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E-66885

Date 26-03-2019

To,

The Additional Chief Secretary to Government  
Department of Forest, Ecology and Environment  
M.S. Building, Bengaluru

Sir,

**Sub:** Diversion of **18.458 ha** of forest land in Sy No. 6, 7, 8, 205, 210 & 219 of Kallahalli, Sy No. 152 of Siddapur, Sy No. 13 of Ramateertha and Sy No. 9, 25, 36 & 42 of Jamkhandi village, Jamakhandi Taluk, Bagalkot District for construction of new 110 KV D/C line in the existing 110 KV Mahalingapura to Jamkhandi S/C Line Corridor for a distance of 23.897 km in favour of Executive Engineer (Electrical), Major Works Division, Karnataka Power Transmission Corporation Limited (KPTCL) Bagalkot-reg.

**Proposal No. FP/KA/TRANS/16981/2015**

- Ref:**
1. This office letter of even no. dated 07-01-2019 addressed to the Government of Karnataka [proposal seeking Stage-I approval].
  2. Letter No. FEE 13 FLL 2019 dated 16-02-2019 of Government of Karnataka.

In response to the abovementioned proposal submitted to the Government of Karnataka vide Ref (1), the Government of Karnataka vide Ref (2) has sought the FRA compliance certificate.

In this connection, it is to submit that the FRA compliance certificate (Form-I) issued by the Deputy Commissioner, Bagalkote District vide letter No. LND/CR-167/18-19 dated 08-08-2018 has already been uploaded in 'Additional Information Details' in PRAT-I. Copy of the same is enclosed herewith for kind information and further action.

Yours faithfully

Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests  
(Forest Conservation) and Nodal Officer (FCA)

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**Form-I**

**Government of Karnataka**

**Office of the Deputy Commissioner, Bagalkot**

No: LND/CR:167/18-19

Date: 08/8 /2018

**TO WHOM SO EVER IT MAY CONCERN**

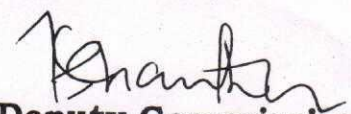
In compliance of the Ministry of Environment and Forests (MoEF), Government of India's letter No. 11-9/98-FC (pt) dated 3<sup>rd</sup> August 2009 wherein the MoEF issued guidelines on submission of evidence for having initiated and completed the process of settlement of rights under the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forests Dwellers (Recognition of forest Rights) Acts, 2006 (FRA for short) on the forest land proposed to be diverted for non-forest purposes read with MoEF issued certain relaxation in respect of Linear projects, it is certified that, 18.458 hectares of forest land in Sy. No. 9, 25, 36, 42 of Jamakhandi Village, Sy No: 13, 15 of Raamathirtha Village, Sy No: 6, 7, 8, 205, 210, 219 of Kallahalli Village & Sy No: 152 of Siddapur Villages are in Jamakhandi Taluk, Bagalkot District, Proposed to be diverted in favour of Major Works Division, KPTCL, Bagalkot, a Government of Karnataka Undertaking for Creating 110KV DC Line in Bagalkot Dist, falls within jurisdiction of Jamakhandi, Raamathirtha, Kallahalli & Siddapur Villages are in Jamakhandi Taluk.

**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 18.458 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) are enclosed.
- b) The diversion of Forestland for facilities managed by the government as required under section 3(2) of the FRA have been completed and the Grama Sabha(s) have given their consent to it.
- c) The proposal does not involve recognized rights of Primitive Tribal Groups and Pre agriculture Communities.

**Encl: As above**



  
**Deputy Commissioner**  
**Bagalkot District**



**Form-II**

**Government of Karnataka**

**Office of the Deputy Commissioner, Bagalkot**

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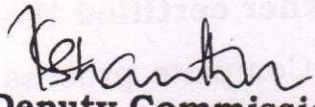
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- b) The proposal for such diversion (with full details of the project and its implications, in vernacular/Local language) have been placed before each concerned Gram Sabha of forest dwellers, who are eligible under the FRA.



- c) The each concerned Gram Sabha(s), has certified that all formalities/ process under the FRA have been carried out, and they have given their consent to the proposed diversion and compensation and ameliorative measures, if any, having under stood the propose and details of proposed diversion. A copy of certificate issued by the Gram Sabha of Kadapatti, Madarakandi, Hulyal & City Municipal Corporation Jamakhandi, are enclosed.
- d) The discussion and decisions on such proposal had taken place only when there was 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



  
**Deputy Commissioner**  
**Bagalkot District**