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**Chief Secretary & Chief Development Commissioner**  
Government of Orissa, Bhubaneswar  
D.O.No. 30408/CS(ST&SC)  
Bhubaneswar, dated, the 31<sup>st</sup> August, 2009

Dear Collector,

**Sub:- Distribution of Certificates of Titles under the Scheduled Tribes and the Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights ) Act, 2006.**

Please refer to the letter No.28286 dated 19.08.2009 of ST & SC Dev. Deptt., regarding the implementation of the Scheduled Tribes & the other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act'2006.

It is seen from from the progress report received from your district a number of claims for distribution of certificates of titles duly approved by DLC were kept pending in your district due to the interim stay order of the Hon'ble High Court. In the meanwhile, the stay order has been vacated on 12.08.2009 and the Hon'ble Court has permitted to issue certificates of title to the eligible Forest Dwelling Scheduled Tribes and other traditional Forest Dwellers under the Act which shall be subject to the result of the main writ petition.

I would, therefore, urge upon you to take expeditious steps on war footing to issue certificates of title to the eligible Forest Dwelling Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers under the Act which shall be subject to the result of the main writ petition and complete the same by 15.09.2009.

With best wishes,

Yours sincerely

(A.K. Tripathy)

(All Collectors)