

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
ST & SC DEVELOPMENT, M & B.C WELFARE
DEPARTMENT

No. 20847 / SSD, Bhubaneswar, Dated 30.10.2021
STSCD-FRA-MISC-0035-2018

From

Sri Raj Kishore Das,
Officer on Special Duty

To

All Nodal officers on FRA (9 PA, ITDAs, and 21 DWOs)

Sub:- Coverage of Forest Rights Act, 2006 (FRA) beneficiaries, especially the PVTG households under MGNREGS.

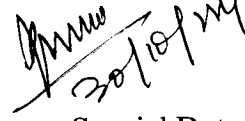
Ref.:- Letters bearing No.16068 dtd. 21.09.2021 and 17623 dtd. 11.10.2021 of the Panchayati Raj & D.W. Department (Copies enclosed)

Sir,

In enclosing herewith copies of the letters of the PR & DW Department on the subject cited above, the contents of which are self explanatory, I am directed to request you to initiate needful action at your end for coverage of all eligible (left out/new) FRA beneficiary households belonging to PVTG community under the MGNREGS as per the detail action points described therein

This is for your information and necessary action.

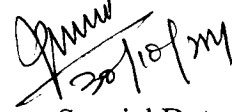
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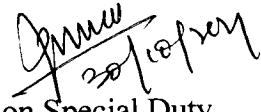
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No. PRNREG-CONVERG-0010-2020 16068

Date: 21-09-2021

From

Arindam Dakua, IAS
Director, Special Projects

To

All Collector-cum-DPCs, MGNREGS
All PD, DRDAs

Sub: **Coverage of Forest Rights Act, 2006 (FRA) beneficiaries, especially the PVTG households- Issuance of Job Cards and Provision of 150 days of wage employment under MGNREGS.**

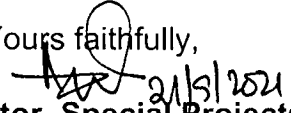
Madam/Sir,

The Ministry of Rural Development, Government of India has made a provision in **Para 4.2.2** of the **MGNREGA Annual Master Circular 2020-21** for **additional 50 days** of wage employment (**beyond the stipulated 100 days**) to every **Scheduled Tribe Household in a forest area**, provided that these households have no other private property except for the land rights provided under the **FRA Act, 2006**.

As reported by the Joint Secretary, ST & SC Development Department & Programme Director, OPELIP, there have been many eligible PVTG households, having land rights under the Forest Rights Act, who are yet to get Job Cards under MGNREGS. These PVTG households are being deprived of their entitlement for want of a Job Card.

It is imperative to ensure the issuance of Job Cards to all eligible (left out/ new) FRA beneficiaries especially the PVTG households and facilitating those households to avail 150 days of wage employment under MGNREGS. Moreover, the PVTG households should also be provided with individual assets like farm pond/ dug well/ land development/ livestock shelter, etc. in order to augment their sources of livelihood.

You are, therefore, requested to invigorate the field functionaries to coordinate with the officials of the ST & SC Development Department to accomplish the above task by **31.10.2021**.

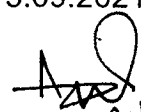
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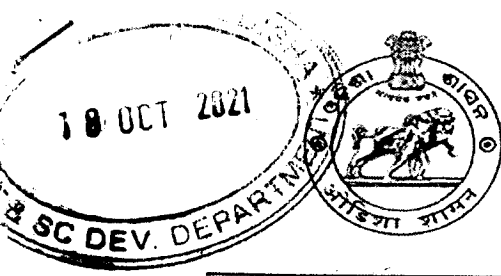
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3. Programme Director, OPELIP for information & necessary action with reference to OPELIP letter No. 4319 dated 15.09.2021.


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No. PR-NREG-CONVERG-0010-2020

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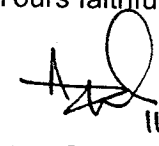
In continuation to this Department letter under reference and in enclosing a copy of the letter No. 4504 dated 27.09.2021 of the Programme Director, OPELIP, I am to say that the following decision has been taken in the virtual coordination meeting of OPELIP held under the Chairmanship of the Development Commissioner-cum-ACS on 07.09.2021:

- "In order to saturate the basic amenities and infrastructure in all 541 PVTG villages, it is urgently required to take up work on Drinking Water, Last Mile Connectivity (Road), Pucca Housing, and Job Cards for all eligible PVTG households."

You are, therefore, requested to impress upon the field functionaries to take the following actions in consultation with the functionaries of ST & SC Development Department.

1. Provide Job cards under MGNREGS to all eligible PVTG households as per the District-wise list furnished by the OPELIP.
2. To make provision of Roads under MGNREGS as per the extant norms and procedures in consultation with the Micro Project Agency (MPA) concerned.

Yours faithfully,



11/10/2021

Director, Special Projects



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