

GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA
REVENUE AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT

No. RDM-LRGEA-MEET-0005-2021- 38010 /R&DM dated 07 NOV 2022

From

Smt. Ellora Samal, OAS
Joint Secretary to Government

To

The Additional Chief Secretary to Government
Forest, Environment & CC Department
Commissioner-cum-Secretary to Government,
ST & SC Development, M&BCW Department.
Director, Land Records and Survey, Odisha Cuttack
Chief Executive, ORSAC, Bhubaneswar
All Collectors

Sub: Minutes of the meeting for effective implementation of Forest Rights Act, 2006 in the State held on 05.11.2022 at 05.30 PM under the Chairmanship of Additional Chief Secretary, Revenue & DM Department

Sir,

In inviting reference on the subject noted above, I am directed to send a copy of the minutes of the meeting held on 05.11.2022 at 05.30 PM under the Chairmanship of the Additional Chief Secretary, Revenue & DM Department for effective implementation of Forest Rights Act, 2006 in the State for taking necessary follow-up action in line of the decisions taken in the meeting.

Yours faithfully,

[Signature]
07/11/2022
Joint Secretary to Government

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Copy with copy of the enclosure forwarded to PS to Additional Chief Secretary, Revenue & DM Department for kind perusal of the Additional Chief Secretary.

[Signature]
07/11/2022
Joint Secretary to Government



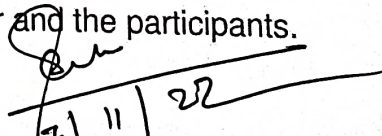
Minutes of meeting for effective implementation of Forest Rights Act, 2006 in the State held on 05.11.2022 at 05.30 PM under the Chairmanship of Additional Chief Secretary, Revenue & DM Department

A meeting for effective implementation of Forest Rights Act, 2006 in the State was held on 05.11.2022 at 05.30 PM through OSWAN platform in the Conference Hall of Revenue & D.M. Department under the Chairmanship of Additional Chief Secretary to Government, Revenue & D. M. Department. Commissioner-Cum-Secretary, ST & SC Development, M&BCW Department, CE, ORSAC, Special Secretary, Forest, Environment and Climate Change Department, Addl. Director, Land Records and Survey, Odisha, all Collectors, Senior Officials of the R&DM Department, ST & SC Development, M&BCW Department and Senior Scientists from ORSAC and DFO, Tahasildars & DWO of all the districts were present during the meeting.

After threadbare discussion following decisions were taken.

1. As regards furnishing information on rejected claims to comply to the orders of Hon'ble Supreme court in Case No. 109/2008, 6 districts namely Kendrapara, Puri, Koraput, Nuapada, Dhenkanal and Malkangiri have furnished information in proper format. All districts except the above districts shall send data of all rejected claims of Forest Rights Act to ST, SC & MBC Department in proper format by **30th November 2022**.
2. The claims pertaining to individual forest rights shall be settled and records corrected by **30th November 2022**, if the number of such cases is below 10,000 and in case, it is above 10,000, the outer timeline is **31st December, 2022**.
3. All claims including demarcation pertaining to community forest rights shall be settled by **15th December 2022**.
4. Proposal pertaining to forest villages shall be sent to DLR&S, Odisha by **15th December, 2022**.
5. All the proposals of forest villages, if pending any at the office of DLR&S shall be processed expeditiously before **30th November 2022**.
6. According to the guidelines issued by Forest, Environment and Climate Change Department, the revenue field functionaries may be imparted training by the DFO of the concerned Division by **30th November 2022** to built up their capacity.
7. DFOs shall complete the distribution of RoRs in Individual Forest Rights by **31st December 2022**.

The meeting ended with thanks to the Chair and the participants.


**Additional Chief Secretary to Government
Revenue & DM Department**



