



ABSTRACT

COMMITTEE – State Level Monitoring Committee under the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act 2006 – Constituted.

Adi Dravidar and Tribal Welfare (TD2) Department

G.O.(Ms)No. 19

Dated:19.2.2008

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Read:

From the Secretary to Government, Government of India,
Ministry of Tribal Affairs D.O.No.17014/2/2007-PC&V (Vol.VI),
dated 11.1.2008

ORDER:

The Government of India have enacted the “Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act 2006” and notified in the Government of India, Extra Ordinary Gazette dated 2.1.2007. The Government of India have also notified the “Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Rules, 2007” and published in the Extra Ordinary Gazette of Government of India dated 1.1.2008

2. The Government of Tamil Nadu now constitute the State Level Monitoring Committee as stipulated under Rule 9 of the “Scheduled Tribes and other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Rules 2007” with the following Members namely:-

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| i) | Chief Secretary to Government | - Chair Person |
| ii) | Secretary, Revenue Department | - Member |
| iii) | Secretary, Tribal Welfare
Department | - Member |
| iv) | Secretary, Forest Department | - Member |
| v) | Secretary, Panchayat Raj
Department | - Member |
| vi) | Principal Chief Conservator of
Forests | - Member |

- vii) Thiru K.Kaliappan, - Member
S/o P.Kuppa Gounder,
Chengadu,Edapuli Nadu
Powerkadu Post,
Kollimalai
Namakkal District
- viii) Thiru K.Karthikesan, - Member
S/o G.Kali,
Puthur Village,
Mangalam Post,
Yelagiri Hills
Vellore District
- ix) Tmt.Vasamalli, - Member
W/o Pothalikuttan,
4,Kasmanthu,
Thodar Village,
Nilgiris District
- x) Commissioner of Tribal Welfare - Member Secretary

3. The State Level Monitoring Committee Constituted in Para 2 above shall carry out the following functions namely:-

- a) devise criteria and indicators for monitoring the process of recognition and vesting of forest rights;
- b) Monitor the process of recognition, verification and vesting of forest rights in the State;
- c) Furnish a six monthly report on the process of recognition, verification and vesting of forest rights and submit to the nodal agency such returns and reports as may be called for by the nodal agency;
- d) On receipt of a notice as mentioned in Section 8 of the Act, take appropriate actions against the concerned authorities under the Act;
- e) Monitor resettlement under sub-section (2) of section 4 of the Act.

4. The Commissioner of Tribal Welfare being the Member Secretary will organize the State Level Monitoring Committee and record the proceedings thereon.

5. The Commissioner of Tribal Welfare is also authorised to initiate action to constitute the Committees at the Level of Gram Sabha, Sub Divisional and District Level in consultation with the District Collectors and the Forest officials concerned.

(By Order of the Governor)

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