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Government of India
Ministry of Tribal Affairs

Room No.280, August Kranti Bhawan,
Bhikaji Cama Place, New Delhi-110 066.
Dated: 9.1.2007

To

The All State Tribal Welfare Secretaries
(As per list enclosed) (except Lakshadweep)

Subject: Assurance relating to Rajya Sabha Unstarred Question No.539 answered
on 27.11.2006 asked by Shri Ravula Chandra Sekar Reddy, regarding
'Transfer of tribal land'.

Sir/Madam,

I am forwarding herewith a copy of the Answer given by the Minister of
Tribal Affairs in the Rajya Sabha to the Unstarred Question No.539 on 27.11.2006
raised by Shri Ravula Chandra Sekar Reddy regarding 'Transfer of tribal land'. P.23-24/C

2. As may be observed from the answer, an Assurance has been given by the
Hon'ble Minister to the House in respect of parts (b) to (d) of the Question to the
effect that the information relating to different State Governments is being collected.

3. In order to enable this Ministry to fulfill the Assurance, the State Governments
are requested to furnish information in respect of tribal lands acquired by the State
Government and transferred to various companies in the last two years (i.e. separately
for 2005-06 and 2006-07--upto Dec. 06) in the name of development and
industrialization or for any other reason.

4. The information may kindly be furnished latest by 31.1.2007 so that this
Ministry is able to fulfill the Assurance in time.

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Yours faithfully,

(Signature)

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