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FRA Division

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Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi- 110001  
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To,  
The Principal Secretaries,  
Tribal Development Department,  
All State Governments  
(Except Jammu & Kashmir, Punjab, Haryana and Delhi)

Subject: **Furnishing information on the progress made under Section 3 (2) of "The Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006".**

Madam/ Sir,

I am directed to convey that according to the Forest Rights Act, 2006, the State Governments are responsible for the implementation of the Act. The Ministry of Tribal Affairs monitors the process through Quarterly Progress Reports and Monthly Progress Reports and provide technical assistance / clarification / direction as and when required under Section 12 of the Act.

2. As part of this process, Ministry seeks monthly progress reports (MPR) from all the States/UTs every month on the status of progress on the implementation of FRA, 2006.

3. In this regard, MoTA is of the view that State Governments need to collect and collate the information on progress made under the Section 3 (2) of the FRA, 2006 which provides for diversion of forest land to facilitate the development of thirteen basic amenities and to send it to MoTA. Further, Annexure V of Forest Right Rules also requires to report Area diverted under Section 3(2) of the Act to Ministry of Tribal Affairs through Quarterly Progress Report.

4. In view of the para 3 above, a format for the purpose of reporting the progress made under Section 3 (2) to MoTA has been devised and attached herewith. You are requested to send the requisite information on quarterly basis to FRA Division, Ministry of Tribal Affairs.

Encl: As above

Your Sincerely,  
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