

F.No. 23011/48/2015-FRA(Pt.)
Government of India
Ministry of Tribal Affairs

F-280, August Kranti Bhawan
Bhikaji Cama Place, New Delhi
Date: 08th December 2015

To,

Principal Secretary/Secretary,
(Tribal Welfare Departments of all States/UTs with ST Population)


Subject: Status of implementation of Forest Rights Act, 2006 - Regarding

Sir,

I am directed to say that the Monthly Progress Reports on Status of implementation of FRA being sent by you to this Ministry do not contain information regarding breakup of the number of Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers filing claims and title being distributed to them under FRA.

2. As the Forest Rights Act, 2006 has been enacted with the purpose of recognizing and vesting the forest rights and occupation in forest land in the forest dwelling Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers who have been residing in such forests for generations but whose rights could not be recorded, it is requested that the detailed information may kindly be furnished in the subsequent MPRs to be furnished to this Ministry.

Yours faithfully,


(Uttam Kumar Kar)

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