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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF TRIBAL AFFAIRS**

Subject: Monthly update on status of implementation of the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dweller (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006.

Reference Prime Minister's Office I.D. No.560/51/C/2/08-ES.2 dated 7th May, 2008 on the above mentioned subject.

2. Status report on the implementation of the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 for the period ending **31st January, 2017** as desired, is sent herewith.

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1. Cabinet Secretariat (Ms. Rachna Shah, Joint Secretary)
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3. Director (NIC), Ministry of Tribal Affairs, with the request that this status report (Annex-I, Annex-II, Annex-III and Annex-IV) may be put up on the Ministry's website (www.tribal.nic.in) under an appropriate heading.

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**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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**Status report on implementation of the Scheduled Tribes and
Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights)
Act, 2006 [for the period ending 31.01.2017]**

Readiness of the States in the implementation of the Act:

(i) An updated status of State-wise implementation of the Act is given in **Annexure-I**. As per the information collected till **31st January, 2017**, **41,71,788 claims (40,35,513 individual and 1,36,275 community claims) have been filed and 17,83,262 titles (17,20,742 individual and 62,520 community claims) have been distributed. A total of 36,22,628 (86.84%) claims have been disposed of**. Pending population of the web-site (www.forestrights.gov.in), a statement on claims received and distribution of title deeds in various states, as in **Annexure-II**, is being maintained.

(ii) State wise details of claims received, titles distributed and the extent of forest land for which titles distributed (individual and community), as on 31.01.2017, in major States, is indicated below:

| S. No . | States | No. of Claims received upto 31.01.2017 | | | No. of Titles Distributed upto 31.01.2017 | | | Extent of Forest land for which titles distributed (in acres) | | |
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| | | Individual | Community | Total | Individual | Community | Total | Individual | Community | Total |
| 1 | Andhra Pradesh | 1,68,879 | 4,711 | 1,73,590 | 85,615 | 1,415 | 87,030 | 2,02,261.00 | 4,41,063.00 | 6,43,324.00 |
| 2 | Assam | 1,48,965 | 6,046 | 1,55,011 | 57,325 | 1,477 | 58,802 | NA | NA | NA |
| 3 | Bihar | 8,022 | 0 | 8,022 | 121 | 0 | 121 | NA | 0.00 | NA |
| 4 | Chhattisgarh | 8,42,725 | 23,949 | 8,66,674 | 3,69,368 | 12,337 | 3,81,705 | 7,97,685.00 | 12,86,669.21 | 20,84,354.22 |
| 5 | Goa | 9,372 | 361 | 9,733 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 0.00 | 4.35 | 4.35 |
| 6 | Gujarat | 1,82,869 | 6,998 | 1,89,867 | 79,614 | 3,484 | 83,098 | 1,17,006.91 | 11,42,191.96 | 12,59,198.87 |
| 7 | Himachal Pradesh | 591 | 68 | 659 | 0 | 7 | 7 | 0.00 | 4,670.28 | 4,670.28 |
| 8 | Jharkhand | 99,224 | 3,286 | 1,02,510 | 54,458 | 1,723 | 56,181 | 98,265.22 | 45,503.71 | 1,43,768.93 |
| 9 | Karnataka | 2,98,795 | 5,741 | 3,04,536 | 12,421 | 628 | 13,049 | 16,436.60 | 26,465.31 | 42,901.91 |
| 10 | Kerala | 36,140 | 1,395 | 37,535 | 24,599 | NA | 24,599 | 33,018.12 | NA | 33,018.12 |
| 11 | Madhya Pradesh | 5,74,902 | 39,816 | 6,14,718 | 2,11,214 | 27,422 | 2,38,636 | 7,92,295.50 | 13,02,165.93 | 20,94,461.44 |
| 12 | Maharashtra | 3,52,950 | 11,408 | 3,64,358 | 1,06,898 | 5,748 | 1,12,646 | 5,77,026.20 | 44,35,944.77 | 50,12,970.97 |
| 13 | Odisha | 6,21,622 | 13,433 | 6,35,055 | 4,03,338 | 5,891 | 4,09,229 | 6,03,293.56 | 2,84,109.67 | 8,87,403.23 |
| 14 | Rajasthan | 70,515 | 755 | 71,270 | 35,628 | | 35,628 | 55,116.12 | 660.79 | 55,776.91 |
| 15 | Tamil Nadu | 18,420 | 3,361 | 21,781 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 16 | Telangana | 1,83,107 | 3,427 | 1,86,534 | 93,494 | 721 | 94,215 | 3,00,092.00 | 4,54,055.00 | 7,54,147.00 |
| 17 | Tripura | 1,93,751 | 277 | 1,94,028 | 1,24,541 | 16 | 1,24,557 | 4,34,119.45 | 27.07 | 4,34,146.52 |
| 18 | Uttar Pradesh | 92,520 | 1,124 | 93,644 | 17,712 | 843 | 18,555 | 18,854.46 | 1,20,802.06 | 1,39,656.53 |
| 19 | Uttarakhand | 182 | 0 | 182 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0.00 |
| 20 | West Bengal | 1,31,962 | 10,119 | 1,42,081 | 44,396 | 805 | 45,201 | 22,065.05 | 1,052.84 | 23,117.89 |
| TOTAL | | 40,35,513 | 1,36,275 | 41,71,788 | 17,20,742 | 62,520 | 17,83,262 | 40,67,535 | 95,45,386 | 136,12,921.16 |

Total of 5 States [Chhattisgarh, Maharashtra, Orissa, Rajasthan and West Bengal]

Individual = 9,72,770 titles =20,55,185.93 acres
Community =24,781 titles =60,08,437.28 acres

Total = 9,97,551 titles =80,63,623.21 acres

Total of 9 States [Andhra Pradesh, Assam, Gujarat, Jharkhand, Karnataka, Kerala, Madhya Pradesh, Tripura and Uttar Pradesh]

Individual = 6,67,499 titles =17,12,257.27 acres
Community =37,008 titles =30,78,219.04 acres

Total = 7,04,507 titles =47,90,476.31 acres

Grand Total = 17,02,058 titles =128,54,099.53 acres

- (iii) Progress in implementation of the Act relating to the number of claims received and the number of titles distributed in the LWE affected States has separately been shown in **Annexure-III**.
- (iv) A list of States/UTs that are not uploading the website is at **Annexure-IV**. A list of States/UTs that have not distributed any title so far is also given in Annexure-IV. Annexures I, II, III and IV are being put up on the Ministry's web-site.

3. Clarifications sought by the States, if any:

Information received from the State of Rajasthan and West Bengal requires clarification as the information received has contradicting values related to claims and titles. The same is being pursued with the Tribal Development of the respective State Govt. and the requisite clarification is being obtained.

4. Matters relating to the Act pending at the level of Government of India
Nil.

Statement showing State-wise status of implementation of the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006

(As on 31.01.2017)

| Name of the State/UT | Activities | Status |
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| Andhra Pradesh | 1) Appointment of a Nodal officer | Yes |
| | 2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC (b) DLC (c) SLMC | Yes Yes Yes |
| | 3) Translation of the Act and the Rules into the regional languages and distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc. | Yes |
| | 4) Creation of Awareness about the provision of the Act and the Rules | Yes |
| | 5) Arrangements made for the training of PRI officials, SDLC, DLC members | Yes |
| | 6) Constitution of Forest Rights Committees by the Gram Sabhas | 2,029 |
| | 7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level | 1,73,590 (1,68,879 individual and 4,711 community) |
| | 8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC | 1,53,206 (1,49,991 individual and 3,215 community) |
| | 9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC | 91,382 (89,953 individual and 1,429 community) |
| | 10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title | 87,504 (86,075 individual and 1,429 community) |

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| | 11) Number of titles distributed | 87,030 (85,615 individual and 1,415 community) |
| | 12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres) | 6,43,324 (2,02,261 individual and 4,41,063 community) |
| | 13) No. of claims rejected | 62,228 (60,799 individual and 1,429 community) |
| | 14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds | - |
| | 15) <u>Problems/Remarks:</u> | |
| Arunachal Pradesh | 1) Appointment of a Nodal officer | No. However, Department of Social Welfare has been selected as the Nodal Department for implementation of the Act in the State. |
| | 2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC (b) DLC (c) SLMC | Yes Yes Yes |
| | 3) Translation of the Act and the Rules into the regional languages and distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc. | - |
| | 4) Creation of Awareness about the provision of the Act and the Rules | - |
| | 5) Arrangements made for the training of PRI officials, SDLC, DLC members | - |
| | 6) Constitution of Forest Rights Committees by the Gram Sabhas | - |
| | 7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level | - |
| | 8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC | - |

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| | 9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC | - |
| | 10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title | - |
| | 11) Number of titles distributed | - |
| | 12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres) | - |
| | 13) No. of claims rejected | - |
| | 14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds | - |
| | 15) <u>Problems/Remarks:</u> State Govt. has informed that though they have constituted the SDLC, DLC and SLMC under the Act but unlike the other States where the STs and other traditional forest dwellers are in minority, Arunachal Pradesh is wholly domiciled by various ethnic tribal groups whose land and forests are specifically identified with natural boundaries of hillocks, ranges, rivers and tributaries. Barring few pockets of land under wildlife sanctuaries, reserved forests, most of the land in entire State is community land. Territorial boundaries of land and forest belonging to different communities or tribes are also identified in the same line leaving no scope for any dispute over the possession of land, forest and water bodies among the tribes. Therefore, Forest Rights Act does not have much relevance in Arunachal Pradesh. | - |
| Assam | 1) Appointment of a Nodal officer | Yes |
| | 2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC | Yes |
| | (b) DLC | Yes |
| | (c) SLMC | Yes |
| | 3) Translation of the Act and the Rules into the regional languages and distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc. | Yes |
| | 4) Creation of Awareness about the provision of the Act and the Rules | Is being done |
| | 5) Arrangements made for the training of PRI officials, SDLC, DLC members | Yes |
| | 6) Constitution of Forest Rights Committees by the Gram Sabhas | Yes |
| | 7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level | 1,55,011 (1,48,965 individual and 6,046 community) |

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| | 8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC | - |
| | 9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC | - |
| | 10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title | - |
| | 11) Number of titles distributed | 58,802 (57,325 individual and 1,477 community) |
| | 12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres) | - |
| | 13) No. of claims rejected | - |
| | 14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds | - |
| | 15) Problems/Remarks: | - |
| Bihar | 1) Appointment of a Nodal officer | Yes |
| | 2) Status of formation of various Committees | <p>(a) SDLC 16</p> <p>(b) DLC 9</p> <p>(c) SLMC 1</p> |
| | 3) Translation of the Act and the Rules into the regional languages and distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc. | - |
| | 4) Creation of Awareness about the provision of the Act and the Rules | Is being created in a limited way through advertisements in local newspapers |
| | 5) Arrangements made for the training of PRI officials, SDLC, DLC members | Out of 390 Gram Sabhas, training has been completed in about 50 Gram Sabhas |
| | 6) Constitution of Forest Rights Committees by the Gram Sabhas | 1,457 |
| | 7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level | 8,022 (6,474 ST and 1,548 OTFDs) |

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| | 8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC | - |
| | 9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC | - |
| | 10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title | - |
| | 11) Number of titles distributed | 121 (121 ST) |
| | 12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres) | - |
| | 13) No. of claims rejected | 4,215 (2883 ST, 1332 OTFD) |
| | 14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds | - |
| | 15) Problems/Remarks: | Not reported. |
| Chhattisgarh | 1) Appointment of a Nodal officer | Yes |
| | 2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC (b) DLC (c)SLMC | Yes- 63 Yes- 24 Yes-1 |
| | 3) Translation of the Act and the Rules into the regional languages and distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc. | Yes |
| | 4) Creation of Awareness about the provision of the Act and the Rules | Going on in a large scale |
| | 5) Arrangements made for the training of PRI officials, SDLC, DLC members | Yes |
| | 6) Constitution of Forest Rights Committees by the Gram Sabhas | 13,783 |
| | 7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level | 8,66,674 (I- 8,42,725 C- 23,949) |
| | 8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC | 5,13,021 (I- 4,93,388, C- 19,633) |
| | 9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC | 4,37,713 (I- 4,19,922, C- 17,791) |
| | 10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title | 3,91,030 (I- 3,75,202, C- 15,828) |

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| | 11) Number of titles distributed | 3,81,705 (I- 3,69,368, C- 12,337) |
| | 12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres) | 20,84,354.22 (I- 7,97,685, C- 12,86,669.21) |
| | 13) No. of claims rejected | 4,64,886 (I- 4,57,574, C- 7,312) |
| | 14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds | - |
| | 15) <u>Problems/Remarks</u> | - |
| Goa | 1) Appointment of a Nodal officer | Yes |
| | 2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC (b) DLC (c) SLMC | (a) Yes (b) Yes (c) Yes |
| | 3) Translation of the Act and the Rules into the regional languages and distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc. | Work in progress. |
| | 4) Creation of Awareness about the provision of the Act and the Rules | Done. |
| | 5) Arrangements made for the training of PRI officials, SDLC, DLC members | Training to PRI Institutions has been imparted. |
| | 6) Constitution of Forest Rights Committees by the Gram Sabhas | So far 93 FRCs have been constituted. |
| | 7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level | 9,733 (I – 9,372, C – 361) |
| | 8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC | 190 (I – 183, C – 7) |
| | 9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC | 26 (I – 23, c – 3) |
| | 10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title | 13 (I – 7, c – 6) |
| | 11) Number of titles distributed | 3 (I – 0, C – 3) |

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| | 12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres) | 4.35 |
| | 13) No. of claims rejected | 23 (I – 20, C – 3) |
| | 14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds | |
| | 15) <u>Problems/Remarks:</u> Claims in CRZ areas are to be processed. There are objections from OBC population. Progress, therefore, is lagging behind. | - |
| Gujarat | 1) Appointment of a Nodal officer | Commissioner Tribal Development Gandhinagar |
| | 2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC (b) DLC (c) SLMC | 42 SDLCs in Scheduled Districts 50 SDLCs in Non- Scheduled Areas 12 DLCs in Scheduled Area Districts. 8 DLCs in Non- Scheduled Districts 01 SLMC |

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| | <p>3) Translation of the Act and the Rules into the regional languages and distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc.</p> | <p>Translation of the Act and Rules in to Gujarati along with Forms and Registers as prescribed in rules, Guidelines, FAQs, small booklets, and posters have been printed in sufficient numbers and have been distributed to Gram Sabha FRCs etc in Non-scheduled Districts.</p> |
| | <p>4) Creation of Awareness about the provision of the Act and the Rules</p> | <p>District Wise workshops are being organised for FRA beneficiaries to aware them about the land development, minor irrigation, and advance technology in agriculture and horticulture. So fare about 5000 beneficiaries have been benefitted of such training.</p> |

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| | 5) Arrangements made for the training of PRI officials, SDLC, DLC members | Training of officials of SDLC, DLC in non-scheduled Districts Is under progress. |
| | 6) Constitution of Forest Rights Committees by the Gram Sabhas | 3,783 |
| | 7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level | 1,89,867 (1,82,869 individual and 6,998 community) |
| | 8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC | 1,88,076 (1,81,785 individual and 6,291 community) |
| | 9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC | 1,04,110 (98,648 individual and 5,462 community) |
| | 10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title | 84,408 (80,341 individual and 4,067 community) |
| | 11) Number of titles distributed | 83,098 (79,164 individual and 3,484 community) |
| | 12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres) | 12,59,198.87 (1,17,006.91 individual and 11,42,191.96 community) |

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| | 13) No. of claims rejected | As per the directions of the Hon. Gujarat High Court, the claims which were not approved are under re-examination, hence no claim is rejected. |
| | 14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds | Distribution of title is under progress. |
| | 15) <u>Problems/Remarks:</u> | |
| Haryana | The State Govt. has informed that there are no Scheduled Tribes and other traditional forest dwellers living in the forests of Haryana | |
| Himachal Pradesh | 1) Appointment of a Nodal officer | Yes |
| | 2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC (b) DLC (c)SLMC | Yes- 56 Yes- 12 Yes |
| | 3) Translation of the Act and the Rules into the regional languages and distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc. | No need |
| | 4) Creation of Awareness about the provision of the Act and the Rules | Yes |
| | 5) Arrangements made for the training of PRI officials, SDLC, DLC members | Yes |
| | 6) Constitution of Forest Rights Committees by the Gram Sabhas | 16,828 |
| | 7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level | 659 (I- 591, C-68) |
| | 8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC | 31 (I- 3, C- 28) |
| | 9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC | 28 (community) |
| | 10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title | 7 (community) |
| | 11) Number of titles distributed | 7 (community) |

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| | 12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres) | 4670.28 (community). |
| | 13) No. of claims rejected | 0 |
| | 14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds | - |
| | 15) <u>Problems/Remarks:</u> | |
| Jharkhand | 1. Prior to 2013, committees were formed in tribal district only and FRCs were formed at Panchayat level which have been replaced by FRCs constituted by Gram Sabha at village level. Hence, there is a change in the implementation status. | |
| | 1) Appointment of a Nodal officer | Yes |
| | 2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC (b) DLC (c)SLMC | Yes Yes Yes 24 DLCs and 43 SDLC have been formed |
| | 3) Translation of the Act and the Rules into the regional languages and distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc. | Yes |
| | 4) Creation of Awareness about the provision of the Act and the Rules | Yes |
| | 5) Arrangements made for the training of PRI officials, SDLC, DLC members | Yes |
| | 6) Constitution of Forest Rights Committees by the Gram Sabhas | 25,793 |
| | 7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level | 1,02,510 (Individual 99,224, community 3,286) |
| | 8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC | 67,368 (I- 65,164, C- 2,204) |
| | 9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC | 60,388 (I- 58,580, C- 1,808) |
| | 10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title | 56,926 (I- 55,134, C- 1,792) |

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| | 11) Number of titles distributed | 56,181 (I-54,458, C-1,723) |
| | 12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres) | 1,43,768.93 (I-98,265.22, C-45,503.71) |
| | 13) No. of claims rejected | 27,652 (I-25,916, C-1,736) |
| | 14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds | - |
| | 15) <u>Problems/Remarks:</u> | - |
| Karnataka | 1) Appointment of a Nodal officer | Yes |
| | 2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC | Yes |
| | (b) DLC | Yes |
| | (c) SLMC | Yes |
| | 3) Translation of the Act and the Rules into the regional languages and distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc. | Yes |
| | 4) Creation of Awareness about the provision of the Act and the Rules | Yes |
| | 5) Arrangements made for the training of PRI officials, SDLC, DLC members | Has been undertaken |
| | 6) Constitution of Forest Rights Committees by the Gram Sabhas | 12,729 |
| | 7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level | 3,04,536 (I-2,98,795 and C- 5,741) |
| | 8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC | - |
| | 9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC | - |
| | 10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title | - |
| | 11) Number of titles distributed | 13,049 (I-12,421 and C-628) |
| | 12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres) | 42,901.91 (I-16,436.60 and C- 26,465.31) |

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| | 13) No. of claims rejected | 1,71,592 (I-1,69,077 and C- 2,515) |
| | 14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds | - |
| | 15) Problems/Remarks: | <i>Not reported</i> |
| Kerala | 1) Appointment of a Nodal officer | Yes |
| | 2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC (b) DLC (c)SLMC | Yes Yes Yes |
| | 3) Translation of the Act and the Rules into the regional languages and distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc. | Yes |
| | 4) Creation of Awareness about the provision of the Act and the Rules | Yes |
| | 5) Arrangements made for the training of PRI officials, SDLC, DLC members | Yes |
| | 6) Constitution of Forest Rights Committees by the Gram Sabhas | 510 FRCs have been constituted |
| | 7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level | 37,535 (36,140 individual and 1,395 community) |
| | 8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC | 32,962 (32,468 individual and 494 community) |
| | 9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC | 26,894 |
| | 10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title | 25,683 |
| | 11) Number of titles distributed | 24,599 |
| | 12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres) | 33,018.12 |
| | 13) No. of claims rejected | 7,889 |
| | 14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds | 28.02.2014 |

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| | 15) <u>Problems/Remarks:/Remarks:</u> Due to high density in forest, only manual survey is feasible. This takes much time. | - |
| Madhya Pradesh | 1) Appointment of a Nodal officer | Yes |
| | 2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC (b) DLC (c)SLMC | Yes Yes Yes |
| | 3) Translation of the Act and the Rules into the regional languages and distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc. | Yes |
| | 4) Creation of Awareness about the provision of the Act and the Rules | Yes |
| | 5) Arrangements made for the training of PRI officials, SDLC, DLC members | Yes |
| | 6) Constitution of Forest Rights Committees by the Gram Sabhas | 1,01,741 |
| | 7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level | 6,14,718 (5,74,902 individual and 39,816 community) |
| | 8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC | 6,14,676 (I- 5,74,863, C- 39,813) |
| | 9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC and sending to DLC | 6,14,662 (I- 5,74,863, C- 39,799) |
| | 10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title | 2,50,028 (2,22,232 individual and 27,796 community) |
| | 11) Number of titles distributed | 2,38,636 (2,11,214 individual , 27,422 community) |
| | 12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres) | 20,94,461.44 (I- 7,92,295.50, C- 13,02,165.93) |

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| | 13) No. of claims rejected | 3,64,600 (I-3,52,597, C-12,003) |
| | 14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds | - |
| | 15) <u>Problems/Remarks:</u> | <i>Not reported</i> |
| Maharashtra | 1) Appointment of a Nodal officer | Yes |
| | 2) Status of formation of various Committees | <p>(a) SDLC (b) DLC (c) SLMC</p> |
| | | <p>Yes- 94 Yes- 28 Yes-1</p> |
| | 3) Translation of the Act and the Rules into the regional languages and distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc. | <p>Yes (FR Act and rules 2008 have been translated into Marathi and 152000 copies are distributed to Gram Sabha, SDLC, DLC level.</p> <p>Also the revised rules 2012 have been translated into Marathi and 19000 copies are distributed to Gram Sabha, SDLC and DLC</p> |

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| | 4) Creation of Awareness about the provision of the Act and the Rules | Yes. I) Wide scale publicity to filed CFRs have been given through jingles on Akashwani II) Also 4516 workshops organised to create awareness among the FRCs to filed the CFRs. |
| | 5) Arrangements made for the training of PRI officials, SDLC, DLC members | Yes. Total no. of 147 training programmes have been conducted at various levels. |
| | 6) Constitution of Forest Rights Committees by the Gram Sabhas | Yes- 15,002 |
| | 7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level | 3,64,358 (Individual- 3,52,950, community- 11,408) |
| | 8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC | 3,08,206 (I- 2,98,044, C- 10,162) |
| | 9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC | 1,21,399 (I- 1,13,889, C- 7,510) |
| | 10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title | 1,13,541 (I- 1,07,167 & C- 6,374) |
| | 11) Number of titles distributed | 1,12,646 (I- 1,06,898, C- 5,748) |
| | 12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres) | 50,12,970.97 (I- 5,77,026.20, C- 44,35,944.77) |

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| | 13) No. of claims rejected | 2,31,856 (I-2,30,020, C-1,836) |
| | 14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds | - |
| | 15) <u>Problems/Remarks:</u> | - |
| Manipur | Reasons why no action has been initiated for implementation of the Act are not available nor were they forthcoming in the Review Meeting held on 11.11.2008 and also during the Conference held on 4 th and 5 th November 2009. <u>Problems/ Remarks:</u> In tribal communities and tribal chiefs are already holding ownership of forest land as their ancestral land in non-Reserved Forest Area. Therefore, implementation of the Forest Rights Act is perceived minimal in Manipur. | NO RESPONSE |
| Meghalaya | 1) Appointment of a Nodal officer | Yes |
| | 2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC (b) DLC (c)SLMC | Monitoring Committees at District and Sub-Divisional levels have been set up. The SLMC has been constituted. |
| | 3) Translation of the Act and the Rules into the regional languages and distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc. | No |
| | 4) Creation of Awareness about the provision of the Act and the Rules | No information available |
| | 5) Arrangements made for the training of PRI officials, SDLC, DLC members | No information available |
| | 6) Constitution of Forest Rights Committees by the Gram Sabhas | No information available |
| | 7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level | - |
| | 8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC | - |
| | 9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC | - |
| | 10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title | - |
| | 11) Number of titles distributed | - |

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| | 12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres) | - |
| | 13) No. of claims rejected | - |
| | 14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds | No projected date fixed so far by the State Government. |
| | 15) <u>Problems/Remarks:</u> 96% of forest land is owned by clan / community / individuals. Implementation of the Act has, therefore, limited scope. | |
| Mizoram | 1) Appointment of a Nodal officer | No |
| | 2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC (b) DLC (c)SLMC | (a) Yes (b) Yes (c) Yes |
| | 3) Translation of the Act and the Rules into the regional languages and distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc. | Yes |
| | 4) Creation of Awareness about the provision of the Act and the Rules | Is being made |
| | 5) Arrangements made for the training of PRI officials, SDLC, DLC members | No |
| | 6) Constitution of Forest Rights Committees by the Gram Sabhas | Yes |
| | 7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level | - |
| | 8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC | - |
| | 9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC | - |
| | 10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title | - |
| | 11) Number of titles distributed | - |
| | 12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres) | - |
| | 13) No. of claims rejected | - |
| | 14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds | No projected date fixed so far by the State Government. |

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| | <p>15) Problems/Remarks:</p> <p>The Act was to be approved by the State Legislative Assembly as per the Article 371 (G) of the Constitution. In the sitting on 29.10.2009 of its Fourth Session, the Sixth Legislative Assembly of Mizoram has resolved that the Forest Rights Act shall be adopted in the entire State of Mizoram with effect from 31.12.2009. The same has also been notified by Govt. of Mizoram on 3.3.2010.</p> | |
| Nagaland | <p>Government of Nagaland has informed that the land holding system and the village system of the Naga people is peculiar in that the people are the landowners. There are no tribes or group of people or forest dwellers in the State of Nagaland.</p> <p>Hence, the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 per se may not be applicable to the State of Nagaland. However, a committee has been constituted to examine the applicability of the Act in Nagaland as per provision of Art. 371(A) of Constitution of India</p> | |
| Odisha | 1) Appointment of a Nodal officer | Yes |
| | 2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC (b) DLC (c) SLMC | (a) Yes (b) Yes (c) Yes |
| | 3) Translation of the Act and the Rules into the regional languages and distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc. | Yes. Act & Rules with Amendment 2012 have been translated into Odia language and distributed among PRIs, officials & other stakeholders. |
| | 4) Creation of Awareness about the provision of the Act and the Rules | Being done in a regular manner |

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| | 5) Arrangements made for the training of PRI officials, SDLC, DLC members | Yes. Trainings are being conducted by the SCSTRTI, Odisha and different district administration s of the State. |
| | 6) Constitution of Forest Rights Committees by the Gram Sabhas | 48,459 |
| | 7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level | 6,35,055 (6,21,622 individual, 13,433 community) |
| | 8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC | 5,18,145 (5,09,840 Individual, 8,305 community) |
| | 9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC | 4,28,986 (4,22,278 individual 6,708 community) |
| | 10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title | 4,21,773 (4,15,780 individual 5,993 community) |
| | 11) Number of titles distributed | 4,09,229 (4,03,338 individual, 5,891 community) |
| | 12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres) | 8,87,403.23 (6,03,293.56 Individual, 2,84,109.67 community) |
| | 13) No. of claims rejected | 1,50,133 (1,49,763 individual and 370 community) |

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| | 14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds | - |
| | 15) <u>Problems/Remarks:</u> | - |
| Rajasthan | 1) Appointment of a Nodal officer | Yes. Commissioner TAD had been appointed as a Nodal Officer. |
| | 2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC (b) DLC (c)SLMC | (a) Yes- Vide Govt. Order No. F6 (14) AR/Sec- 3/2008 (1) Dt 14-03-2008 (b) Yes- Vide Govt. Order No. F6 (14)AR/Sec- 3/2008 (2) Dt 14-03-2008 (c) Yes- Vide Govt. Order No. F6 (18)AR/Sec- 3/2008 Dt 26-04-2008 |
| | 3) Translation of the Act and the Rules into the regional languages and distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc. | Yes. Tribals in Rajasthan are well acquainted with Hindi language. 50,000 copies in Hindi and 25000 copies in simple language were printed and distributed to gram Sabhas, FRCs etc. |

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| | <p>4) Creation of Awareness about the provision of the Act and the Rules</p> | <p>Yes. Conducted workshop of MPs and MLAs. Release press notes in newspapers from time to time. Imparted training to forest/revenue/ PRI officials.</p> |
| | <p>5) Arrangements made for the training of PRI officials, SDLC, DLC members</p> | <p>Yes. Training of Govt. officials SDLC & DLC members were conducted at District & Block levels.</p> |
| | <p>6) Constitution of Forest Rights Committees by the Gram Sabhas</p> | <p>Yes. Scheduled Area- FRCs have been constituted in all 4718 revenue villages. Outside Scheduled Area- FRCs have been constituted in 6200 gram panchayats out of 8211 gram panchayats.</p> |
| | <p>7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level</p> | <p>71,270 (70,515 individual and 755 community)</p> |

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| | 8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC | 47,415 (I-47,232, C-183) |
| | 9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC | 35,893 |
| | 10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title | 34,949 claims have been approved by DLCs for title + 1398 appeal. Total: 36,347 |
| | 11) Number of titles distributed | 35,628 |
| | 12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres) | 55,776.91 Ind-55,116.12, Comm-660.79 |
| | 13) No. of claims rejected | 35,139 |
| | 14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds | - |
| | 15) Problems/Remarks: | Not reported. |
| Sikkim | <p>The Government of Sikkim has issued a notification dated 28.1.2008 regarding constitution of an Expert Committee for identification of Critical Wildlife habitats in Protected Areas (PAs) and have also constituted the various Committees under the Act namely SDLC, DLC and SLMC, but has not sent any report regarding the progress of implementation of the Act in the State so far.</p> <p><u>Problems/ Remarks:</u></p> <p>In Sikkim, there are no Forest Dwelling STs and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers in the true sense of the terms. Most of the STs of Sikkim hold revenue land in their own name and they are not solely dependent on the forests for their livelihood.</p> | |
| Tamil Nadu | 1) Appointment of a Nodal officer | Yes |
| | 2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC (b) DLC (c)SLMC | Yes Yes Yes |
| | 3) Translation of the Act and the Rules into the regional languages and distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc. | Yes |
| | 4) Creation of Awareness about the provision of the Act and the Rules | Has started in a limited way |

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| 5) Arrangements made for the training of PRI officials, SDLC, DLC members | - |
| 6) Constitution of Forest Rights Committees by the Gram Sabhas | Work setting up FRCs has started. Gram Sabha meetings convened on 15.08.2008 |
| 7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level | 21,781 (18,420 individual and 3,361 community) |
| 8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC | Number not available |
| 9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC | Number not available |
| 10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title | 3,723 |
| 11) Number of titles distributed | 3,723 ready |
| 12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres) | Not Available |
| 13) No. of claims rejected | - |
| 14) Projected date for distribution of title deed | - |
| 15) <u>Problems/Remarks:</u> | |

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| 4) Creation of Awareness about the provision of the Act and the Rules | Published in 3 local daily news for 3 consecutive days about the Act/Rules. Booklet in local language distributed. Awareness programme organized in 30 places. |
| 5) Arrangements made for the training of PRI officials, SDLC, DLC members | Workshop organized for the officials of PRI/SDLC/DLC. |
| 6) Constitution of Forest Rights Committees by the Gram Sabhas | 1,040 |
| 7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level | 1,94,028 (1,93,751 individual and 277 community) |
| 8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC | 1,43,881 (1,43,779 individual and 102 community) |
| 9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC | 1,26,853 (1,26,757 individual and 96 community) |
| 10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title | 1,24,596 (1,24,541 individual and 55 community) |
| 11) Number of titles distributed | 1,24,596 (1,24,541 individual and 55 community) |

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| | 12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres) | 4,34,210.48 (4,34,119.30 individual and 91.17 community) |
| | 13) No. of claims rejected | 65,902 (65,680 individual and 222 Community) |
| | 14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds | - |
| | 15) Problems/Remarks: | Not reported. |
| Telangana | 1) Appointment of a Nodal officer | Yes |
| | 2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC (b) DLC (c) SLMC | Yes- 33 Yes-9 Yes |
| | 3) Translation of the Act and the Rules into the regional languages and distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc. | Yes |
| | 4) Creation of Awareness about the provision of the Act and the Rules | Yes |
| | 5) Arrangements made for the training of PRI officials, SDLC, DLC members | Yes |
| | 6) Constitution of Forest Rights Committees by the Gram Sabhas | 1,968 |
| | 7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level | 1,86,534 (Individual 1,83,107, Community 3,427) |
| | 8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC | - |
| | 9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC | - |
| | 10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title | - |
| | 11) Number of titles distributed | 94,215 (Individual 93,494 and community 721) |

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| | 11) Number of titles distributed | 18,555 (17,712 individual and 843 community) |
| | 12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres) | 1,39,656.53 |
| | 13) No. of claims rejected | 74,945 |
| | 14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds | September, 2016 |
| | 15) Problems/Remarks: | Not reported. |
| Uttarakhand | 1) Appointment of a Nodal officer | Yes |
| | 2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC (b) DLC (c) SLMC | Yes Yes Yes |
| | 3) Translation of the Act and the Rules into the regional languages and distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc. | - |
| | 4) Creation of Awareness about the provision of the Act and the Rules | - |
| | 5) Arrangements made for the training of PRI officials, SDLC, DLC members | Yes |
| | 6) Constitution of Forest Rights Committees by the Gram Sabhas | Yes |
| | 7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level | 182 |
| | 8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC | - |
| | 9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC | - |
| | 10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title | - |
| | 11) Number of titles distributed | - |
| | 12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres) | - |
| | 13) No. of claims rejected | 1 |
| | 14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds | 31-12-2009 (over) |

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| | <p>15) Problems/Remarks:</p> <p>Formation of committees could not be done earlier due to the coming into force of model code of conduct for elections. The pace of implementation of Forest Rights Act was therefore adversely affected.</p> | |
| West Bengal | 1) Appointment of a Nodal officer | Yes |
| | 2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC | Yes |
| | (b) DLC | Yes |
| | (c) SLMC | Yes |
| | 3) Translation of the Act and the Rules into the regional languages and distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc. | Yes. English, Bengali version circulated. Translated into Santhali and Hindi and are also circulated. |
| | 4) Creation of Awareness about the provision of the Act and the Rules | Yes, Awareness generation is on among stake holders |
| | 5) Arrangements made for the training of PRI officials, SDLC, DLC members | Yes |
| | 6) Constitution of Forest Rights Committees by the Gram Sabhas | 2,819 FRCs have been constituted |
| | 7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level | 1,42,081 (1,31,962 individual and 10,119 community) |
| | 8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC | 52,000 (I- 51,003, C- 997) |
| | 9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC | 51,272 (I- 50,467, C- 805) |
| | 10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title | 45,201 (I- 44,396, C- 805) |

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| | 11) Number of titles distributed | 45,201 (I-44,396, C-805) |
| | 12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres) | 23,117.89 (I-22,065.05, C-1,052.84) |
| | 13) No. of claims rejected | 97,415 (I-88,118, C-9,297) |
| | 14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds | - |
| | 15) <u>Problems/Remarks:</u> | - |
| A & N Islands | 1) Appointment of a Nodal officer | Yes |
| | 2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC (b) DLC (c)SLMC | Yes Yes Being constituted. |
| | 3) Translation of the Act and the Rules into the regional languages and distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc. | Translation has been completed but publication of the translated version yet not done. |
| | 4) Creation of Awareness about the provision of the Act and the Rules | Yes |
| | 5) Arrangements made for the training of PRI officials, SDLC, DLC members | Under process |
| | 6) Constitution of Forest Rights Committees by the Gram Sabhas | Yes |
| | 7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level | - |
| | 8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC | - |
| | 9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC | - |
| | 10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title | - |
| | 11) Number of titles distributed | - |

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| | 12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres) | - |
| | 13) No. of claims rejected | - |
| | 14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds | - |
| | 15) <u>Problems/Remarks:</u> The Andaman & Nicobar Administration has informed that there are no non-tribal forest dwellers as defined in the Act in A&N Islands. The Act, therefore, is applicable only to the Forest Dwelling Scheduled Tribes of these islands. The area inhabited by the Scheduled Tribes of A&N Islands has been declared as reserved area under the A&N Islands Protection of Aboriginal Tribes (Regulation), 1956. The interest of the tribals in the land situated in the reserved areas is fully protected under the provision of the regulation. The tribal reserves have been notified as reserved or protected forest reserve. | - |
| Daman & Diu | 1) Appointment of a Nodal officer | Yes. Directorate of Social Welfare is nodal deptt. |
| | 2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC (b) DLC (c) SLMC | 02 02 01 |
| | 3) Translation of the Act and the Rules into the regional languages and distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc. | Yes, in Gujarati language |
| | 4) Creation of Awareness about the provision of the Act and the Rules | Yes |
| | 5) Arrangements made for the training of PRI officials, SDLC, DLC Members | Nil |
| | 6) Constitution of Forest Rights Committees by the Gram Sabhas | Nil |
| | 7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level | Nil |
| | 8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC | Nil |
| | 9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC | Nil |
| | 10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title | Nil |

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| 11) Number of titles distributed | Nil |
| 12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres) | Nil |
| 13) No. of claims rejected | Nil |
| 14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds | Not Given |
| 15) <u>Problem / Remarks :</u> Administration of Daman & Diu has informed vide their letter no. TSP/533/2011-2012/183, dated: 17.1.2012 that the Chief Conservation of Forest, Daman and Diu, has reported that there is no forest village in U.T. of Daman Diu, However, Chief Executive Officer Dist. Panchayat Daman & Diu & Collector of Both Daman & Diu Dist have been requested to give publicity to the provision of the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights), Act, 2006. | |

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| Dadra & Nagar Haveli | 1) Appointment of a Nodal officer | Yes |
| | 2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC (b) DLC (c)SLMC | Yes Yes Yes |
| | 3) Translation of the Act and the Rules into the regional languages and distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc. | Yes |
| | 4) Creation of Awareness about the provision of the Act and the Rules | Yes |
| | 5) Arrangements made for the training of PRI officials, SDLC, DLC members | Yes |
| | 6) Constitution of Forest Rights Committees by the Gram Sabhas | - |
| | 7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level | - |
| | 8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC | - |
| | 9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC | - |
| | 10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title | - |
| | 11) Number of titles distributed | - |
| | 12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres) | - |
| | 13) No. of claims rejected | - |
| | 14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds | No projected date fixed so far by the UT Admn. |
| | 15) <u>Problems/Remarks:</u> The Administration of Dadra & Nagar Haveli has informed this Ministry that despite notices in advance and propaganda, it has been difficult to hold gram sabha meetings in absence of quorum of 2/3 of all members of such gram sabhas. All out efforts are being made for constitution of Forest Rights Committees in all the gram sabhas. Position in this regard will be known shortly. | |
| Lakshadweep | The UT Administration has intimated that there are no terrestrial forests and no forest tribes or traditional forest dwellers in Lakshadweep. | |

(A) Statement of Claims and distribution of title deeds under the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 as on 31.01.2017

| S. No. | States | No. of Claims received upto 31.12.2016 | | | Claims received during the current month | No. of Claims received upto 31.01.2017 | | | No. of Titles Distributed/Ready upto 31.12.2016 | | | Title deeds distributed/r eady during the current month | No. of Titles Distributed upto 31.01.2017 | | |
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| | | Individual | Community | Total | | Individual | Community | Total | Individual | Community | Total | | Individual | Community | Total |
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| 1 | Andhra Pradesh | 1,68,859 | 4,711 | 1,73,570 | 20 | 1,68,879 | 4,711 | 1,73,590 | 85,615 | 1,415 | 87,030 | 0 | 85,615 | 1,415 | 87,030 |
| 2 | Assam | 1,48,965 | 6,046 | 1,55,011 | 0 | 1,48,965 | 6,046 | 1,55,011 | 57,325 | 1,477 | 58,802 | 0 | 57,325 | 1,477 | 58,802 |
| 3 | Bihar | 8,022 | 0 | 8,022 | 0 | 8,022 | 0 | 8,022 | 121 | 0 | 121 | 0 | 121 | 0 | 121 |
| 4 | Chhattisgarh | 8,60,364 | 0 | 8,60,364 | 6,310 | 8,42,725 | 23,949 | 8,66,674 | 3,47,789 | 0 | 3,47,789 | 33,916 | 3,69,368 | 12,337 | 3,81,705 |
| 5 | Goa | 9,372 | 361 | 9,733 | 0 | 9,372 | 361 | 9,733 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 3 |
| 6 | Gujarat | 1,82,869 | 6,998 | 1,89,867 | 0 | 1,82,869 | 6,998 | 1,89,867 | 79,614 | 3,484 | 83,098 | 0 | 79,614 | 3,484 | 83,098 |
| 7 | Himachal Pradesh | 591 | 68 | 659 | 0 | 591 | 68 | 659 | 0 | 7 | 7 | 0 | 0 | 7 | 7 |
| 8 | Jharkhand | 1,03,625 | 3,403 | 1,07,028 | -4,518 | 99,224 | 3,286 | 1,02,510 | 52,573 | 1,850 | 54,423 | 1,758 | 54,458 | 1,723 | 56,181 |
| 9 | Karnataka | 2,98,795 | 5,741 | 3,04,536 | 0 | 2,98,795 | 5,741 | 3,04,536 | 12,421 | 628 | 13,049 | 0 | 12,421 | 628 | 13,049 |
| 10 | Kerala | 36,140 | 1,395 | 37,535 | 0 | 36,140 | 1,395 | 37,535 | 24,599 | NA | 24,599 | 0 | 24,599 | NA | 24,599 |
| 11 | Madhya Pradesh | 5,74,902 | 39,802 | 6,14,704 | 14 | 5,74,902 | 39,816 | 6,14,718 | 2,11,133 | 27,422 | 2,38,555 | 81 | 2,11,214 | 27,422 | 2,38,636 |
| 12 | Maharashtra | 3,52,950 | 11,408 | 3,64,358 | 0 | 3,52,950 | 11,408 | 3,64,358 | 1,06,898 | 5,748 | 1,12,646 | 0 | 1,06,898 | 5,748 | 1,12,646 |
| 13 | Odisha | 6,21,622 | 13,433 | 6,35,055 | 0 | 6,21,622 | 13,433 | 6,35,055 | 4,03,338 | 5,891 | 4,09,229 | 0 | 4,03,338 | 5,891 | 4,09,229 |
| 14 | Rajasthan | 70,515 | 755 | 71,270 | 0 | 70,515 | 755 | 71,270 | 35,628 | | 35,628 | 0 | 35,628 | | 35,628 |
| 15 | Tamil Nadu | 18,420 | 3,361 | 21,781 | 0 | 18,420 | 3,361 | 21,781 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 16 | Telangana | 1,83,107 | 3,427 | 1,86,534 | 0 | 1,83,107 | 3,427 | 1,86,534 | 93,494 | 721 | 94,215 | 0 | 93,494 | 721 | 94,215 |
| 17 | Tripura | 1,93,751 | 277 | 1,94,028 | 0 | 1,93,751 | 277 | 1,94,028 | 1,24,541 | 16 | 1,24,557 | 0 | 1,24,541 | 16 | 1,24,557 |
| 18 | Uttar Pradesh | 92,520 | 1,124 | 93,644 | 0 | 92,520 | 1,124 | 93,644 | 17,712 | 843 | 18,555 | 0 | 17,712 | 843 | 18,555 |
| 19 | Uttarakhand | 182 | 0 | 182 | 0 | 182 | 0 | 182 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| 20 | West Bengal | 1,31,962 | 10,119 | 1,42,081 | 0 | 1,31,962 | 10,119 | 1,42,081 | 44,396 | 805 | 45,201 | 0 | 44,396 | 805 | 45,201 |
| TOTAL | | 40,57,533 | 1,12,429 | 41,69,962 | 1,826 | 40,35,513 | 1,36,275 | 41,71,788 | 16,97,197 | 50,310 | 17,47,507 | 35,755 | 17,20,742 | 62,520 | 17,83,262 |

(B) Statement of Claims and distribution of title deeds under the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 as on 31.01.2017

| S. No. | States | No. of Claims received upto 31.01.2017 | | | No. of Titles Distributed upto 31.01.2017 | | | No. of Claims Rejected | Total No. of Claims Disposed off | % Claims disposed off with respect to claims received |
|--------------|------------------|--|-----------------|------------------|---|---------------|------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|---|
| | | Individual | Community | Total | Individual | Community | Total | | | |
| 1 | Andhra Pradesh | 1,68,879 | 4,711 | 1,73,590 | 85,615 | 1,415 | 87,030 | 62,228 | 1,49,258 | 85.98% |
| 2 | Assam | 1,48,965 | 6,046 | 1,55,011 | 57,325 | 1,477 | 58,802 | 0 | 58,802 | 37.93% |
| 3 | Bihar | 8,022 | 0 | 8,022 | 121 | 0 | 121 | 4,215 | 4,336 | 54.05% |
| 4 | Chhattisgarh | 8,42,725 | 23,949 | 8,66,674 | 3,69,368 | 12,337 | 3,81,705 | 4,64,886 | 8,46,591 | 97.68% |
| 5 | Goa | 9,372 | 361 | 9,733 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 23 | 26 | 0.27% |
| 6 | Gujarat | 1,82,869 | 6,998 | 1,89,867 | 79,614 | 3,484 | 83,098 | 0 | 83,098 | 43.77% |
| 7 | Himachal Pradesh | 591 | 68 | 659 | 0 | 7 | 7 | 0 | 7 | 1.06% |
| 8 | Jharkhand | 99,224 | 3,286 | 1,02,510 | 54,458 | 1,723 | 56,181 | 27,652 | 83,833 | 81.78% |
| 9 | Karnataka | 2,98,795 | 5,741 | 3,04,536 | 12,421 | 628 | 13,049 | 1,71,592 | 1,84,641 | 60.63% |
| 10 | Kerala | 36,140 | 1,395 | 37,535 | 24,599 | NA | 24,599 | 7,889 | 32,488 | 86.55% |
| 11 | Madhya Pradesh | 5,74,902 | 39,816 | 6,14,718 | 2,11,214 | 27,422 | 2,38,636 | 3,64,600 | 6,03,236 | 98.13% |
| 12 | Maharashtra | 3,52,950 | 11,408 | 3,64,358 | 1,06,898 | 5,748 | 1,12,646 | 2,31,856 | 3,44,502 | 94.55% |
| 13 | Odisha | 6,21,622 | 13,433 | 6,35,055 | 4,03,338 | 5,891 | 4,09,229 | 1,50,133 | 5,59,362 | 88.08% |
| 14 | Rajasthan | 70,515 | 755 | 71,270 | 35,628 | | 35,628 | 35,139 | 70,767 | 99.29% |
| 15 | Tamil Nadu | 18,420 | 3,361 | 21,781 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.00% |
| 16 | Telangana | 1,83,107 | 3,427 | 1,86,534 | 93,494 | 721 | 94,215 | 80,890 | 1,75,105 | 93.87% |
| 17 | Tripura | 1,93,751 | 277 | 1,94,028 | 1,24,541 | 16 | 1,24,557 | 65,902 | 1,90,459 | 98.16% |
| 18 | Uttar Pradesh | 92,520 | 1,124 | 93,644 | 17,712 | 843 | 18,555 | 74,945 | 93,500 | 99.85% |
| 19 | Uttarakhand | 182 | 0 | 182 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0.55% |
| 20 | West Bengal | 1,31,962 | 10,119 | 1,42,081 | 44,396 | 805 | 45,201 | 97,415 | 1,42,616 | 100.38% |
| TOTAL | | 40,35,513 | 1,36,275 | 41,71,788 | 17,20,742 | 62,520 | 17,83,262 | 18,39,366 | 36,22,628 | 86.84% |

(C) Statement showing ranking in terms of percentage of titles distributed over number of claims received in each State under the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 as on 31.01.2017

| S. No. | States | No. of Claims received upto 31.01.2017 | | | No. of Titles Distributed upto 31.01.2017 | | | No. of Claims Rejected | % of Titles distributed over number of claims received |
|--------------|------------------|--|-----------------|------------------|---|---------------|------------------|------------------------|--|
| | | Individual | Community | Total | Individual | Community | Total | | |
| 1 | Kerala | 36,140 | 1,395 | 37,535 | 24,599 | NA | 24,599 | 7,889 | 65.54% |
| 2 | Odisha | 6,21,622 | 13,433 | 6,35,055 | 4,03,338 | 5,891 | 4,09,229 | 1,50,133 | 64.44% |
| 3 | Tripura | 1,93,751 | 277 | 1,94,028 | 1,24,541 | 16 | 1,24,557 | 65,902 | 64.20% |
| 4 | Jharkhand | 99,224 | 3,286 | 1,02,510 | 54,458 | 1,723 | 56,181 | 27,652 | 54.81% |
| 5 | Telangana | 1,83,107 | 3,427 | 1,86,534 | 93,494 | 721 | 94,215 | 80,890 | 50.51% |
| 6 | Andhra Pradesh | 1,68,879 | 4,711 | 1,73,590 | 85,615 | 1,415 | 87,030 | 62,228 | 50.14% |
| 7 | Rajasthan | 70,515 | 755 | 71,270 | 35,628 | | 35,628 | 35,139 | 49.99% |
| 8 | Chhattisgarh | 8,42,725 | 23,949 | 8,66,674 | 3,69,368 | 12,337 | 3,81,705 | 4,64,886 | 44.04% |
| 9 | Gujarat | 1,82,869 | 6,998 | 1,89,867 | 79,614 | 3,484 | 83,098 | 0 | 43.77% |
| 10 | Madhya Pradesh | 5,74,902 | 39,816 | 6,14,718 | 2,11,214 | 27,422 | 2,38,636 | 3,64,600 | 38.82% |
| 11 | Assam | 1,48,965 | 6,046 | 1,55,011 | 57,325 | 1,477 | 58,802 | 0 | 37.93% |
| 12 | West Bengal | 1,31,962 | 10,119 | 1,42,081 | 44,396 | 805 | 45,201 | 97,415 | 31.81% |
| 13 | Maharashtra | 3,52,950 | 11,408 | 3,64,358 | 1,06,898 | 5,748 | 1,12,646 | 2,31,856 | 30.92% |
| 14 | Uttar Pradesh | 92,520 | 1,124 | 93,644 | 17,712 | 843 | 18,555 | 74,945 | 19.81% |
| 15 | Karnataka | 2,98,795 | 5,741 | 3,04,536 | 12,421 | 628 | 13,049 | 1,71,592 | 4.28% |
| 16 | Bihar | 8,022 | 0 | 8,022 | 121 | 0 | 121 | 4,215 | 1.51% |
| 17 | Himachal Pradesh | 591 | 68 | 659 | 0 | 7 | 7 | 0 | 1.06% |
| 18 | Goa | 9,372 | 361 | 9,733 | 0 | 3 | 3 | 23 | 0.03% |
| 19 | Tamil Nadu | 18,420 | 3,361 | 21,781 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.00% |
| 20 | Uttarakhand | 182 | 0 | 182 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0.00% |
| TOTAL | | 40,35,513 | 1,36,275 | 41,71,788 | 17,20,742 | 62,520 | 17,83,262 | 18,39,366 | 42.75% |

Annexure-III

Status of Implementation of the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 in the Left Wing Extremism (LWE) States as on 31.01.2017

| S. No. | States | No. of Claims received upto 31.01.2017 | | | No. of Titles Distributed upto 31.01.2017 | | | No. of Claims Rejected | Total No. of Claims Disposed off | % Claims disposed off with respect to claims received |
|--------------|----------------|--|-----------------|------------------|---|---------------|------------------|------------------------|----------------------------------|---|
| | | Individual | Community | Total | Individual | Community | Total | | | |
| 1 | Andhra Pradesh | 1,68,879 | 4,711 | 1,73,590 | 85,615 | 1,415 | 87,030 | 62,228 | 1,49,258 | 85.98% |
| 2 | Bihar | 8,022 | 0 | 8,022 | 121 | 0 | 121 | 4,215 | 4,336 | 54.05% |
| 3 | Chhattisgarh | 8,42,725 | 23,949 | 8,66,674 | 3,69,368 | 12,337 | 3,81,705 | 4,64,886 | 8,46,591 | 97.68% |
| 4 | Jharkhand | 99,224 | 3,286 | 1,02,510 | 54,458 | 1,723 | 56,181 | 27,652 | 83,833 | 81.78% |
| 5 | Madhya Pradesh | 5,74,902 | 39,816 | 6,14,718 | 2,11,214 | 27,422 | 2,38,636 | 3,64,600 | 6,03,236 | 98.13% |
| 6 | Maharashtra | 3,52,950 | 11,408 | 3,64,358 | 1,06,898 | 5,748 | 1,12,646 | 2,31,856 | 3,44,502 | 94.55% |
| 7 | Odisha | 6,21,622 | 13,433 | 6,35,055 | 4,03,338 | 5,891 | 4,09,229 | 1,50,133 | 5,59,362 | 88.08% |
| 8 | Telangana | 1,83,107 | 3,427 | 1,86,534 | 93,494 | 721 | 94,215 | 80,890 | 1,75,105 | 93.87% |
| 9 | Uttar Pradesh | 92,520 | 1,124 | 93,644 | 17,712 | 843 | 18,555 | 74,945 | 93,500 | 99.85% |
| 10 | West Bengal | 1,31,962 | 10,119 | 1,42,081 | 44,396 | 805 | 45,201 | 97,415 | 1,42,616 | 100.38% |
| TOTAL | | 30,75,913 | 1,11,273 | 31,87,186 | 13,86,614 | 56,905 | 14,43,519 | 15,58,820 | 30,02,339 | 94.20% |

Annexure-IV

List of States/UTs that are not uploading on the web-site <http://forestrights.gov.in>

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(As on 31.01.2017)

(A) List of States Not Entering Committee Data:

1. ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ISLANDS
2. ARUNACHAL PRADESH
3. DAMAN AND DIU
4. MEGHALAYA
5. TAMIL NADU
6. UTTARAKHAND

(B) List of States Not Entering Claim Data:

1. ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ISLANDS
2. ARUNACHAL PRADESH
3. DADRA AND NAGAR HAVELI
4. DAMAN AND DIU
5. MIZORAM
6. MANIPUR
7. MEGHALAYA
8. SIKKIM
9. NAGALAND

(C) List of States/UTs that have not distributed any titles so far:

1. ARUNACHAL PRADESH
2. MANIPUR
3. MEGHALAYA
4. MIZORAM
5. NAGALAND
6. SIKKIM
7. UTTARAKHAND
8. ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ISLANDS
9. DAMAN & DIU
10. DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI
11. TAMIL NADU
