Government of India Ministry of Tribal Affairs

Status report on implementation of the Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 [for the period ending 31st October, 2012]

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- 1. 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 October, 2012, 32,36,539 claims have been filed and 12,75,570 titles have been distributed. Further, 14,603 titles were ready for distribution. A total of 27,88,381 claims have been disposed of (86.15%). 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 31.10.2012, in major States, is as indicated below:

States	No. of claims received	No. of titles distributed	Extent of forest land for which titles distributed (in acres)
Andhra Pradesh	3,30,479 (3,23,765 individual and 6,714 community)	1,67,797 (1,65,691 individual and 2,106 community)	14,51,223
Assam	1,31,911 (1,26,718 individual and 5,193 community)	36,267 (35,407 individual and 860 community)	77,609.17 for 34,286 titles#
Bihar*	2,930	28	Not Available
Chhattisgarh	4,92,068 (4,87,332 individual and 4,736 community)	2,15,443 (2,14,668 individual and 775 community)	5,38,076.38 (5,36,303.69 for individual and 1,772.69 for community) for 2,14,918 (2,14,668 individual and 250 community) titles#
Gujarat	1,91,592 (1,82,869 individual and 8,723 community	40,029 (38,421 individual and 1,608 community)	43,097.79 for 37,923 titles
Himachal Pradesh*	5,688	7 distributed	Not Available
Jharkhand	42,003	15,296	37,678.93
Karnataka	1,63,320 (1,60,403 individual and 2,917 community)	6,288 distributed (6,235 individual and 53 community)	10571.79
Kerala	37,509 (36,140 individual and 1,369 community)	23,147 (23,143 individual and 4 community)	32,091
Madhya	4,63,532 (4,50,987 individual and 12,545	1,70,910 distributed and 7592 are ready for	6,45,737.65

States	No. of claims received	No. of titles distributed	Extent of forest land for which titles distributed (in acres)
Pradesh	community)	distribution.	
Maharashtra	3,44,330 (3,39,289 individual and 5,041 community)	99,368 (98,335 individual and 1033 community)	6,35,915.57 (2,58,139.32 individual and 3,77,776.25 community)
Orissa	5,32,464 (5,29,160 individual and 3304 community)	3,01,200 (3,00,321 individual and 879 community)	5,39,277.45 (4,84,025.80 individual and 55,251.65 community)
Rajasthan	64,422 (64,076 individual and 346 community)	32,080 distributed (32,027 individual and 53 community)	48,773.54 (48,354.01 individual and 4,19.53 community)
Tripura	1,82,617 (1,82,340 individual and 277 community)	1,20,473 distributed (1,20,418 individual and 55 community)	4,16,555.58 (4,16,498.79 for individual and 56.79 for community) for 1,16,100 titles
Uttar Pradesh	92,433 (91,298 individual and 1,135 community)	17,705 distributed (16,891 individual and 814 community)	1,39,778.04
West Bengal	1,37,278 [1,29,454 individual and 7,824 community]	29,532 distributed (29,424 individual and 108 community) and 3,288 ready	16,608.05 (16557.76 for individual and 50.29 for community)

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

Individual (6,74,775 titles) = 5,43,652.07 Hac (13,43,380.58 Acres) Community (2,323 titles) = 1,76,149.38 Hac (4,35,270.41 Acres)

Total: 6,77,098 titles = 7,19,801.45 Hac (17,78,650.99 Acres)

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

Individual + Community (5,95,827 titles) = 11,55,122.74 Hac (28,543,42.95 Acres)

Grand Total: 12,72,925 titles = 18,74,924.19 Hac (46,32,993.94 Acres)

*The Governments of Bihar and Himachal Pradesh have not furnished information regarding extent of forest land for which titles have been distributed

- # The Governments of Assam, Chhattisgarh, Gujarat, and Tripura have not furnished updated information regarding the extent of forest land in respect of all the titles that have been distributed.
 - (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-IV**.
 - (iv) A list of States/UTs that are not uploading the website is at Annexure-V. A list of States/UTs that have not distributed any title so far is also given in Annexure-V. Annexures II, III, IV and V are being put up on the Ministry's web-site.
- 3. <u>Clarifications sought by the States, if any:</u>

Nil.

4. <u>Matters relating to the Act pending at the level of Government of India</u>

Nil.

Annexure-I

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

Name of the State/UT	Activities	Status	
Andhra Pradesh	Appointment of a Nodal officer	Yes	
	2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC	Yes	
	(b) DLC	Yes	
	(c) SLMC	Yes	
	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	3,744	
	7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level	3,30,479 (3,23,765 individual 6,714 community)	and
	8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC	2,30,476 (2,26,943 individual 3,533 community)	and
	9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC	1,94,391	
	10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title	1,74,693	
	11) Number of titles distributed	1,67,797 (1,65,691 individual 2,106 community)	and

	12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres)	14,51,223
	13) No. of claims rejected	1,53,438
	14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds	-
	15) Problems/Remarks:	
	Land records	
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	Yes
	(b) DLC	Yes
	(c) SLMC	Yes
	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	-
	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	-
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	15) Problems/Remarks:	
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	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
	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	1,31,911 (1,26,718 individual and 5,193 community)
	8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC	1.23,330 (1,18,535 individual and 4,795 community)
	9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC	72,891 (69,224
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		community)
	10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title	-

	11) Number of titles distributed	36,267 (35,407 individual and 860
	12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres)	77609.17 Acres for 34,286 titles
	13) No. of claims rejected	37,669
	14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds	31-12-2011
	15) Problems/Remarks:	-
	 Disputes in settling claims get converted into law and order problem which adversely affects the pace of implementation. Claims from false claimants under the category of other traditional forest dwellers are being received. 	
Bihar	Appointment of a Nodal officer	Yes
	2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC	9
	(b) DLC	13
	(c)SLMC	1
	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	1299
	7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level	2,930 (1019 ST and 1911 OTFDs)
	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	28 (28 ST)
	11) Number of titles distributed	20 (20 31)
	12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres)	-
	13) No. of claims rejected	1,644
	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	Yes
	(b) DLC	Yes
	(c)SLMC	Yes
	3) Translation of the Act and the Rules into the regional languages and	Yes
	distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc.	165
	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	Yes
	7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level	4,92,068 (4,87,332 individual (3,49,976 ST and 1,37,356 OTFD) and 4,736 community)
	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	Not Given

	Number of titles distributed 12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres)	2,15,443 (2,14,668 individual and 775 community) 5,38,076.38 (536303.69 individual and 1772.69 community) for
	13) No. of claims rejected	2,14,918 titles 2,72,664
	14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds	31.12.2009 (over)
	15) Problems/Remarks	-
	Out of 85 blocks, at least 40 blocks are affected by naxalism and this had slowed down the pace of implementation of Forest Rights Act.	
Goa	1) Appointment of a Nodal officer	Yes
	2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC	(a) Yes
	(b) DLC	(b) Yes
	(c)SLMC	(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 91 FRCs have been constituted.
	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
	11) Number of titles distributed	Nil
	12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres)	-

	13) No. of claims rejected	Nil
	14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds	
	15) Problems/Remarks:	-
	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	Yes
	2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC	18
	(b) DLC	12
	(c)SLMC	01
	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	5,775 FRCs have been constituted.
	7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level	1,91,592 (1,82,869 individual and 8,723 community
	8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC	1,87,230 (1,79,812 individual and 7,418 community)
	9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC	47,798 (45,974 individual and 1,824 community)
	10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title	40,029 (38,421 individual and 1,608 community)
	11) Number of titles distributed	40,029 (38,421 individual and 1,608 community)

	12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres)	43,097.79 Acres for 37,923 titles
	13) No. of claims rejected	19,613 (14,573 individual and 5,040 community)
	14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds	31.01.2012
	15) Problems/Remarks:	
	 Member of Gujarat Tribal Advisory Council had raised concern over high rate of rejected claims and the matter was discussed in the meeting held on 01.06.2011 and it was decided to review all rejected claims at various level. Following the decision of GTAC, Government of Gujarat has created a special review cell on 01.08.2011 and circulated procedure to review all rejected claims. As a result, number of claims disposed of has been reduced considerably. 	
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	Yes
	(b) DLC	Yes
	(c)SLMC	Yes
	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	Yes, in all 151 Gram Sabha
	7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level	5,688
	8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC	2,888
	9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC	1097
	10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title	346
	11) Number of titles distributed	7
	12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres)	
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	13) No. of claims rejected	2,144
	14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds	-
	15) <u>Problems/Remarks</u> :	
	 Pace of implementation of Forest Rights Act in this State has been considerably affected by migration of tribal population from snow-bound areas during winter season last year; Promulgation of Model Code of Conduct from March to May last year for the Elections; Sowing season in May and June. 	
Jharkhand	1) Appointment of a Nodal officer	Yes
	2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC	Yes
	(b) DLC	Yes
	(c)SLMC	Yes
	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	20,484
	7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level	42,003
	8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC	23,617
	9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC	17,046
	10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title	16,351
	11) Number of titles distributed	15,296
	12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres)	37,678.93
	13) No. of claims rejected	16,958
	14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds	-

	15) <u>Problems/Remarks</u> :	-
	Forest areas are affected by left wing extremism.	
Karnataka	1) Appointment of a Nodal officer	Yes
	2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC	Yes
	(b) DLC	Yes
	(c)SLMC	Yes
	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	2,521 FRCs have been constituted
	7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level	1,63,320 (1,60,403 individual (20,555 STs and 1,39,848 OTFDs) and 2,917 community)
	8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC	46,674
	9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC	11,297
	10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title	-
	11) Number of titles distributed	6,288 (6,235 individual and 53 community)
	12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres)	10,571.79
	13) No. of claims rejected	1,55,417 (1,53,265 individual and 2152 community)
	14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds	31-12-2009 (over)
	15) Problems/Remarks:	Not reported

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Kerala	1) Appointment of a Nodal officer	Yes
	2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC	Yes
	(b) DLC	Yes
	(c)SLMC	Yes
	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	512 FRCs have been constituted
	7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level	37,509 (36,140 individual and 1,369 community)
	8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC	35,049 (34,821 individual and 228 community)
	9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC	25,932
	10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title	25,278
	11) Number of titles distributed	23,147 (23,143 individual and 4 community)
	12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres)	32,091
	13) No. of claims rejected	4,252
	14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds	-
	15) Problems/Remarks:/Remarks:	-
	Due to high density in forest, only manual survey is feasible. This takes much time.	

Madhya Pradesh	Appointment of a Nodal officer	Yes
	2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC	Yes
	(b) DLC	Yes
	(c)SLMC	Yes
	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	Yes
	7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level	4,63,532 [4,50,987 individual and 12,545 community]
	8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC	4,61,864
	9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC and sending to DLC	4,57,826
	10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title	1,78,502
	11) Number of titles distributed	1,70,910 distributed and 7,592 title deeds are ready for distribution.
	12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres)	6,45,737.65
	13) No. of claims rejected	2,78,846 (ST-45.34%) (OTD-98.44%)
	14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds	31.10.2012
	15) Problems/Remarks:	Not reported

Maharashtra	Appointment of a Nodal officer	Yes
	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	Yes
	7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level	3,44,330 (3,39,289 individual and 5,041 community)
	8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC	2,93,133 (2,88,950 individual and 4,183 community)
	9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC	1,13,663 (1,11,751 individual and 1912 community)
	10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title	1,05,930 (1,04,274 individual and 1,656 community)
	11) Number of titles distributed	99,368 (98,335 individual and 1033 community)
	12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres)	6,35,915.57 2,58,139.32 individual and 3,77,776.25 community)

	13) No. of claims rejected	2,34,242 (2,32,111 individual and 2,131 community)
	14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds	June 2010 (over)
	15) Problems/Remarks:	-
	Large number of false claimants have filed claims.	
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. Problems/ Remarks:	NO RESPONSE
	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.	
Meghalaya	Appointment of a Nodal officer	Yes
	Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC (b) DLC	Monitoring Committees at District and Sub-
	(c)SLMC	Divisional levels have been set up. The SLMC has been constituted.
	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	-
	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) Problems/Remarks:s	
	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) Yes (b) Yes
	(a) SDLC (b) DLC (c)SLMC	(c) Yes
	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.
	15) Problems/Remarks:	
	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.	
Nagaland	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.	
	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	
Orissa	1) Appointment of a Nodal officer	Yes
	2) Status of formation of various Committees	(a) Yes (b) Yes
	(a) SDLC (b) DLC (c) SLMC	(c) Yes
	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	Yes
	7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level	5,32,464 (5,29,160 individual and 3,304 community)
	8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC	4,12,458 (4,11,008 individual and 1,450 community)

	9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC	3,17,995 (3,16,994 individual and 1001 community)
	10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title	3,09,564 (3,08,662 individual and 902 community)
	11) Number of titles distributed	3,01,200 (3,00,321 individual and 879 community)
	12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres)	5,39,277.45 (4,84,025.80 individual and 55,251.65 community)
	13) No. of claims rejected	1,31,970 (1,31,361 individual and 609 community)
	14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds	NOT GIVEN
	15) Problems/Remarks:	-
	Certain forest land in the State is unsurveyed & detailed maps/records are not available;	
Rajasthan	1) Appointment of a Nodal officer	Yes
	2) Status of formation of various Committees	(a) Yes (b) Yes
	(a) SDLC (b) DLC (c)SLMC	(c) Yes
	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	Yes
	7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level	64,422 (64,076 individual and 346 community)
	8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC	43,229 (43,172 individual and 57 community)

	9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC	32,512
	10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title	32,007
	11) Number of titles distributed	32,080 (32,027 individual and 53 community)
	12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres)	48,773.54 (48,354.01 individual and 4,19.53 community)
	13) No. of claims rejected	30,914
	14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds	-
	15) Problems/Remarks:	Not reported.
Sikkim	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. Problems/ Remarks: 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.	
Tamil Nadu	Appointment of a Nodal officer	Yes
	2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC	Yes
	(b) DLC	Yes
	(c)SLMC	Yes
	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
	5) Arrangements made for the training of PRI officials, SDLC, DLC members	-

	6) Constitution of Forest Rights Committees by the Gram Sabhas	Work of 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 deeds	31-12-2009 (over)
	15) Problems/Remarks:	
	Title deeds would be distributed after the vacation of restrictive order of Madras High Court.	
	As the High Court of Madras has not yet vacated the stay, distribution of titles deeds could not be executed. In fact, High Court of Madras have now passed orders on 22.4.2010 in W.P. No. 4533 of 2008, 2762 and 2839 of 2009 and M.P. Nos. 1 & 3/08 & M.P. No. 1/2009 in W.P. No. 2762/09 and formed a Committee to verify the correctness of beneficiaries numbering 2312 by visiting the districts.	
Tripura	Appointment of a Nodal officer	Yes
	2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC	Yes
	(b) DLC	Yes
	(c)SLMC	Yes

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	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	1,82,617 (1,82,340 individual and 277 community)
8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC	1,49,008 (1,48,906 individual and 102 community)
9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC	1,32,472 (1,32,376 individual and 96 community)
10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title	1,20,473 (1,20,418 individual and 55 community)
11) Number of titles distributed	1,20,473 (1,20,418 individual and 55 community)
12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres)	4,16,555.58 (4,16,498.79 individual and 56.79 community) for 1,16,100 titles
13) No. of claims rejected	21,384 (21,164 individual and 220 Community)
14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds	Not Given
15) Problems/Remarks:	Not reported.

Uttar Pradesh	1) Appointment of a Nodal officer	Yes
	2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC	43
	(b) DLC	17
	(c)SLMC	01
	Translation of the Act and the Rules into the regional languages and distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc.	No need
	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	1107
	7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level	92,433 (91,298 individual and 1,135 community)
	8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC	19,064 (18,208 individual and 856 community)
	9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC	17,705
	10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title	17,705
	11) Number of titles distributed	17,705 (16,891 individual and 814 community)
	12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres)	1,39,778.04
	13) No. of claims rejected	73,028 (72,754 individual and 274 community)
	14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds	31.08.2012
	15) Problems/Remarks:	Not reported.
Uttarakhand	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.	-
	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)
	15) Problems/Remarks:	
	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.	
West Bengal	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	Yes			
	distribution to Gram Sabha, FRCs etc.	103			
	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	2,819 FRCs have been constituted			
	7) No. of claims filed at Gram Sabha level	1,37,278			
	8) No. of claims recommended by Gram Sabha to SDLC	45,420			
	9) No. of claims recommended by SDLC to DLC				
	10) No. of claims approved by DLC for title	32,725			
	11) Number of titles distributed	29,532 distributed (29,424 individual and 108 community) and 3,288 ready			
	12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres)	16,557.76			
	13) No. of claims rejected	78,627			
	14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds	State Govt. requires more time for completion of the process.			
	15) Problems/Remarks:				
	The State Government has informed that most of the claims have been filed in four districts namely Paschim Medinipur, Bankura, Purulia & Jalpaiguri. Due to law and order problem in these districts, the progress is very slow. Hence, more time is required for completion of the process.				
A & N Islands	1) Appointment of a Nodal officer	Yes			

2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC	Yes
(b) DLC	Yes
(c)SLMC	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	-
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						
Damar 0 Div	reserved or protected forest reserve.	. V					
Daman & Diu	Appointment of a Nodal officer	Yes					
	Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC	02					
	(b) DLC						
	(c)SLMC	01					
	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	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						
	11) Number of titles distributed						
	12) Extent of forest land for which title deeds issued (in acres)						
	13) No. of claims rejected	Nil					
	14) Projected date for distribution of title deeds	Not Given					

	15) Problem / Remarks :					
	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.					
Dadra & Nagar Haveli	1) Appointment of a Nodal officer	Yes				
Haven	2) Status of formation of various Committees (a) SDLC	Yes				
	(b) DLC	Yes				
	(c)SLMC	Yes				
	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	-				
	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) Problems/Remarks: 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.	

Annexure-II

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

SI. No	State	Total number of claims received up to 30.09.2012	Claims received during the current month	Total number of claims received up to 31.10.2012	Total number of titles deeds distributed/ ready up to 30.09.2012	Title deeds distribute d/ ready during the current month	Total number of titles deeds distributed/ ready up to 31.10.2012
1.	Andhra Pradesh	3,30,479 (3,23,765 individual and 6,714 community	-	3,30,479 (3,23,765 individual and 6,714 community	1,67,797 (1,65,691 individual and 2,106 community)	-	1,67,797 (1,65,691 individual and 2,106 community)
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	-	-	-	-	-	-
3.	Assam	1,31,911 (1,26,718 individual and 5,193 community)	-	1,31,911 (1,26,718 individual and 5,193 community)	36,267 (35,407 individual and 860 community)	-	36,267 (35,407 individual and 860 community)
4.	Bihar	2,930	-	2,930	28	-	28
5.	Chhattisgarh	4,92,068 (4,87,332 individual and 4,736 community)	-	4,92,068 (4,87,332 individual and 4,736 community)	2,15,443 (2,14,668 individual and 775 community)	-	2,15,443 (2,14,668 individual and 775 community)
6.	Goa	-	-	-	-	-	-
7.	Gujarat	1,91,592 (1,82,869 individual and 8,723 community)	-	1,91,592 (1,82,869 individual and 8,723 community)	40,029 (38,421 individual and 1,608 community)	-	40,029 (38,421 individual and 1,608 community)

SI. No	State	Total number of claims received up to 30.09.2012	Claims received during the current month	Total number of claims received up to 31.10.2012	Total number of titles deeds distributed/ ready up to 30.09.2012	Title deeds distribute d/ ready during the current month	Total number of titles deeds distributed/ ready up to 31.10.2012
8.	Himachal Pradesh	5,688	-	5,688	7	-	7
9.	Jharkhand	42,003	-	42,003	15,296	-	15,296
10.	Karnataka	1,63,320 (1,60,403 individual and 2,917 community)	-	1,63,320 (1,60,403 individual and 2,917 community)	6,288 (6,235 individual and 53 community)	-	6,288 (6,235 individual and 53 community)
11.	Kerala	37,509 (36,140 individual and 1,369 community)	-	37,509 (36,140 individual and 1,369 community)	23,147 (23,143 individual and 4 community)	-	23,147 (23,143 individual and 4 community)
12.	Madhya Pradesh	4,58,071 (4,48,600 individual and 9.471 community)	5,461	4,63,532 (4,50,987 individual and 12,545 community)	1,67,416 distributed and 7,237 ready	3494	1,70,910 distributed and 7,592 ready
13.	Maharashtra	3,44,330 (3,39,289 individual and 5,041 community)	-	3,44,330 (3,39,289 individual and 5,041 community)	99,368 (98,335 individual and 1,033 community)	-	99,368 (98,335 individual and 1,033 community)
14.	Manipur	-	-	-	-	-	-
15.	Meghalaya	-	-	-	-	-	-
16.	Mizoram	-	-	-	-	-	-
17.	Orissa	5,32,464 (5,29,160 individual and 3,304 community)	-	5,32,464 (5,29,160 individual and 3,304 community)	3,01,200 distributed (3,00,321 individual and 879 community)	-	3,01,200 distributed (3,00,321 individual and 879 community)

SI. No	State	Total number of claims received up to 30.09.2012	Claims received during the current month	Total number of claims received up to 31.10.2012	Total number of titles deeds distributed/ ready up to 30.09.2012	Title deeds distribute d/ ready during the current month	Total number of titles deeds distributed/ ready up to 31.10.2012
18.	Rajasthan	64,422 (64,076 individual and 346 community)	-	64,422 (64,076 individual and 346 community)	32,080(32,0 27 individual and 53 community)	-	32,080(32,027 individual and 53 community)
19.	Sikkim	-	-	-	-	-	-
20.	Tamil Nadu	21,781 (18,420 individual and 3,361 community)	-	21,781 (18,420 individual and 3,361 community)	3,723 ready#	-	3,723 ready#
21.	Tripura	1,82,617 (1,82,340 individual and 277 community)	-	1,82,617 (1,82,340 individual and 277 community)	1,20,473 (1,20,418 individual and 55 community)	-	1,20,473 (1,20,418 individual and 55 community)
22.	Uttar Pradesh	92,433 (91,298 individual and 1,135 community)	-	92,433 (91,298 individual and 1,135 community)	17,705 distributed (16,891 individual and 814 community)	-	17,705 distributed (16,891 individual and 814 community)
23.	Uttarakhand	182	-	182	-	-	-
24.	West Bengal	1,37,278 (1,29,454 individual and 7,824 community)	-	1,37,278 (1,29,454 individual and 7,824 community)	29,532 (29,424 individual and 108 community) and 3,288 ready for distribution	_	29,532 (29,424 individual and 108 community) and 3,288 ready for distribution
25.	A & N Islands	-		-	-		-
26.	Daman & Diu	-		-	-		-
27.	Dadra &	-		-	-		-

SI. No	State	Total number of claims received up to 30.09.2012	Claims received during the current month	Total number of claims received up to 31.10.2012	Total number of titles deeds distributed/ ready up to 30.09.2012	Title deeds distribute d/ ready during the current month	Total number of titles deeds distributed/ ready up to 31.10.2012
	Nagar Haveli						
	Total	32,31,078 (31,70,667 individual and 60,411 community)	5,461	32,36,539 (31,73,054 individual and 63,485 community)	12,72,076 (12,63,728 individual and 8,348 community) and 14,248 ready.	3,494	12,75,570 (12,67,222 individual and 8,348 community) and 14,603 ready.

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

SI. No.	States	No. of Claims received	No. of Titles Distributed	No. of Claims Rejected	Total No. of Claims Disposed off / % respect of claims received
1.	Andhra Pradesh	3,30,479 (3,23,765 individual and 6,714 community)	1,67,797 (1,65,691 individual and 2,106 community)	1,53,438	3,21,235
					(97.20%)
2.	Arunachal Pradesh	-	-	-	-
3.	Assam	1,31,911 (1,26,718 individual and 5,193 community)	36,267 (35,407 individual and 860 community)	37,669	73,936 (56.04%)
4.	Bihar	2,930	28	1,644	1,672 (57.06%)
5.	Chhattisgarh	4,92,068 (4,87,332 individual and 4,736 community)	2,15,443 (2,14,668 individual and 775 community)	2,72,664	4,88,107 (99.19%)
6.	Goa	-	-	-	-

SI. No.	States	No. of Claims received	No. of Titles Distributed	No. of Claims Rejected	Total No. of Claims Disposed off / % respect of claims received
7.	Gujarat	1,91,592 (1,82,869 individual and 8,723 community)	40,029 (38,421 individual and 1,608 community)	19,613(14,573 individual and 5,040 community)	59,642 (31.12%)
8.	Himachal Pradesh	5,688	7	2,144	2,151 (37.81%)
9.	Jharkhand	42,003	15,296	16,958	32,254 (76.78%)
10.	Karnataka	1,63,320 (1,60,403 individual and 2,917 community)	6,288(6,235 individual and 53 community)	1,55,417 (1,53,265 individual and 2152 community)	1,61,705 (99.01%)
11.	Kerala	37,509 (36,140 individual and 1,369 community)	23,147 (23,143 individual and 4 community	4252	27,399 (73.04%)
12.	Madhya Pradesh	4,63,532 (4,50,987 individual and 12,545 community)	1,70,910 distributed and 7,592 title deeds are ready to be distribution	2,78,846	4,49,756 (97.02%)
13.	Maharashtra	3,44,330 (3,39,289 individual and 5,041 community)	99,368 (98,335 individual and 1,033 community)	2,34,242 (2,32,111 individual and 2,131 community)	3,33,610 (96.88%)
14.	Manipur	-	-	-	-
15.	Meghalaya	-	-	-	-
16.	Mizoram	-	-	-	-
17.	Orissa	5,32,464 (5,29,160 individual and 3,304 community)	3,01,200 distributed (3,00,321 individual and 879 community)	1,31,970 (1,31,361 individual and 609 community)	4,33,170 (81.35%)
18.	Rajasthan	64,422 (64,076 individual and 346 community)	32,080 (32,027 individual and 53 community)	30,914	62,994 (97.78%)

SI. No.	States	No. of Claims received	No. of Titles Distributed	No. of Claims Rejected	Total No. of Claims Disposed off / % respect of claims received
19.	Sikkim	-	-	-	-
20.	Tamil Nadu	21,781 (18,420 individual and 3,361 community)	(3,723 titles are ready)	-	-
21.	Tripura	1,82,617 (1,82,340 individual and 277 community)	1,20,473 (1,20,418 individual and 55 community)	21,384 (21,164 individual and 220 community)	1,41,857 (77.68%)
22.	Uttar Pradesh	92,433 (91,298 Individual and 1,135 community)	17,705 (16,891 individual and 814 community)	73,028	90,733
					(98.16%)
23.	Uttarakhand	182	-	1	(0.54 %)
24.	West Bengal	1,37,278 (1,29,454 individual and 7,824 community)	29,532 (29,424 individual and 108 community) and 3,288 titles are ready	78,627	1,08,159
25.	A & N Islands	-	-	-	-
26.	Daman & Diu	-	-	-	-
27.	Dadra & Nagar Haveli	-	-	-	-
	Total	32,36,539 (31,73,054 individual and 63,485 community)	12,75,570 distributed and 14,603 ready	15,12,811	27,88,381 (86.15%)

(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

SI. No.	Total number of claims received deeds distributed/ready		% of titles distributed over number of claims received		
1	Tripura	1,82,617	1,20,473 distributed	65.97%	
2	Kerala	37,509	23,147 distributed	61.71%	
3	Orissa	5,32,464	3,01,200 56.56%		
4	Andhra Pradesh	3,30,479	1,67,797 distributed 50.77 %		
5	Rajasthan	64,422	32,080 distributed	49.79%	
6	Chhattisgarh	4,92,068	2,15,443 distributed	43.78%	
7	Madhya Pradesh	4,63,532	1,70,910 distributed and 7,592 ready	36.87%	
8	Jharkhand	42,003	15,296 distributed	36.41%	
9	Maharashtra	3,44,330	99,368 distributed	28.85%	
10	Assam	1,31,911	36,267 distributed	27.49 %	
11	West Bengal	1,37,278	29,532 distributed and 3,288 ready	21.51%	
12	Gujarat	1,91,592	40,029 distributed	20.89%	
13	Uttar Pradesh	92,433	17,705 distributed	19.15%	

SI. No.	State	Total number of claims received	Total number of titles deeds distributed/ ready	% of titles distributed over number of claims received	
14	Karnataka	1,63,320	6,288	3.85%	
15	Bihar	2,930	28	0.95 %	
16	Himachal Pradesh	5,688	7	0.12%	
17	Tamil Nadu#	21,781	3,723 ready#	0.00%	
18	Uttarakhand	182	Nil	0.00%	
19	Arunachal Pradesh*	-	-	-	
20	Goa*	-	-	-	
21	Manipur*	-	-	-	
22	Meghalaya*	-	-	-	
23	Mizoram*	-	-	-	
24	Sikkim*	-	-	-	
25	A & N Islands*	-	-	-	
26	Daman & Diu*	-	-	-	
27	Dadra &				
	Nagar	-	-	-	
	Haveli*				
	Total	32,36,539	12,75,570 distributed and 14,603 ready	39.41%	

^{*} No claims received.

[#] High Court's restrictive order.

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) affected States

S.No.	State	No. of Claims received	No. of titles distributed	No. of claims rejected	Total No of Claims Disposed & %age of disposal
1.	Andhra Pradesh	3,30,479 (3,23,765 individual and 6,714 community)	1,67,797 (1,65,691 individual and 2,106 community)	1,53,438	3,21,235 (97.20%)
2.	Bihar	2,930	28	1,644	1,672 (57.06%)
3.	Chhattisgarh	4,92,068 (4,87,332 individual and 4,736 community)	2,15,443 (2,14,668 individual and 775 community)	2,72,664	4, 88,107 (99.19%)
4.	Jharkhand	42,003	15,296	16,958	32,254 (76.78%)
5.	Madhya Pradesh	4,63,532 (4,50,987 individual and 12,545 community)	1,70,910 and 7,592 ready	2,78,846	4,49,756 (97.02%)
6.	Maharashtra	3,44,330 (3,39,289 individual and 5,041 community)	99,368 (98,335 individual and 1,033 community)	2,34,242 (2,32,111 individual and 2,131 community)	3,33,610 (96.88%)
7.	Orissa	5,32,464 (5,29,160 individual and 3,304 community)	3,01,200 (3,00,321 individual and 879 community)	1,31,970 (1,31,361 individual and 609 community)	4,33,170 (81.35%)
8.	Uttar Pradesh	92,433 (91,298 individual and 1,135 community)	17,705 (16,891 individual and 814 community)	73,028	90,733 (98.16%)
9.	West Bengal	1,37,278 (1,29,454 individual and 7,824 community)	29,532 (29,424 individual and 3,288 community)	78,627	1,08,159 (78.78%)
Total		24,37,517 (23,96,218 individual and 41,299	10,17,279 (10,11,564 individual and 5,715 community)	12,41,417 (12,38,677 individual and 2,740	22,58,696 (92.66%)

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

(As on 31.10 .2012)

(A) List of States Not Entering Committee Data:

- 1. ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ISLANDS
- 2. ARUNACHAL PRADESH
- 3. DAMAN AND DIU
- 4. GOA
- 5. GUJARAT
- 6. MEGHALAYA
- 7. TAMIL NADU
- 8. UTTARAKHAND
- 9. UTTAR PRADESH

(B) List of States Not Entering Claim Data:

- 1. # ANDAMAN AND NICOBAR ISLANDS
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- 3. DADRA AND NAGAR HAVELI
- 4. DAMAN AND DIU
- 5. GOA
- 6. GUJARAT
- 7. MIZORAM
- 8. MANIPUR
- 9. MEGHALAYA
- 10. SIKKIM
- 11. TAMIL NADU
- 12. UTTARAKHAND
- 13. UTTAR PRADESH
- # Only Forest Dwelling Scheduled Tribes.

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

- 1. ARUNACHAL PRADESH
- 2. GOA
- 3. MANIPUR
- MEGHALAYA
- 5. MIZORAM
- 6. SIKKIM
- 7. TAMIL NADU (because of High Court's restrictive order)
- 8. UTTARAKHAND
- 9. DAMAN & DIU
- 10. DADRA & NAGAR HAVELI

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