GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA REVENUE AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT

No. RDM-LAA-CLRFIC-0004-2017 - 7016 /R&DM dated 22 FEB 2018

From

Dr. Chandra Shekhar Kumar, IAS Principal Secretary to Government

To

All Collectors
All Spl. LAOs/ LAOs

Sub: Clarification on delegation of powers and functions of Appropriate Government under the RFCTLAR&R Act, 2013 in favour of Collectors.

Madam / Sir,

In inviting a reference to the subject mention above, I am directed to say that DoWR had requested to clarify as to whether the delegation of power to Collectors with area limitation up to one thousand acres in a district relates to the project coming up within the District or it relates to one notification, where village is the unit.

In this connection, it is clarified that as the limit of 1000 acres within one village is not feasible, the limit of 1000 acres is for the entire District for one project only. This may be in multiple notifications, if more than one village in the same district is concerned.

However, if the project involves more than 1000 acres, while submitting the proposal, the project proponent has to furnish the copy of the approval of the project which reflects the total requirement of lands for the project within the District along with name of villages and area involved for land acquisition. The project proponent has to furnish a certificate to the effect that " this project involves land acquisition of _____acres (more than 1000 acres) within ______ District." While forwarding the same to Government for Notification u/s 11(1) of the Act, Collector has to be satisfied and recommend to this Department furnishing a similar certificate.

Necessary follow up action may be taken up accordingly.

This may be brought to the notice of all concerned.

Yours faithfully,

Principal Secretary to Government

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Joint Secretary to Government

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Joint Secretary to Government

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Joint Sechetary to Government