

**The Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers**  
**(Recognition of Forest Rights) Act 2006 and Rules 2008**

**Meeting organized for passing Resolution on Individual/Community Forest Rights**

Claim Application no. \_\_\_\_\_

**Resolution of the Gram sabha**

**“For Community Forest Rights Claims”**

(Please attach additional pages if required)

Today i.e. on date-----, meeting of the Gram Sabha of -----  
-----village is convened to discuss and pass appropriate resolution on the  
report of findings of Forest rights Committee of-----village, -----  
--Taluka in respect of Individual/ community forest Rights. The proceedings are as under:

1. First it was ensured that the Coram as required under the Act is complete. The total number of adult members in the village being-----, the number present is -----.
2. A total of -----claims are put up before the Gram Sabha for consideration and resolution.
3. In order to help the process of an early and fair decision in the matter, the member secretary of the Forest Rights Committee Shri/Smt.-----, at the beginning of the meeting, explained the provisions of the Act.
4. The findings in respect of Forest Rights Claim submitted by the Forest Rights Committee under Rule 11(2)(v) were examined step by step, the issues raised by all stakeholders were heard and discussed, representations were considered, and Resolution passed as under:

(i) Claim Application No.:

(ii) Name of the Claimants/ Community:

(iii) Nature of Claim: (as applicable)

	Nature of Community Rights Enjoyed	Compt./ Survey No.	Area	Amount/year
*	Community rights such as nistar, if any: (See Section 3(1)(b) of the Act)			
*	Rights over minor forest produce, if any: (See Section 3(1)(c) of the Act)			
*	Community rights a. uses or entitlements (fish, water bodies), if any:			
*	b. Grazing, if any:			
*	c. Traditional resource access for nomadic and pastoralist, if any: (See Section 3(1)(g) of the Act)			

*	Community tenures of habitat and habitation for PTGs and pre-agricultural communities, if any: (See Section 3(1)(e) of the Act)			
*	Right to access biodiversity, intellectual property and traditional knowledge, if any: (See Section 3 (1)(k) of the Act)			
Other traditional right, if any: (See Section 3(1)(l) of the Act)		Detailed information is appended separately or not.		

(iv) The claimant has submitted the following proof/evidences in support of the claim:

- (i)
- (ii)
- (iii)
- (iv)
- (v)

**Open Hearing and Scrutiny:**

1. **About Eligibility of the Claimant:** The findings of the Forest Rights Committee were read out in the Gram Sabha. The details in the point nos. 3(A)(1),(2),(3) for the Forest Dwelling Scheduled Tribes community and point nos. 3(B)(1)(2)(3) for the Other traditional forest dwellers community were read out to the Sabha, documents submitted for eligibility were openly discussed and submissions/objections of others/ stakeholders indicated below were considered.

- Shri----- (Claimants community)
- Shri-----
- Shri-----
- Shri-----

S.No.	Details of Objection	Gram Sabha's decision



All aspects having been discussed in detail, the following Resolution is passed:

Resolution of The Gram Sabha

Considering the details in the claim application, findings of the Forest Rights Committee in regard to the eligibility of claimant community and taking into consideration the submissions/ objections of others/stakeholders, the Gram Sabha passes the following Resolution: (Delete that which is not applicable)

*The Gram Sabha fully agrees with the findings of the Forest Rights Committee regarding eligibility of the Claimants/ community for the following reasons and the Claimant community is eligible/not eligible for grant of Forest rights under the abovementioned Act.*

*Or*

*The Gram Sabha disagrees with the findings of the Forest Rights Committee regarding eligibility of the Claimants/ community for the following reasons and the Claimant community is eligible/not eligible for grant of Forest rights under the abovementioned Act.*

*(Record below the reasons for the passing of above Resolution)*

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## 2.About Forest Rights of the eligible claimant community:

1. The findings of the Forest Rights Committee were read out in the Gram Sabha. The details in the point nos. 4(A) were read out to the Sabha, documents and evidences submitted were openly discussed and scrutinized.
2. The details in the point nos. 4(B)(1),(2),(3),(4),(5) for were read out to the Gram Sabha, documents and evidences submitted for the Forest Rights were openly discussed and scrutinized and submissions/objections of others/ stakeholders indicated below were considered.

- Shri------(Claimant community)
- Shri-----
- Shri-----
- Shri-----

S.No.	Details of Submissions/ Objection	Gram sabha's decision

All aspects having been discussed in detail, the following Resolution is passed:

Resolution of The Gram Sabha

Considering the details in the claim application, findings of the Forest Rights Committee in regard to the eligibility of claimants/community and taking into consideration the submissions/ objections of others/stakeholders, the Gram Sabha passes the following Resolution: (Delete that which is not applicable)

*The Forest Right claimed is admissible to the Claimants/community as per reasons given below. This Resolution be forwarded to the Sub Divisional Committee.*

**Or**

*The Forest Right claimed is not admissible to the Claimants/community as per reasons given below. This Resolution be forwarded to the Sub Divisional Committee.*

**Or**

*The Forest Right claimed is partly admissible to the Claimants/community as per reasons given below. This Resolution be forwarded to the Sub Divisional Committee.*

(Please mention below the reasons for agreement/ disagreement with the findings of the Forest Rights Committee and also for the above selected Resolution)



