



राष्ट्रीय अनुसूचित जनजाति आयोग
National Commission for Scheduled Tribes

(भारत के संविधान के अनुच्छेद 338क के अंतर्गत दीवानी न्यायालय की शक्तियों को प्रयोग करने वाला एक संवैधानिक निकाय)
(A Constitutional body exercising powers of a Civil Court under Article 338A of the Constitution of India)

NOTICE

F. No. NCST/DEV-1886/OR/45/2023-ESDW

Dated: 27.06.2023

To,

Dr.Gavali Parag Harshad,
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District Sundargarh,
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Sub: Representation dated 24.04.2023 of Smt. Basanti Munda, Sarpanch, Bhutuda Gram Panchayat Office, AT-PO-Bhutuda, District-Sundargarh, Odisha - 770041 regarding felling of trees from the traditional community forest of the Bhutuda village and destroying the habitat without seeking the approval of the Gram Sabha and not following due process of law.

Whereas a petition/complaint/information has been received by this Commission from **Smt. Basanti Munda dated 24.04.2023** as enclosed and the Commission has decided to investigate/inquire into the matter in pursuance of the powers conferred upon it under Article 338A of the Constitution of India. You are hereby requested to submit the facts and information on the action taken on the allegations/matters to the undersigned **within 15 days** of receipt of this notice either by post or in person or by any other means of Communication.

Please take notice that in case the Commission does not receive reply from you within the stipulated time, the Commission may exercise the powers of Civil Court conferred on it under of Article 338A of the Constitution of India and issue summons for your appearance in person or by a representative before the Commission.

Encl: As above


(H.R. Meena)
Research Officer

Copy for information to:-

1. **Smt. Basanti Munda,**
Sarpanch,
Bhutuda Gram Panchayat Office,
AT-PO-Bhutuda, District-Sundargarh,
Odisha - 770041
3. ✓ NIC Cell for upload in NCST Website.