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Government of India
Ministry of Rural Development
Department of Rural Department
(Mahatma Gandhi NREGA Division)
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Krishi Bhawan, New Delhi
Dated: 07.01.2014

To:

The Principal Secretary/Secretary,
(In-charge MGNREGA),
All States/UTs.

Sub: Additional 50 days of wage employment for the Scheduled Tribes MGNREGA worker households living in forest areas.

Sir/Madam,

This is in reference to a proposal received from Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Government of India seeking enhancement of the present limit of providing wage employment up to 150 days per Scheduled Tribe household who have been provided land rights under the Forest Rights Act, 2006.

2. The Ministry has examined the proposal and decided to increase the central funding for securing up to an additional 50 days of wage employment beyond the stipulated 100 days per Scheduled Tribe households living in the forest areas, provided that these households have no other private property except for the land rights provided under the Forest Rights Act, 2006.

3. All States/UTs are requested to comply with the above decision.

Yours faithfully,

(R. SUBRAHMANYUM)
Joint Secretary(mgnrega)
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1. PPS to JS RE-I and JS (RE-II).
2. All Directors/ Deputy Secretary/Under Secretaries/Assistant Commissioner, MGNREGA.
3. Dr. Sadhana Rout, Joint Secretary, Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.
4. Consultant (Sh. Ashutosh Saxena) with a request to upload on the website.