**Annexure 1**

**Levy of fee on access of biological resources**

**FORM I**

**( See Rule 18 )**

**Application form for access to or collection of biological resources for research or commercial utilisation and associated traditional knowledge**

**Part A**

1. Full particulars of the applicant
2. Name :
3. Permanent address:
4. Address of the contact person or agent, if any, in India :
5. Profile of the applicant (personal profile in case the applicant is an individual). Please attach relevant documents of authentication:
6. Nature of business :
7. Turnover of the applicant in Indian Rupees
8. Details and specific information about nature and access sought and biological material and/ or associated knowledge to be accessed:
9. Identification ( Scientific name ) of biological resources and

its traditional use :

1. Geographical location ( including village , block , and district ) of

proposed collection :

1. Description/nature of traditional knowledge and its existing

manifestation and uses ( oral/documented ):

1. Any identified individual/family/community holding the traditional knowledge :
2. Quantity of biological resources to be collected :
3. Time span in which the biological resources are proposed to be collected :
4. Name and number of person(s) authorised by the applicant for making the collection :
5. The propose for which the access is requested including the type and extend of research, commercial use being derived and expected to be derived from it :
6. Whether any collection or use of the resource endangers any component of biological diversity and the risk which may arise from the access:
7. Whether any prior art search done and the result :
8. Estimated of benefits that would flow to communities arising out of the use of accessed bio resources band traditional knowledge :
9. Proposed mechanism and arrangements for benefit sharing :
10. Any other information :

**Part “B”**

**Declaration**

I/We declare that :

* Collection and use of proposed biological resources shall not adversely affect the sustainability of the resources ;
* Collection and use of proposed biological resources shall not entail any adverse environmental impact ;
* Collection and use of proposed biological resources shall not pose any risk to biodiversity, including ecosystems, species, and genetic diversity;
* Collection and use of proposed biological resources shall not adversely affect the local communities,

I/We undertake to pay and fee and/or royalty, as may be levied by the Board or Biodiversity Management Committees. I/ We further undertake to furnish any irrevocable bank guarantee, as may be prescribed by the Board.

I/We further declare the information provided in the application form is true and correct and I/We shall be responsible for any incorrect/wrong information.

Signed:

Name:

Title:

Place:

Date: