

## **PART-V**

(To be filled in by the Secretary in charge of Forest Department or any other authorized officer of the State Government not below the rank of an Under Secretary)

### **16. Recommendation of the State Government**

(Adverse comments made by any officer or authority in Part-B or Part-C or Part-D above should be specifically commented upon)

**The proposal for diversion of 452.705 ha of forest land (47.362 ha in Jeypore Forest Division + 405.343 ha in Malkangiri Forest Division) for construction of Jeypore-Malkangiri New Railway Line under Jeypore Forest Division of Koraput District and Malkangiri Forest Division of Malkangiri District, Odisha by Deputy Chief Engineer (Con), East Coast Railway, Koraput under Section-2 (ii) of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 is recommended.**

Date: 05.01.2024

Place: Bhubaneswar

05/01/2024  
Signature  
Name & Designation  
(Official Seal)  
(Lingaraj Otta)  
OSD-cum-Special Secretary to Govt.  
Forest, Env. & CC Deptt.