

Part-IV

(To be filled in by the Nodal Officer or Principal Chief Conservator of Forests or Head of Forest Department)

Detailed opinion and specific recommendation of the State Forest Department for acceptance or otherwise of the proposal with remarks.

(While giving opinion, the adverse comments made by concerned Conservator of Forests or Deputy Conservator of Forests should be categorically reviewed and critically commented upon)

Recommended for diversion of 160.838 ha of non-forest land recorded as 'Forest' as on 25.10.1980 involved in the mining lease area over 403.3238 ha of Katamati Iron Ore Mines of M/s Tata Steel Ltd in Keonjhar District, Odisha in the 3rd renewal of the mining lease, for approval under Section-2(ii) of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 subject to imposition of suitable penal measures as would be decided by the Ministry, Government of India.

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27.11.17

(S.C.Mishra)

Principal Chief Conservator of Forests

Principal C.C.F
Odisha, Bhubaneswar

Date- 27.11.2017
Place: Bhubaneswar