

Annexure- B

SUITABILITY CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the Degraded Forest Land identified in the following Reserve Forest Land and as per the effective area mentioned below which has been selected for Compensatory Afforestation against diversion of 134.69 Ha of forest land for Kulda Expansion OCP; Coal Mining Project of M/s MCL are suitable for Afforestation and will be used for the purpose of Compensatory Afforestation:-

Name of Reserve Forest	Legal status	AREA (in Ha)	Effective area in Ha.
Gopalpur Forest Range			
Pandripani R.F.	Reserve Forest /p	64.10	56.30
Sidarmunda R.F.	Reserve Forest /p	53.56	53.56
Punjipahar R.F.	Reserve Forest /p	131.54	121.00
Panikholia R.F.	Reserve Forest /p	56.39	56.10
TOTAL		305.59	286.96


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