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 12.728 ha of forest land for laying of Tailing and

water pipelines, Power and communication cables from Beneficiation plant at

Dubuna under Barbil Tahasil to proposed tailing pond site at village Sankari

under Bansapal of Keonjhar District by M/s Arcelor Mittal Nippon Steel India

Ltd. (Formerly known as M/s Essar Steel India Ltd.) under Section-2 (ii) of the

Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 is recommended.

Signature 16 | X

Name & Designation (Official Seal)

(Shri Susanta Nanda)

Director, Environment-cum Special Secretary to Govt. Forest & Environment Deptt.

Date: 16.11.2021

Place: Bhubaneswar