## Inspection Note

Undersigned inspected the site for Raniganj CBM Project submitted by M/S Essar Oil Ltd on 19.06.2015. Total Forest Area to be diverted is 13.53 ha.

There are two types of requirements-

- 1. For laying of pipe line (8.92 ha): technical reasons have been sited that pipelines need to be connected in a particular manner and therefore after thorough inspection of DFO Burdwan and DFO Durgapur, minimum forest area is selected considering availability of alternate land possibilities.
- 2. For use of road (4.61 ha): For connecting pipelines, carriage of material is required and therefore requirement of road is justified.

The Case is recommended for approval.

(Rajesh Kumar, IFS) Chief Conservator of Forests, South East Circle.

Date:- 19.06.15 Place:- Kolkata

Chief Conservator of Forests South-East Circle, West Bengal