

SITE INSPECTION REPORT

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1	NAME OF THE PROJECT	Kaliapani Chromite Mines of M/s Balasore Alloys Ltd.
2	NAME OF THE DISTRICT/ DIVISION	JAIPUR DISTRICT/ CUTTACK FOREST DIVISION
3	DATE OF INSPECTION	27.04.2016
4	NAME & DESIGNATION OF INSPECTING OFFICER	Sri Sudarsan Behera, O.F.S.-I (S.B) Divisional Forest Officer, Cuttack Forest Division
5	NAME & DESIGNATION OF OTHER OFFICERS - WHO ATTEND THE INSPECTION INCLUDING THE USER AGENCY.	1. Sri Bachchan Kumar, President(Mines) 2. Sri. Ashok Ku. Pattnaik, Director(CC & HR) 3. Sri. B.K.Parida, Asst. General Manager (Mines) 4. Sri. S.K. Singh ,Mines Manager 5. Sri Soubhagya Sahoo, Range Officer, Sukinda Range
6	LEGAL STATUS OF FOREST LAND PROPOSED FOR DIVERSION.	Revenue Forest
7	THE AREA REQUIRED FOR DIVERSION HAS BEEN DEMARCATED ON THE GROUND.	The area required for diversion has been demarcated in the ground and the area has been broken up.
8	ITEM-WISE BREAK UP OF THE FOREST LAND PROPOSED FOR DIVERSION.	Revenue Forest 64.119 ha.
9	CONDITION OF VEGETATION AND TYPE OF FOREST IN APPLIED AREA.	Dry Deciduous Forest growth with mixed vegetation.
10	POSITION OF WILDLIFE IN GENERAL	Elephant, Pangolin, Mongoose, Rhesus Monkey, Squirrel, Porcupine Sloth Bear, Barking Deer, Wild Boar, Bengal Monitor Lizard, Common Cobra, Chameleon, Python, Common Krait, Vipers, , Rattle, Jungle Cat, Indian Fox, , Myna, Spotted Dove, Parrot, Cuckoo, Hyena, Wolf, Jungle Fowl, Peacock etc.
11	WHETHER THE APPLIED AREA IS INVOLVED WITH ANY ECO-SENSITIVE ZONE/ NATIONAL PARK/ SANCTUARY.	No
12	NO. OF TREES TO BE FELLED AND IT'S IMPACT ON THE ECO-SYSTEM	The entire M.L area has been broken up. There are 244 nos. of trees of different species and 400 numbers of poles under 30 cm girth have been enumerated. Some of the enumerated trees are planted by the user agency.
13	DETAILS OF BROKEN UP AREA AND RECLAMATION DONE, IF ANY (MINING CASES)	The entire applied area of 64.119 ha. is broken up revenue forest land and proposed for diversion.
14	POSITION OF DISPLACEMENT OF PEOPLE AND ADEQUACY OF REHABILITATION, IF ANY.	-Nil-
15	POSITION OF RARE & ENDANGERED SPECIES AVAILABLE & IMPORTANCE OF AREA FROM ECO-SOCIAL POINT OF VIEW.	Fauna – "Ratel, Sloth Beer, Elephant, King Cobra, Pangolin". Flora – "Sal, Piasal, Sisoo, Rai (Dillenia Pentagyna), Kumbhi (Careya arboria)".
16	NON FOREST LAND USED IN THE PROJECT AND NON-FOREST LAND SECLECTED FOR COMPENSATORY AFFORESTATION IF INCLUDED IN THE D.L.C. REPORT OR NOT.	Non-forest land 0.344 ha. used in the project and Govt. non-forest land of 63.949 ha. selected for Compensatory Afforestation has not been included in the DLC report.
17	SUITABILITY OF THE IDENTIFIED NON-FOREST LAND FOR COMPENSATORY AFFORESTATION.	The identified non-forest land of 63.949 ha is suitable for Compensatory Afforestation.
18	VIOLATION OF FOREST (CONSERVATION) ACT, 1980, IF ANY AND ACTION TAKEN THERE-ON.	No violation as per Forest (Conservation) Act 1980 has been noticed.


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