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)

20. 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 417.073 ha & Re-Diversion (Change of Land use) of 171.774 ha of forest land in respect of Integrated Lakhanpur-Belpahar-Lilari Opencast Project of Lakhanpur Area, Mahanadi Coalfields Ltd. in Jharsuguda District, Odisha under Section-2 (ii) of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 is recommended.

Signature Name & Designation (Official Seal) (Shri Susanta Nanda)

Date: 24.11.2021

Place: Bhubaneswar

Special Secretary to Govt.
Forest & Environment Deptt.