

Name of the Project - Modernization & Expansion of existing iron & steel plant located at Kulei, Dhenkanal to final capacity of Sponge Iron – 3,72,900 TPA, Billets (Mild & Alloy Steel) -2,70,000 TPA, Rolled Products – 2,70,000 TPA, Captive Power– 58 MW, Pellets – 8,00,000 TPA and Slag Cement – 4,16,000 TPA by M/s GM Iron & Steel Co, Ltd

Justification for locating the project in forest land and details of alternatives examined.

No alternate site has been considered for the proposed project. The selection of project site /location has been based on the following considerations :

1. The project is an old existing project established over Ac 52.430 by M/s RANA Steel Ltd at Kulei village in Dhenkanal district of Odisha which has been acquired by GM Iron and Steel Company Ltd through SARFAESI Act
2. For modernization and expansion of the old project, there is availability adequate land adjacent to it. Total area required for the expansion project is Ac 106.50, (94 Ac. Approved by IPICOL & 12.5 ac private non forest land to be accured.) out of which Ac 52.43 already exist.
3. Sources of supply of raw materials and their delivered cost.
4. Existence of rail and road connection in the vicinity for transportation of incoming raw materials and outgoing saleable products.


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