- 1. Proposal title: Proposal for non-forestry use of 417.073 ha & Re-diversion (Change of Land use) of 171.774 ha forest land in respect of Integrated Lakhanpur-Belpahar-Lilari Opencast Project of Lakhanpur area in district Jharsuguda in Odisha, Mahanadi Coalfields Limited.
- 2. Online ref no: FP/OR/MIN/39355/2019
- 3. Name of user agency: M/s Mahanadi Coalfields Limited
- 4. State: Odisha
- 5. Forest division/ District: Jharsuguda Forest Division, Jharsuguda District, Odisha
- 6. Total Forest land under diversion: Non-forestry use of 417.073 ha & Re-diversion (Change of Land use) of 171.774 ha forest land.
- 7. Legal status of the land: 339.176 ha Revenue Forest and 77.897 ha Reserved Forest for 417.073 ha and 146.787 ha Revenue forest and 24.987 ha Reserve Forest for 171.774 ha
- **8.** Whether it is a proposal for use of fresh forest land: **Yes**
- 9. Purpose of diversion (category): Mining
- 10. Compensatory Afforestation proposed: 417.073 ha Revenue Non-Forest land (Hudikissam) in Keonjhar District, BJP Forest Range, Keonjhar Forest Division has been identified for Compensatory Afforestation.
- 11. Whether recommended by State Government: Yes
- 12. Whether recommended by IRO (where applicable): Yes

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