

- 1. Proposal title: Proposal for seeking prior approval of the Central Government under Section 2 (ii) of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 in favour of M/s Bhusan Power & Steel Limited for non-forestry use of 112.621 ha of Forest land (including 1.808 ha earmarked for Safety Zone) in village Baldihi under Koira Tahasil and Koira Range of Bonai Forest Division of Sundargarh District within the block area of 139.223 ha in respect of Netrabandha Pahar Iron Ore Block in Odisha State (Online proposal no. FP/OR/MIN/26965/2017**
- 2. Name of user agency: M/s Bhusan Power and Steel Limited**
- 3. State: Odisha**
- 4. Forest division/ District: Bonai Forest Division, Sundergarh District, Odisha**
- 5. Total Forest land under diversion: 112.621 ha forest land.**
- 6. Legal status of the land: 48.346 ha PRF, 19.532 ha Revenue Forest and 44.743 ha DLC.**
- 7. Whether it is a proposal for use of fresh forest land: Yes**
- 8. Purpose of diversion (category): Mining**
- 9. Compensatory Afforestation proposed: Yes NFL.**
- 10. Whether recommended by State Government: Yes**
- 11. Whether recommended by IRO (where applicable): Yes**

Details of the proposal can be seen/accessed in the PARIVESH portal