- 1. Proposal title: Proposal for non-forestry use of 42.608 ha of forest land (16.658 ha in Keonjhar Forest Division and 25.950 ha in Bonai Forest Division) within Kalmang West (Northern Part) Block for Iron Ore Mines in Keonjhar and Sundargarh District of Odisha, allotted to M/s Tata Steel BSL Limited (Formerly known as Bhusan Steel Ltd) under Section 2 (ii) of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980.
- 2. Online ref no: FP/OR/MIN/49169/2020
- 3. Name of user agency: M/s Tata Steel Limited
- 4. State: Odisha
- 5. Forest division/ District: Keonjhar, Bonai and Keonjhar, Sundargarh
- 6. Total Forest land under diversion: 42.608 ha.
- 7. Category of the Proposal: Mining
- 8. Legal status of the land: Revenue Forest, District Level Committee (D.L.C.) Forest, and Revenue Forest
- **9.** Whether it is a proposal for use of fresh forest land: **Yes**
- **10.**Compensatory Afforestation proposed: Non-forest land.
- 11. Whether recommended by State Government: Yes
- 12. Whether recommended by IRO (where applicable): Yes

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