

**FORM - A**

Form for seeking prior approval of Central Government under section 2 of the Forest(Conservation) Act, 1980 for  
Diversion of fresh forest area

**PART - I**

(To be filled up by User Agency)

**A. General Details****A-1. Project Details**

(i). **Proposal No. :** FP/OR/IND/16495/2015

(ii). **Name of Project for which Forest Land is required :** BASUNDHARA COAL WASHERY (10MTY)

(iii). **Short narrative of the proposal and Project/scheme for which the forest land is required :**  
The proposal is towards seeking clearance from Ministry of Environment and Forest, Govt. of India for diversion of 72.68 Ac. or 29.41 Ha of forest land for Basundhara Washery (Non-coking coal) Kulda, of Basundhara Area of MAHANADI COALFIELDS LIMITED.

(iv). **State :** Orissa

(v). **Category of the Project :** Industry

(vi). **Shape of forest land proposed to be diverted :** Non Linear

(vii). **Estimated cost of the Project(Rupees in lacs) :** 33472

(viii). **Area of forest land proposed for diversion(in ha.):** 29.41

(ix). **Non-forest land required for this project(in ha.):** 14.49

(x). **Total period for which the forest land is proposed to be diverted(in years):** 30

**A-2. Details of User Agency**

(i). **Name :** MCL

(ii). **Address1 :** Jagruti Vihar

(iii). **Address2 :** Burla Sambalpur

(iv). State : Orissa

(v). District : Sambalpur

(vi). Pin : 768020

(vii). Landmark : Hirkud Rly Stn

(viii). Email address : cgm-basa.mcl@nic.in

(ix). Landline Telephone No. : 2542739

(x). Fax No. : NIL

(xi). Mobile No. : 9438879600

(xii). Website (if any) : www.mcl.gov.in

(xiii). Details of Proposals seeking prior approval of Central Government under the Act for diversion of forest land submitted by the User Agency in the past

List of proposal submitted in Past							
S.no	Proposal Status.	Proposal No.	Moef File No.	Area Proposed for Diversion(Ha.)	Area Diverted(Ha.)	Date of In-Principle Approval	Date of Final Approval
<b>NIL</b>							

(xiv). Legal status of User Agency : Central PSU

#### A-3. Details of Person Making Application

(i). First Name: Neeraj

(ii). Middle Name: NIL

(iii). Last Name: Kalla

(iv). Gender: Male

(v). Designation: General Manager

(vi). Address 1: MCL Basundhara Area

(vii). Address 2: Sundargarh, Odisha Pin code - 770076

(viii). State: Orissa

(ix). District: Sundargarh

(x). Tehsil: Hemgir

(xi). Pin: 770076

(xii). Landmark: Basundhara Nallah

(xiii). Email Address: cgm-basa.mcl@nic.in

(xiv). Landline Telephone No.: 286133

(xv). Fax No.: 0662286144

(xvi). Mobile No.: 9438879600

(xvii). Copy of documents in support of the competence/authority of the person making this application to make application on behalf of the User Agency: 

## B. Details of land required for the Project

B-1. Details of proposal seeking prior approval of Central Government under the Act for diversion of forest land for the Project already submitted in the past

(i). Whether any proposal seeking prior approval of Central Government under the Act for diversion of forest land required for the project has been submitted in the past?. : No

B-2. Details of forest land proposed to be diverted

B-2.1 Details of Divisions involved

Details of Divisions involved			
S.no	Division Name	Forest Land(ha.)	Non-Forest Land(ha.)
1.	Sundargarh	29.41	14.49

B-2.2 Details of Districts involved

District wise breakup			
S.no	District Name	Forest Land(ha.)	Non-Forest

			Land(ha.)
1.	Sundargarh	29.41	14.49

## B-2.3 Village wise breakup

Villages wise breakup			
S.no	Village	Forest Land(ha.)	Non-Forest Land(ha.)
1	Bankibahal	24.69	2.67
2	Balinga	1.82	3.03
3	Kushara	1.53	8.79
4	Reserve Forest	1.37	0

## B-2.4 Component wise breakup

Component wise breakup			
S.no	Component	Forest Land(ha.)	Non-Forest Land(ha.)
1	Coal Washery	18.07	1.25
2	Clean Coal Corridor	10.81	10.21
3	Reject Conveying Road	0.53	0.32
4	Reject Storage Site	0	2.71

C. Maps of forest land proposed to be diverted

Division 1. : Sundargarh			
(i). Area of forest land proposed to be diverted(in ha.) : 29.41			
(ii). Nature of the Project: Non Linear			
(a). No. of patches : One			
Patch wise details			
Patch No.	Area of Patch(in ha.)	Kml File of Patches	
1.	29.41		<a href="#">View File</a>
(iii). Copy of Survey of India Toposheet indicating boundary of forest land proposed to be diverted: 			
(iv). Scanned copy of the Geo-referenced map of the forest land proposed to be diverted prepared by using GPS or Total Station: 			

D. Justification for locating the Project in forest land and details of alternatives examined:

(i). Copy of note containing justification for locating the Project in forest land:



#### E. Employment likely to be generated

(i). Whether the Project is likely to generate employment?: Yes

(ii). Permanent/Regular Employment(Number of persons): 700

(iii). Temporary Employment(Number of person-days): 0

#### F. Displacement of People due to the Project, if any

(i). Whether Project involves displacement?: Yes

(a). Total Number of families : 83

(b). Number of Scheduled Caste families : 16

(c). Number of Schedule Tribes families : 28

(d). Number of other families : 39

(ii). Copy of Rehabilitation and Resettlement Plan:



(a). Copy of approval to Ministry of Tribal Affairs, Government of India to Rehabilitation and Resettlement:



#### G. Details of Cost-Benefit analysis for the Project

(i). Whether the Project requires Cost-Benefit analysis?: Yes

(a). Copy of Cost-Benefit analysis:



#### H. Status of Environmental Clearance

(i). Whether the Project requires Clearance under the Environment (Protection) Act 1986 ? :  
Yes

(a). Status of the Environmental Clearance to the Project: EC under process

(ii). Environmental Clearance File No.: NIL

I. Status of Wildlife Clearance

(i). Whether the Project or a part thereof is located in any Protected Area or their Eco sensitive zone? : No

J. Applicability of special provisions governing Scheduled Areas

(i). Whether the Project or a part thereof is located in a Scheduled Area? : No

K. Status of settlement of rights under the Forest Rights Act, 2006 on the forest land proposed to be diverted

(i). Whether the process for settlement of Rights under the Forest Rights Acts 2006 on the forest land proposed to be diverted has been completed? : No

L. Details of land identified for Compensatory Afforestation

(i). Whether non-forest or Revenue forest land is required to be provided by User Agency?: Not Applicable

(ii). Whether the area of non-forest land or Revenue forest land required to be provided by User Agency for raising Compensatory Afforestation is less than area of forest land proposed to be diverted?: Not Applicable

(iii) . Reason for not providing Non-Forest Land: Not Applicable

Additional information Details

Documents		
S.No	Documents	Remarks
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