ISSUES PERTAINING TO GOVERNMENT OF CHHATTISGARH

S.No	Name of the company and	Issues in Brief	Action to be Taken
	location		
1	NMDC Ltd. NMDC Iron & Steel Plant at Nagarnar, Chhattisgarh	For providing Power Supply for the Integrated Steel Plant at Nagarnar, Chhattisgarh state Power Transmission Corporation Limited (CSPTCL) has to construct the following: a) 400 KV line from Raipur to Jagdalpur b) 400/220 KV substation at Jagadalpur c) 220KV line from Jagdalpur to Nagarnar. For providing the above transmission facilities, as per agreed terms with CSPTCL, an amount of Rs.257.81 Cr has been deposited by NMDC with CSPTCL. Orders were placed for items 'a' and 'b' in Nov. 2011 and March 2012 respectively Completion times for these jobs are 33 months and 31 months respectively. However, the works are held up due to non availability of forest clearances.	State Government should expedite the process of getting Forest Clearance from Ministry of Environment and Forests (MoEF) in respect of items at 'a' above and ensure its completion by March-2015 for starting commissioning activities of the plant. Also for item 'b', the State Government has to hand over the site to the contractor for starting the work. CSPTCL shall also explore the possibilities of starting the work in non-forest area.
	Mining Lease (ML) granting for Sadartera Dolomite Block	NMDC has requested Chhattisgarh State Government to acquire land for the proposed pellet plant contiguous to the site of steel plant at Nagarnar. Request has been sent to District Collector, Bastar District in March, 2011. ML application for Sadartera Dolomite Block over an area of 5.259 Sq. Km. is required to be granted by the State Government. All required informations have been submitted to the District Collector, Bastar on 21.12.2011. In addition to this, as desired by Secretary, Mineral Resource Department (MRD) necessary NOC's from Forest Dept,	Chhattisgarh State Government may expedite additional land acquisition for about 250 acres of land for pellet plant and other associated activities. Early grant of ML for the required area.

2	TATA STEEL LIMITED Chhattisgarh Steel Plant TSL has signed a MoU with Government of Chattisgarh for setting up a 5.5 MTPA Integrated Steel plant at Baster.	village panchayats etc. have been submitted to District Collector, Bastar on 10.01.2012. Land has been acquired by the Government of Chhattisgarh and transferred to Chhattisgarh State Industrial Development Corporation (CSIDC) for allotment to TSL on 99 years lease. Letter of intent has been issued by CSIDC to TSL informing that land has been acquired for the project and can be allotted to TSL. TSL has requested for demarcation of the said land before taking possession of the same. The work has not commenced.	State Government should be requested to expedite approval/ resolutions of issues.
3	Monnet Ispat & Energy Ltd. 1.5 MTPA Integrated Steel Plant at Raigarh, Chhattisgarh	PL for Maabamleshwari Iron ore mines was allotted to them on 25/10/2010. After commencement of work and investment of money the PL was cancelled by the Minerals Resource Department (MRD), Chhattisgarh on 13/12/2011 on grounds of certain formalities not having been met. The cancellation has been stayed by the Tribunal, Ministry of Mines.	Request for the PL to be restored at the earliest
		Land acquisition for Rajgamar Dipside (South of Phulkadih Nala) Coal Block. Total mining Lease Hold Area is 625 Ha, out of which 450 Ha of area already acquired by SECL under CBA Act. They have requested for SECL to transfer the land on 21/1/2011. In this process, joint survey of the mine by the surveyors of Monnet and SECL has been completed on 15/2/2012. Detailed Land schedule is prepared and further action for surrender of Mineral Rights for overlapped land is pending with SECL.	SECL should be advised to transfer the land immediately as the mining lease can be signed only after land acquisition.

		Coking coal and iron ore linkage required. Even after meeting the raw material requirements from captive mines there remains a shortfall	The State Government and Ministry Coal to be advised to provide required linkages.
4	Jindal Steel & Power Ltd. Expansion Project at Raigarh Plant	Land Acquisition Issues: Total land requirement is 1396 Ha. Out of which 151.068 ha land is in possession	Support is required from the State Govt. in acquiring the remaining 1244.932 Ha.
		Environmental and Forest Clearance	Environmental Clearance and Forest Clearance should be cleared within the time limit prescribed in EIA Note dt 14/9/96 and guidelines under FC Act,1980 respectively.
		Delay in conducting Public Hearing: Draft EIA Reports submitted to CECB to conduct public hearing in March 2012 and April, 2012 for 1 MTPA and 7 MTPA expansion projects respectively. The dates for holding public	Public hearing to be held on time
		hearing are yet to be fixed. Iron Ore Linkage: Prospecting License for one iron ore mine at Dantewada against the requirement of 410 MT for 30 years.	Additional Iron Ore Mines needed to meet the requirement of the project.
		Coal Linkage/Allotment of suitable captive coal mines in Chhatisgarh	No coal mine has been allocated for the expansion project at Raigarh Plant.
5.	VISA STEEL LIMITED Chhattisgarh Project	VISA Steel has acquired 265.12 acres of land against requirement of 1000acre. Balance is yet to be allotted by the State Government.	Chhattisgarh State is to be advised to speed up handing over of the balance area.

ISSUES PERTAINING TO GOVERNMENT OF ODISHA

S.No	Name of the	Issues in Brief	Action to be Taken
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	Proposed Elephant Corridor passing through 5.1 Sq mile lease of Bolani Ore, Odisha	Bolani Ore Mines was granted Stage-I forest clearance on 12.11.10 for compliance of conditions. After lapse of 11 months forest deptt, Odisha has proposed an elephant corridor cutting across the 5.1 sq mile lease. There has not been any interface with elephants during the operation of mine since 1960. Mining operations at Bolani resumed on 27th December, 2012 in part of the broken area excluding 317 ha in view of restriction imposed by MoEF while granting Stage-II forest clearance due to proposed Karo-Karampada Elephant Corridor passing through the lease. Vide order dated 19th December, 2012 MoEF has already issued revised Guidance document for taking up non forestry activities in wildlife habitats wherein, elephant reserves and Elephant Corridor have been exempted from obtaining National Board for Wildlife (NBWL) clearance. The issue has been taken up with Govt. of Odisha to allow SAIL for continuation of mining in already broken area of the 5.1 Sq. Mile lease as no biodiversity can be affected in already broken area.	Forest clearance proposal for the 317 ha in the proposed Karo-Karampada corridor in 5.1 Sq Mile Lease to be recommended by State Govt. for approval of MoEF, GoI.
	SAIL, Barsua	ML-130 leases of Barsua-Kalta mine	Govt. of Odisha to
	Iron Ore Mines, Jharkhand	was granted Stage-I forest clearance on 8.3.11 for compliance of conditions. Barsua mine has complied all the conditions and the compliance report has been submitted to Sate Govt. in January'13. Working permission for compliance of conditions is valid up to 7.3.13. Non grant of final forest clearance within the time limt will cause closure of operations at Barsua mine and supply of iron ore	recommend compliance report on Stage-I forest clearance condition for approval of MoEF, GoI for grant of Stage-II forest clearance.

		to Rourkela Steel Plant will be affected.	
2	Arcelor Mittal Keonjhar, Odhisa	a) Renewal of MoU – the Arcelor Mittal signed an MoU with Government of Odisha 21/12/2006 for a period fo 5 years. Arcelor Mittal applied on 08/12/2011 for the renewal of the MoU and it is under consideration of the State Government. Recommendation of PL/ML Application 7 Nos. of PL application and one No. of ML application of Arcelor Mittal for allocation on Iron ore blocks are with the office of Director, Mines, Govt. of Odisha, Bhubneswar	State Govt. of Odisha to expedite necessary action.
3.	Posco India ISP Project at Paradip, Jagatsinghpur, Odisha	Land acquisition - Requirement: 4004 ac - Availability: The possession of 1,703 ac land was handed over to POSCO-India on Jan, 2013	In order to start the construction of 8MTPA ISP (Phase 1 & 2, 4 MTPA for each phase), 2700 ac Govt Forest Land should be handed over.
		Steel Plant Environment Clearance Revalidation - Current status: Expert Appraisal Committee (EAC) recommended revalidation of 4-mtpa steel plant Environment Clearance during its meeting held on 14 th June 2012. Revalidation recommendation is, however, been awaiting MoEF approval till date.	This EC should be revalidated immediately to avoid unnecessary noises raised by NGO and anti-project entities etc during the implementation of land acquisition by GoO.
4	VISA STEEL LIMITED District Jajpur, Kalinganagar (Odisha)	Allotment of captive Iron Ore is pending since 2005. The Iron Ore lease needs to be allotted on urgent/SOS basis as it is critical for survival.	Odisha State should be directed by centre to grant Iron Ore leases.
		Supply of adequate quantity of Iron Ore and Chrome Ore at reasonable price under long term agreement from OMC. Availability and prices are a major bottleneck.	Steel Ministry should take up this with Odisha State.
		Long Term Linkage of Iron Ore from OMDC at reasonable price to meet company's requirement is to be ensured till the captive mines become operational.	Steel Ministry should direct OMDC accordingly.

		Formulation of policy on RML for Iron Ore leases should favour existing steel units having MOU with Govt. of Odisha.	Steel Ministry should take up this with the Odisha State and Ministry of Mines
		The price fixing mechanism for Iron and Chrome Ore in the e-auction by OMC should be modified to make it viable for the consumer industry.	Steel Ministry to take up this issue with the Odisha State.
		Allotment of 306 Acres of land for solid Waste Disposal needs to be expedited by the Odisha State.	State Government should be advised to speed up this.
		CPP supplying power to GRIDCO must get better unit rate linked to market rate.	Odisha Govt. to consider
		Amendment of MOU from 1 MTPA to 2.5 MTPA capacities needs to be expedited by the Odisha State.	Odisha State to expedite signing of MOUs for expansion.
		Allotment of additional 675 acres of adjoining land for expansion of steel capacity to 2.5 MTPA at Kalinganagar.	State Government should be advised to speed up this process.
		Railways to accord priority to local units at Paradeep and Dhamra Ports as these units solely depend on these ports for their imported material. Railways at present follow policy of core and non-core category on "first-cum-first serve basis".	Matter needs to be taken with the Railways as well as State government.
		Problem in construction of private railway siding and new railway lines due to land related issues.	Odisha State and Railways to jointly help in this issue.
5	TATA STEEL LIMITD Kalinganagar Steel Plant, Odisha – TSL TSL had signed a MoU with the Government of Odisha for a 6 MTPA Integrated Steel Plant at Kalinga Nagar.	Renewal of Mining leases is pending with Government of Odisha. All pre-requisite approvals like Environment Clearance, Forest Clearances etc. have also been obtained.	State Government should be requested to expedite renewal of mining leases.

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6	Jindal Steel & Power Ltd. 1. Angul Project, Odisha	Land Acquisition/RoW permission for laying of Water Pipeline	Out of 28 Kms cross country water pipeline work, 6 Kms stretch facing acute RoW problem
		Re-assessment for additional requirement of land	Additional area of 520 acres is required as per Government instruction for construction of Water Storage Tank. Requisition submitted to IPICOL on 28.07.12
		Coal Requirements:	
		2. Utkal B-1 coal block allocated to the Company can meet coal requirement of the project for only 2 MTPA capacity DRI plant only. Execution of Mining Lease Deed is pending for close to 1 year 8 months 3. Requirement of non-coking coal is 300 MT (D Grade) and Coking Coal is 176 MT (Steel Grade -1) for 30 years for both Steel and Power Projects. In terms of MOU, Govt. of Odisha is yet to recommend to Govt. of India for allotment of additional coal blocks for meeting the coal required for the project	Govt. of Odisha to expedite execution of ML and allotment of additional coal blocks
		Odisha Govt.'s new Policy for 33% free power generated from Power Plant: As per the policy of Govt. of Odisha dt 4.5.2011, power generated from the power plants including captive power plants based on coal washery rejects will have to supply 33% power free of cost	This is a post MoU condition being imposed when the CPP is operational and needs to be deleted
		Iron Ore Linkage: In terms of MoU, the State Govt. is yet to recommend grant of mineral concessions for the project to Central Govt. for their prior approval u/s 5 (1) of the MMDR	Request for allocation of Iron Ore Mines. JSPL is also willing to develop Iron Ore Mines allotted to OMC in Joint Venture so as to meet Iron Ore

		Act. Requirement of iron ore is 333 MT (+63 Fe Grade) for 30 years.	requirement of Angul Steel Plant
		Increase in the water usage charges and increased charges on Run on Mine coal being washed: 1. The State Government has increased the water usage charges many fold. Earlier State Govt. charged Rs. 200 per lac gallon of water whereas it charges Rs. 2046 per lac gallon now. 2. Rs. 100/- per ton levy on Run on Mine(ROM) coal being washed is going to hit industrial projects in Odisha very hard.	These additional costs need to be reduced substantially to make the operations viable.
7.	Bhushan Steel Ltd	Grant of Mining Lease for Iron Ore Mines (i) Commissioned 3 MTPA Integrated Steel Plant. The Plant capacity will increase to 5.6 MTPA by end of this month, i.e. March, 2013 A steel plant of such a large capacity cannot be operated without allocation of Captive Iron Ore Mines.	BSL request for urgent grant of Iron Ore Mining lease to cater to requirement of Iron Ore for 5.6 MTPA integrated Steel plant. Till such times mines are allocated and becomes operational, OMC (AN Odisha Government State Undertaking) should be directed to accord a dedicated linkage of required quantity of iron ore to BSL at reasonable price from their mines.
		ROAD TRANSPORTATION Truck Unions and Transporters are literally blackmailing the consumers in the state of Odisha. Per ton transportation rate in Barbil is highest in the world. A guideline for freight charges in this regard was issued by the Odisha Government but it's not being followed.	The guideline should be enforced strictly.
8	Bhushan Power & Steel Ltd. Thelkoloi, P.O. Lapanga, Tehsil: Rengali, District	Coal Block a) Jamkhani Block: Coal Block was allocated by Ministry of Coal on 12/11/2003. Mining Lease Application was	Pending with Department of Steel and Mines, Government of Odisha for seeking prior approval

Sambalpı	ar, submitted on 20/6/2005 in the	Matter may please be
Odisha	Mining Office, Sundergarh and the	· -
Ouisiia	same was forwarded to Department	expedited with State Government.
	of Steel and Mines Govt. of Odisha	Government.
	through Directorate of Mines for	
	necessary action.	
	b) Bijahan Block	Pending with Department
	Coal Block was allocated by	of Steel and Mines,
	Ministry of Coal on 13/1/2006.	Government of Odisha
	ML application was submitted on	for seeking prior
	10/8/2007 in the Mining Office,	approval.
	Sundergarh and the same was	
	forwarded to Department of Steel &	
	Mines, Govt. of Odisha through	
	Directorate of Mines for necessary	
	action.	
	c) <u>Iron Ore Mine</u>	As BPSL have achieved
	As per the MoUdated 15/5/2002, the	2.4 MTPA capacities and
	State Government agreed to	further 0.4 MTPA is
	recommend Government of Indian	under implementation,
	for allotment of Iron Ore deposits of	recommendation of State
	96 Million Tonnes in Joda Barbil	Government for
	Sector for 1.2 MTPA steel plant and	additional 128 MT iron
	128 Million Tonnes of deposit in	ore reserve is pending
	Koira area of Sundergarh District for	
	2.8 MTPA steel plant.	G G
	d) Appointment of Spl. LAO for	State Government may
	Jamkhani and Bijahan Coal Blocks	consider the request for
	The Company has been requesting for appointment of Spl. LAO along	appointment of a Special LAO on reimbursement
	with additional staff, wherein	basis.
	Revenue support can be availed for	basis.
	Land Acquisition as well for early	
	Rehabilitation & Resettlement.	
	After the transfer of the LAO since	
	September 2012, the responsibility	
	has been entrusted to the Tehsildar,	
	Hemgir to look after in additional to	
	this present pre-occupation.	
	e) Construction of Road	Matter may please be
	For coal transportation, construction	expedited with State
	of wide road is being taken up	Government.
	between Gopalpur to Chhatabar	
	village under Hemgir Tehsil of	
	Sundergarh district. The	
	responsibility as such is vested with	
	MCL for more than 8 years, where	
	the progress appears to be very low.	
	MCL has been advised by HC of	
	Odisha to expedite the construction	
	work with due support from the	
	State Government.	

f) Forest Diversion of Bijahan Coal Block For Bijahan Coal Block Forest Diversion Proposal for 241.978 Ha has been filed in the Office of CCF (Nodal), Bhubaneswar. This is being under action consideration for recommendation to Forest & Environment Department, Government of Odisha for onward	expedited with State
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ISSUES PERTAINING TO GOVERNMENT OF MAHARASHTRA

S.No	Name of the company and location	Issues in Brief	Action to be Taken
1	JSW Ispat Steel Ltd., Geetapuram Dolvi, Tal-Pen, Dist. Raigad, Maharashtra	a) Land Acquisition	Government should help in land acquisition where minority land holders land is involved.
		b) Environment Clearance	Government should expedite environmental clearance. Ministry of Environment & Forest
		c) Public hearing	Public hearing should not be mandatory for units coming up in notified industrial area
		d) Infrastructure	Development of road and rail link in the industrial area

ISSUES PERTAINING TO GOVERNMENT OF WEST BENGAL

S.No	Name of the	Issues in Brief	Action to be Taken
	company and location		
1.	Jai Balaji Industries Limited. a) Brown Field Mangalpur, P.O Bakhtarnagar, Distt. Burdwan, West Bengal	a) NoC for expansion proposal from State Pollution Control Board	Grant of NoC for expansion proposal from West Bengal State Pollution Control Board
	b) Greenfield Project at Raghunathpur, Distt rict Purulia, WB	a) Land Deed is not executed	Early execution of Land Deed from Government of West Bengal
		b) NoC for project proposal from State Pollution Control Board	Grant of NoC for project proposal from West Bengal State Pollution Control Board.
		c) Out of 40 MGD of water requirement allocation obtained for only 10.2 MGD water. Agreement is not signed till date.	Early execution of Agreement from Government of West Bengal/DVRCC

ISSUES PERTAINING TO GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA

S.No	Name of the company and location	Issues in Brief	Action to be Taken
1	NMDC Ltd. NMDC Iron & Steel Plant at Nagarnar, Chhattisgarh	ML for Ramandurg Granting of ML in the Ramandurg iron ore and to NMDC primarily to ensure feeding of iron ore on sustained basis, to the steel plant proposed to be set up by NMDC at Bellary in pursuance of MoU singed between Govt. of Karnataka and NMDC	To be expedited
2	Arcelor Mittal Bellary, Karnataka	Iron Ore Mines Applied to State Government for allocation of iron ore mines in the State. No new mining lease is being issued to any company by Government of Karnataka, owing to iron ore mining ban in Bellary region by Supreme Court	State Government need to allocate the iron ore-mining lease to the Steel project.
3	TATA STEEL PLANT Karnataka	TSL has up scaled the plant capacity to be set up at Haveri to 6 MTPA and signed an EOI on 8/6/2012. Government of Karnataka has agreed for recommendation of adequate Iron Ore for captive consumption. The process has been completed	The State Government of Karnataka may be requested to expedite recommendation for grant of Iron Ore Mining Lease.

ISSUES PERTAINING TO GOVERNMENT OF JHARKHAND

S.No	Name of the	Issues in Brief	Action to be Taken
	location		
1.	company and	Land a) Applied for acquisition of 2210 acres of land in Nov.2011 under the Jharkhand voluntary Land Acquistion Rules 2010 Iron Ore Mining Lease Karampada ML Forest & Environmental Clearances a) Application for diversion of 194.67 Hec of forest land submitted to Forest Department, Government of Jharkhand in April 2009 b) More than three years have elapsed and all statutory procedures at DFO, CF RCCF, PCCF levels have been completed, forestry clearance	State Govt. of Jharkhand to expedite the related formalities. Forest clearance pending with Government of Jharkhand. Inordinate delay in grant of forestry clearance has the risk of re-doing the entire process of environmental clearance again including conducting public hearing etc.
		completed, forestry clearance application is yet to be forwarded by Government of Jharkhand to Ministry of Environment and Forest for further action. c) Consent from the local stake holders is already obtained under Forest Right Act. d) The application for Environmental Clearance, as per law, was directly submitted to MoEF, in Feb. 2009. All studies including Public Hearings at site completed for compliance. The Expert Committee for environmental appraisal at MoEF, in Nov. 2011, has recommended to MoEF for grant of environmental clearance to the mining project, subject to submission of a copy of the Stage-1 forestry clearance letter.	

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		Karmpada PL Forest Clearance & permission to Drill Test Holes a) AMIL submitted application on 25/2/2011 to State Forest Department for grant of permission to carry out test drilling in the allocated PL area. b) After scrutiny at various levels of state forest department, the application was forwarded by PCCF to Addl Principal Secretary (Forest), Government of Jharkhand, on 10/1/2012. However, permission for test	Iron ore Prospective Lease (PL) processing to be expedited by Govt. of Jharkhand
.2	Tata Steel Ltd.	drilling is yet to be granted.	
	Jamshedpur Steel Plant	Appliction for grant of FC for Kotre Basantpur & Pachmo CoalBlocks is pending Tata Steel had signed a MoU with Government of Jharkhand for Brown Field Expansion at Jamshedpur from 5MTPA to 10MTPA steel plant. The expansion at Jamshedpur with a total expenditure of approximately Rs.14, 500cr. Kotre Basantpur & Pachmo Coal Blocks have been allotted to Tata Steel to fulfill partial requirement of coal for the expansion of the Steel Plant at Jamshedpur.	be requested to expedite recommendation for FC for Kotre Basantpur and Pachmo

	ML of Noamundi Iron Ore Mine	Renewal of ML and FC of Noamundi Iron Ore Mine ML of Noamundi Iron Ore Mine has expired and is presently operating under "Deemed provision. Production of this mine is required for producing steel at Jamshedpur.	Renewal of the ML of Noamundi Iron Mine. Recommend renewal of FC for Noamundi Iron Mine
F	Industrial Township status for Jamshedpur	c) Application is pending with Government of Jharkhand	Government of Jharkhand may be requested to Grant Industrial township status to Jamshedpur.
	Jindal Steel & Power Ltd. a) Patratu Project, Jharkahand	Land Acquisition Issues: Transfer of Govt. Land by way of Lease Settlement is under process for 217.8 Acres. Acquisition of private land through Land Acquisition under process for 923.55 Acres.	State Govt. to provide assistance in land acquisition
		Creation of land bank facility for giving land to State Govt.'s Forest Department for compensatory afforestation	State Govt. should allow transfer of land to Forest Department to create a Land Bank from which the land requirement for compensatory afforestation against various forest clearances received from MOEF, Govt. of India could be met.
		Allocation of Iron Ore mine	To develop Iron Ore Mines in Joint Venture with State Govt. Agency so as to meet Iron Ore requirement of Steel Plant.
		Coking Coal and Non Coking Coal: Part of Amarkonda-Murgadangal non coking coal block has been allocated on 17.01.2008 by Ministry of Coal, Govt. of India to cater the requirement of 1000 MW Captive power plant.	This is a regionally explored coal block and needs further exploration work to be done by us to prepare Geological Report and Mining Plan. Due to local law and order problems, JSPL is unable to start exploration work. The company has already applied for long term coal linkage to Ministry of Coal on 6.6.2011 for the 1320 MW CPP for the intervening period till the coal mine is developed.
l	b) Asanbani	Land Acquisition issues	State Govt. of Jharkhand to

Project		provide assistance for land
		acquisition
	Creation of Land Bank Facility	State Govt. should allow the
	for giving land to State Govt.'s	company to transfer land to
	Forest Department for	Forest Department to create a
	compensatory afforestation	Land Bank from which the
		land requirement for
		compensatory afforestation
		against various forest
		clearances received from
		MOEF, Govt. of India could
		be met.
	Allocation of Iron Ore Mines:	The Govt. of Jharkhand may
		be advised to allocate
	Jeraldaberu Iron Ore deposit	additional iron ore mines for
	has been allocated having	the project as applied.
	reserves of about 80 Million	
	Tons. To cater the entire	
	requirement of the project,	
	additional iron ore mines with	
	extractable reserves of 245 MT	
	is required to be allocated.	
	Grant of PL and ML for	As per the commitment mines
	suitable reserves of Iron Ore	for Manganese ore were to be
		allocated which has not been
		done