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REVENUE AND DISASTER MANAGEMENT DEPARTMENT NOTIFICATION

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Whereas the preliminary notification under section 11(1) of the Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement Act, 2013 was issued by Government for acquisition of private land measuring an area of Ac 3.43 in village—Biripada, P.S. Basta No. -51, under Basta Tahasil of Balasore District vide Revenue and DM Department notification No. 22921 dated 26.06.2018 which was published in the Extraordinary issue of Odisha Gazette on dated 15.09.2018 and declaration under section 19(1) of the Act in respect of the above schedule of land has not been issued till date;

And whereas, as per sub-section (7) of section 19 of the Act, where no declaration is made under subsection (1) of section 19 within twelve months from the date of preliminary notification, then such notification shall be deemed to have been rescinded. The second proviso to subsection (7) of section 19 provides that the appropriate Government shall have the power to extend the period of twelve months, if in its opinion circumstances exist justifying the same;

And whereas, the Water Resources Department has requested to extend the period of twelve months with reasons for the situation arising out of the COVID-19 pandemic and the appropriate Government is of the opinion that circumstances existed for the inadvertent delay;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by second proviso to sub-section (7) of section 19 of the Right to Fair Compensation and Transparency in Land Acquisition, Rehabilitation and Resettlement Act, 2013 (30 of 2013), the State Government do hereby decide to extend the period of twelve months from the date of Preliminary Notification U/s 11(1) of the RFCTLAR&R Act, 2013 up to **31st December 2020** for issue of Declaration under section 19(1) of the said Act.

By order of the Governor

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