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HOME (SPECIAL SECTION) DEPARTMENT

FORM No. I (See Rule 7)

DECLARATION

The 4th March 2017

S.R.O. No. 102/2017—Whereas, it was alleged that Shri Bhabataran Sahu, o.a.s.-I, S/o Bhubaneswar Sahu of Village Kherna, P. S. Jharpokharia, Dist. Mayurbhanj, present address Station Bandhasahi, Ward No. 12, Prafulla Nagar, P.S. Baripada Town, Dist. Mayurbhanj, State Odisha, while holding high public office in the State of Odisha as Tahasildar, Rajnagar, Dist. Kendrapara committed an offence under Clause (e) of sub-section (1) of Section 13 of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 and that the matter was investigated in Balasore Vigilance P. S. Case No. 55, dated the 19th December 2012;

And whereas, on scrutiny of relevant materials available on record, the State Government is of the opinion that there is a *prima facie* case of commission of the offence by Shri Bhabataran Sahu, who has accumulated properties disproportionate to his known sources of income by resorting to corrupt means;

And whereas, it is felt necessary and expedient by the Government that the said offender should be tried by the Special Court established under sub-section (1) of Section 3 of Special Courts Act, 2006.

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by sub-section (1) of Section 5 of Special Courts Act, 2006 (Odisha Act 9 of 2007), the State Government do hereby declare that the said offence shall be dealt with under the Special Courts Act, 2006.

[No. 522-C.]

LALIT DAS

Special Secretary to Government