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(As to open cast Project accident of the RJML (ECL)
Occuredon December 29.)

- I, Arbind Kumar Panday S/o Late Ganesh Dutt Panday, EP. weilder, RJML residing at B. Type Quarter No 30/60 of Urjanagar P.S-Mahagama Dist-Godda do hereby take an oath solemnly and state as below:-
- 1. That I went through notification published in daily news paper about court of enquiry constituted to enquire into accident in open cast project of the RJML which resulted in causality of more than 23 persons on December 29 of 2016.
- 2. That I am not only employee of the Rajmahal project but also Area Secretary of Trade Union of CMC affliated to the HMS in Rajmahal Project Area of the ECL so I used to visit excavation and dump site time to time for commencement of Union works.
- 3. That during the period of Excavation of coal three activities at a time were being commenced (i) excavation of coal (ii) Removal of OB (iii) work to minise height of dump instead of aderqate water inside mines and chinks on Dump wall. Due to such circumstance accident took place.



4. That authorities of the DGMS Surveyed situation of excavation as well as Dump site on 10th and 11th August of 2016 where land sliding occurred on August 9 but for the shake of production of coal work of excavation and dumping remained continue amidst heavy blasting.

Verification

I Arbind Kumar pandey verify that above facts mentioned para 01 to 04 are true to the best of my knowledge and belief and I sign this verification at court yard of Godda on 05 th November of 2019

Identified by me

Indicated Tiwary Advocate, Godda 6-11-19

Deponent Altested