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HOME (SPECIAL SECTION) DEPARTMENT

NOTIFICATION

The 26th December, 2017

S.R.O. No. 5/2018— Whereas the State Government are deeply concerned about an alleged incident of kidnapping and sexual assault of a minor girl belonging to Village - Musaguda, PS - Pottangi, in the District of Koraput on 10th October, 2017;

And whereas the State Crime Branch has been entrusted with the investigation of the case treating it as a Red Flag case;

And whereas the State Government are of the opinion that this being a definite matter of public importance should be enquired into by a Commission of Inquiry under the Commissions of Inquiry Act, 1952 (Act 60 of 1952).

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers conferred by Section 3 read with sub-section (1) of Section-5 of the Commissions of Inquiry Act, 1952, the State Government do hereby appoint the District Judge, Koraput at Jeypore as Commission of Inquiry to enquire into and report in respect of the following matters within 3 (three) months from the date of issue of this Notification, namely :—

- (i) The sequence of events alleged to have led to the purported crime.
- (ii) The person(s) responsible for the incident.
- (iii) Any other matter connected with or incidental thereto, as the Commission may consider appropriate.

The headquarters of the Commission shall be at Jeypore and the Commission may hold its sittings at any other place as required for the purpose of inquiry.

[No. 2478/C.]

By order of the Governor

S. BALA
Special Secretary to Government