

PRESS RELEASE

The Board of Directors MCL in its 117th meeting held on 04/03/2010 has already approved for setting up of a Medical College at **Talcher** by MCL namely “Mahanadi Institute of Medical Science and Research, MCL” and to be managed by a Trust. Accordingly the Trust has been formed and Registered in the name of “Mahanadi Medical Education Trust” under Registration of Society Act XXI of 1860 bearing the NO.ANL-2683/02 of 2010-2011 along with its Bye-Laws with the CMD,MCL being the Chairman of the Trust.

It may be recalled that the Foundation Stone of the Medical College scheduled to be laid by the Hon;ble Minister of Coal, GOI, Shri Sriprakash Jaiswal and the Hon’ble Chief Minister of Orissa, Shri Naveen Patnaik on the 30th of April 2010 was postponed due to the busy schedule of the Hon’ble Minister of Coal. A fresh date for the Foundation Stone laying Ceremony has been sought and once received the ceremony would be performed.

Pending laying of Foundation Stone, all other activities required for the opening of the Medical College at Talcher are being taken. In this regard a meeting of the Trust will be held very shortly to discuss the further course of action to be taken.