

Violation Letter
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भारतीय खान ब्यूरो/ INDIAN BUREAU OF MINES
क्षेत्रीय खान नियंत्रक का कार्यालय / OFFICE OF THE REGIONAL CONTROLLER OF MINES

No. ORI/IRON/MCDR-54/BBS-Vol-II / 2543

Plot No. – 149, Pokhripur
In front of CPWD office,
BHUBANESWAR – 751020
Date: 12/01/2018

To,
Sri Prashanta Ahluwalia,
Lessee and Mine Owner,
M/s Kaypee Enterprises,
Post box No.: 3, In front of MMTC Weigh Bridge,
Barbil-758035, Keonjhar,
Odisha.

Sub: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rule, 2017 in respect of your Thakurani Iron Ore Mine over an area of 228.04 hectares in Keonjhar district of Odisha State.

Sir,

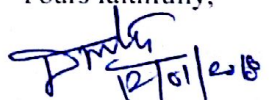
The following provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 (hereinafter referred as MCDR, 2017) were found violated in your above said mine during inspection on 10.01.2017 by the undersigned accompanied by Sri Sri Rabindra Nath Mondal, Mines Manager, Sri Amiya Kumar Naik, Geologist, Sri Suresh Choudhary, Mining Engineer.

Rule No.	Proposed in the approved mining plan / Rule	Violation
11(I)	No holder of a mining lease shall commence or carry out mining operations in any area except in accordance with the mining plan approved, modified or reviewed by the Indian Bureau of Mines or prepared and certified in accordance with the system established by the State Government pursuant to the proviso to clause (b) of sub-section (2) of section 5,.....limits declared under Schedule-A of the Atomic Minerals Concession Rules, 2016.	Mining operations have not been carried out in accordance to the Modification of Approved Mining Plan approved on dated 04/11/2016 to the extent given below: (1) The width of the benches was proposed to 15 meter, however, during inspection the width of the benches of Lucky (Top) pit was found to less than the proposed width i.e. around 9 to 11 meter.
54(C)	Copies of notices and returns and reports to be maintained. - details of expenditure incurred towards the mine closure activities, explosives consumption register, bore hole logs along with the chemical analysis reports, mineral analysis reports, sub-grade or mineral reject stack register along with the grade; and	As per rule the details in respect of the sub-grade or mineral reject stack to be maintained in register. However, during inspection it is observed that the details in respect of the sub-grade or mineral reject generated and utilized along with the grade have not been maintained in register.

02. It is brought to your notice that above violations of MCDR, 2017 constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of MCDR, 2017. Besides, inability to comply the provision of rule 11(1) is also liable for suspension of mining operation under the provision of rule 11(2) of MCDR, 2017 respectively.

03. You are advised to rectify the above violations immediately and intimate the position to this office within 45 (forty-five) days from the date of issue of this letter.

Yours faithfully,

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(DILIP JAIN)

Junior Mining Geologist
Indian Bureau of Mines

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