VIOLATION LETTER

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Date: 27.01.2017

To,

Shri Sanjay Pratap,
Director & Nominated Owner
M/s Orissa Manganese & Minerals Ltd.
IPICOL House, 3rd Floor, Annexe Building
Janpath, Bhubaneswar – 751022

Sub: Violation of provisions of MCDR, 1988 in respect of your Patmunda Manganese mine (Mine Code: ORI13024), of M/s Orissa Manganese & Minerals (P) Ltd., over an area of 807.316 hectare in Sundargarh district of Odisha State.

Sir,

The following provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 1988 were found violated in your above said mine during inspection on 18.01.2017 by the undersigned under the guidance of Shri Harkesh Meena, RCOM, accompanied by S/Shri B.K.Kumar, Sr.GM(Mines), A.C.Majhi, Dy.GM(Planning) and K.R. Ray, Qualified Person of your mine.

Rule No.	Nature of Violation
13(1)	Mining operation has not been carried out in accordance with the Scheme of Mining, approved dated 30.03.2012 to the extent indicated below: i). The active dump was supposed to be extended towards the end of the existing main dump, whereas during inspection it was observed that, in between existing main dump and present active dump an approach road was made and the dump was restricted up to the road. ii). Re-handling of existing dump in present working Mushagir pit was not carried out. iii) The height of the active dump is more than proposed height of 5 m and no terracing has been done.

02. It is brought to your notice that these violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 58 of MCDR 1988.

Besides, inability to comply with the provision of Rule 13 (1) is liable for suspension of mining operations according to the provisions of Rule 13 (2) of MCDR, 1988.

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,

(Ramkishan R) Senior Assistant Controller of Mines

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