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गोरगुंटापाल्या येशवंतपुर,
बेंगलुरु -560022

No KNT/BLR/Fe/ 496 /BNG Mine Code 30KAR03188

Date: 18/01/2023

सेवामें/To,

M/s.JSW Steel Limited,
JSW Mining office,
Near Yalur Cross, Vidyanagar Works
P.O. Vidyanagar -583 275, Bellary (District),
Karnataka,

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Subject: Violation of provisions of MCDR 2017 in respect of in respect of **Narayana Iron Ore Mine (ML. No 0012)** over an area of **107.51 Ha** having mine code **30KAR03188** in Narayanapura Village, Sandur Taluka, Ballari District, Karnataka state.

Sir,

The following provisions of the Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 were found violated in your above mine during inspection on 21.12.2022 by the undersigned in the presence of S/Shri Venkatesh M. Chaligeri (Mines Manager), Paramesh K M (Mining Engineer), Nataraja BD (Manager, Geology), Nehal Sudeep (Dy. Manager, Environment), Girish Kumar B K (Dy.Manager, Geology) and Sridhar B (Dy.Manager, Survey) and other officials of your mine.

Rules	Nature of Violations observed
11(1)	<ol style="list-style-type: none">During the inspection it was observed that, dumping of waste is not carried out in the area specified in proposal for the year 2021-22 in the approved mining plan.Proposed Engineering measures such as Retaining wall (230M), Garland drain (234m) and silt talk (20x10x3) has not completed for the year 2021-22.Proposed production of Iron ore and Manganese has not achieved for the year 2021-22.
45(7)	<p>As per the Annual Return received Under Rule 45(5) (b) (i), following observations were made</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">Part - V General Geology & Mining, Sec 3 Reserves and Resources estimated at the end of the year for Manganese ore not given.In para 4. Mining operations during the year, sub para 4.1 Exploration- it is indicated that 56 number of drilling of 2100 Meters (100x100 Grid) carried out, for the year 2021-22, but the exploration expenditure and the agency not reported. There, were no proposals in the year 2021-22, and no intimation received for the same.

02. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of MCDR, 2017.

03. The mining operations can be suspended under rule 11(2), if compliance of Rule 11(1) is not found satisfactorily
04. You are advised to rectify the above violations immediately and intimate the position to this office **within 45 (Forty-five) days** from issue of this letter.

भवदीय/Yours faithfully,

Sd/-

(Dr. Omkesha Murthy. M.G.)

Regional Mining Geologist

Copy for kind information to:

1. The Controller of Mines (SZ), Indian Bureau of Mines, Bangalore.
2. The Director, Dept. of Mines & Geology, 49, Khanij Bhavan, Race Course Road, Bangalore-560001.

Sd/-

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