

Violation Letter

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
MINISTRY OF MINES
INDIAN BUREAU OF MINES
Office of the Regional Controller of Mines, Hyderabad

No. AP/VZNR/Mn-130/HYD

CGO Towers, 6th Floor,
Kavadiguda,
Secunderabad-500080.
Date: 02.03.2017

To
Shri Kishore Kumar Mahanta,
Managing Partner,
M/s. Global Associates,
Karrow Building, PO: Barbil,
Dist. Keonjhar – 758 035 (Odisha).

Sub: Violation of provisions of MCDR, 1988 in respect of Pedanadipalli Manganese Mine (8.190 ha) of M/s. Global Associates in S.No. 31/7, 31/8, 32/6, 32/7, 39/9, 39/11, 40/1 & 40/2 in Pedanadipalli village, Chipurpalli mandal Vizianagaram dist., Andhra Pradesh State.

Sir,

The following provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules 1988, were found violated in your above mine during inspection on 23.1.2017 by Smt. Ch.Suseela, Assistant Mining Geologist., IBM accompanied by Sri. A.Satyanand Prasad, Agent .

Rule no.	Rule position	Nature of violation
23 E(2)	The owner, agent, manager or mining engineer shall submit to the Regional Controller of Mines or the officer authorised by the State Government in this behalf, as the case may be, a yearly report before 1st July of every year setting forth the extent of protective and rehabilitative works carried out as envisaged in the approved mine closure plan, and if there is any deviation, reasons thereof.	The yearly report for the year 2015-16 setting forth the extent of protective and rehabilitation work carried out as envisaged in the approved scheme of Mining has not been submitted to the Regional Controller of Mines, Indian Bureau of Mines, Hyderabad.
45(7)	If it is found that the owner, agent, mining engineer or manager of mine or the person or company engaged in trading or storage or end-use or export of minerals, as the case may be, has submitted incomplete or wrong or false information in monthly or special or annual returns or fails to submit a return within the date specified, - (i) in the case of mining of minerals by the owner, agent, mining engineer or manager of mine, then the Regional Controller of Mines may,- (a) order suspension of all mining operations in the mine and may revoke the order of suspension only after ensuring proper compliance; (b) take action to initiate prosecution under these rules; (c) recommend termination of the mining lease, in case such suppression or misrepresentation of information indicates abetment or connivance of illegal mining;	On scrutiny of Annual Return submitted for the year 2015-16, the following discrepancies are observed. Refer part-I, item 12, area covered under mining is furnished as 8.190 ha, as against 0.29 ha . The area covered under waste dump is furnished as zero, as against 0.40ha . Refer Part-V, item No.3, The Reserves furnished in the approved mining plan are 6174 tonnes (111) under proved category and 33495 tonnes (122) under Probable category. After that you have produced 1630 tonnes during the year 2015-16. After depleting the production, the updated reserves will be 6174 tonnes (111) and 31865 tonnes(122) since the mining operations were restricted to western block only.

02. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above said violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule-58 of MCDR, 1988. Besides, inability to comply the provision of Rule 45(7) is liable for suspension of mining operations under the provision of Rule 45(7)(i)(a) 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,

(Ibrahim Sharif)
Sr. Assistant Controller of Mines

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- 1 खान नियंत्रक(द), भारतीय खान ब्यूरो, बंगलूर को प्रतिलिपि सूचनार्थ अग्रेषित ।
- 2 Copy for information & further necessary action to the Director of Mines and Geology, Government of Andhra Pradesh, 8th Floor, BRKR Government Offices Complex, Tank Bund Road, Hyderabad-500 001.
3. The Assistant Director, Dept. of Mines and Geology, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh, Vizianagaram Andhra Pradesh.
4. The Deputy Director General (Stat), MMS Division, IBM, Nagpur for kind information.

(Ibrahim Sharif)
Sr. Assistant Controller of Mines