

## Government of India Ministry of Mines **Indian Bureau of Mines** Office of the Regional Controller of Mines, Jabalpur



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Jabalpur, Dated: 13.12.2021

To,

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Subject: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017, in respect to Dhamdha Ironore & Manganese Mine over an area of 22.00 hect. in Jabalpur District of M.P.

Sir,

The following provisions of the Mineral Conservation and Development Rules 2017 were found violated in your above mine during the inspection on 07.12.2021 by Sh. Jay Kumar Pandey, Assistant

Mining	Engineer, accompanied by Sh. Nirmal Singh Kurweti, representative of lessee.
नियम स.	पाए गए उल्लंघन की विस्तृत प्रकृति
नियम स. Rule 11(1)	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 or approved by the competent authority of the Atomic Minerals Directorate for Exploration and Research, in respect of minerals specified in Part B of the First Schedule to the Act where the grade of such atomic minerals is equal to or above the threshold value limits declared under Schedule-A of the Atomic Minerals Concession Rules, 2016.  The document of above mentioned mine was approved vide letter No MP/Jabalpur/Iron & Manganese /RMP-29/2020-21 dated 11/12/2020 incorporating proposal of working from 2020-21 to 2024-25.  (a) During the year 2020-21 & 2021-22 the development and production was proposed from existing pit A situated in northern lease boundary between pillar no. 13 & 14 but during the inspection it
	was observed that the working has been done to some extent in proposed pit and mainly development and production was done from newly opened pit towards south west side of adjacent to proposed pit A of size about 90-100mx40-50mx20-24m. were proposals approved for the year 2022-23 & onwards year of current RMP period.  (b) During the year 2020-21 the waste generation proposed 5366 cubic meters but in actual about 25000 cubic meter waste generated & dumped.  (c) The generated waste and old waste dump near pit A were proposed to shift in southern side near pillar no.5 but during inspection it was observed that the generated waste and rehandled old dump waste was dumped south east side of lease area of sizes about 60-70mx40-60mx9-
	12m & 50-60mx40mx 8-10m were proposals not approved.
Rule 26(2)	The holder of mining lease shall submit to the competent authority a yearly report as per the format specified by the Indian Bureau of Mines, before 1 <sup>st</sup> day of July 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.  Lessee has not submitted annual PMCP report for the reporting year (2020-21).
Rule 27	MCDR 2017 has been amended vide Gazettes notification dated 03/11/2021 wherein the rate of financial assurance has been increased from Rs 3 Lakh to 5 Lakh per hectare of area put to use for mining & allied activities in case of 'A' category mines. Furnish additional Financial assurance of Rs 2400000 /- as required to submit.

## Rule 45(5)(c)

The holder of a mining lease shall submit online returns in respect of each mine to the Regional Controller or any other authorised official of the Indian Bureau of Mines in the following manner-

An annual return which shall be submitted before the 1<sup>st</sup> day of July each year for the preceding financial year in electronic form, along with a signed print copy of the same if it is not digitally signed, in the respective Form.

The annual return for the year 2020-21 submitted online, it was observed during scrutiny of annual return that lessee has not correctly shown following information/details:

- i) Under lease area utilization the area used for waste disposal is given .5ha. is not
- ii) The cost of production is calculated without mentioning royalty & taxes etc.
- iii) In part II, value of fixed assets given 0(zero) is not correct as within lease area there is mine office, mining machinery etc.
- 2. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of Mineral Conservations and Development Rules, 2017.
- 3. The mining operations can be suspended under the rule 11(2) of MCDR-2017, if compliance of rule 11(1) of MCDR-2017 is not found satisfactory.
- 4. 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.

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## NOO: प्रतिलिपि प्रेषित:

01. The Director of Geology & Mining, Govt. of Madhya Pradesh, Khanij Bhavan, 29-A, Arera Hills, Bhopal (M.P.) for information and further necessary action please.

02. The District Collector, Jabalpur (M.P.) for information.

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## प्रतिलिपि प्रेषित:

01. खान नियंत्रक (मध्य), भारतीय खान ब्यूरो, नागपुर को सूचनार्थ प्रेषित।

02. DDG, Mining & Mineral Statistics Division, Indian Bureau of Mines, Nagpur for referback of Annual Return for the year 2020-21 to rectification as pointed out above under rule 45(5)(c).

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