

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

File No.MP/Katni/Bauxite-61 \bigcirc \bigcirc \bigcirc Mine Code: 07MPR47023

Date: 28.04.2021

4612 Shri Rajendra Prasad Gupta Haji Mohd. Iqbal 98, South Milauniganj, Machli Market Govind Vallabh Pant Ward Jabalpur, M.P. 482002

Subject: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017, in respect to Padrehi Bauxite Mine 10.88 hect. in Katni District of M.P.

Sir,

Undersigned has inspected your mine in the presence of QP Shri Sandipan Sarkar & mine official Mr Mohd. Haji Iqbal on dated 25.09.2020. Following provisions of MCDR 2017 were found violated in your mines at the time of inspection.

Nature of violation observed in detail

The site inspection was carried out for the submitted darft Review of Mining Plan incorporating proposals from year 2021-22 to 2025-26, the deviation observed during inspection are as under:

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 1stday 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.

You have not submitted annual PMCP report for the year 2019-20.

Rule 45 (5) (b) A monthly return which shall be submitted before the tenth day of every month in respect of the preceding month in electronic form along with a signed print copy of the same if it is not digitally signed, in the respective form as indicated in Form F1.

Rule 45 (5) (c) An annual return which shall be submitted before the 1st 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 as indicated in Form G1.

In your case it is observed that monthly return is being submitted till upto Dec 2020, and Annual retun is submitted upto year 2018-19. You are advised to submit monthly retun upto March 2020 and annual return for the year 2019-20 & 2020-21.

Rule 55 (1) (c) Every holder of a mining lease shall employ, in case of category 'A' Mines, a whole tile mining engineer and geologist.

At the time of inspection, no Mining Engineer or Geologist were present / appointed in the mine Therefore, employment of Mining Engineer and Geologist are to be done for the systematic and scientific mining operation accordance to the proposal submitted.

- 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 30 (Thirty) days from the date of issue of this letter.

Yours faithfully,

Senior Mining Geologist Indian Bureau of Mines

Copy forwarded for information to:

1) The Controller of Mines (CZ), Indian Bureau of Mines, Nagpur.

2) The Director, Directorate of Geology and Mining, Khanij Bhawan 29-A Arera Hills Bhopal, M.P.

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