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To,

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Majhgawan Diamond Mine (113.332 Ha)
NMDC Ltd, Majhgawan,
Dist – Panna-488101(MP)
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Subject: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017, in respect to Majhgawan Diamond Mine (113.332 Ha), Mine code 17MPR26001 at Panna(M.P.)

Sir

Undersigned has inspected your mine in the presence of Sh S K Jain (Agent Mines), Sh P. S. Dhruw (Mine Manager), Shri Sanjay Kumar (Mining Engineer) and other mine officials on 06/02/2021. Following provisions of MCDR 2017 were found violated in your mines during inspection.

Rule No

Nature of violation observed in detail

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/ Panna/Diamond /RMP-32/2019-20 dated 28.02.2020 incorporating proposal of working from 2020-21 to 2024-25. During inspection it has been observed that the following provision of the rule has been violated:-

It was proposed to remove 325200 M³ overburden from the different benches of mines for development of mine. But, it has been observe that no overburden has been removed during the year 2020-21.

- 1. 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.
- 2. 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 violations of abovementioned rules immediately and intimate the position to this office within 45 (Forty Five) days from the date of issue of this letter.

ारेश कुमार कटारिया) उप खान नियंत्रक भारतीय खान ब्यूरो

NOO:

प्रतिलिपि पेषित :

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.

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

उप खान नियंत्रक भारतीय खान ब्यूरो

प्रतिलिपि प्रेषित :

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

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