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To,  
Shri Nathan R. Chowgule  
Nominated Owner.  
M/s Chowgule and Company Pvt. Ltd.  
Chowgule House.  
Mormugoa Harbour, Goa-403 803.

**Subject: Violation of provision of MCDR 2017 in respect of Karadikolla Iron Ore Mine, ML No. 2546, Extent 103.68 Ha.(as per CEC), located near Bhavihalli Village, Sandur Taluk, Bellary District of Karnataka State.**

Sir,

The following provision of the Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 was found violated in your above mine during inspection on 24.11.2018 by undersigned in presence of S/Shri Sudhir Wakhale, General Manager, P.R.V. Prasad – Mines Manager and other mining officials:

Rules	Nature of Violations observed
35 (2)	High resolution satellite images obtained from CARTOSAT-2 satellite LISS-IV sensor on the scale of cadastral map, as on 31 <sup>st</sup> March for that financial year, covering the mining lease and an area of 2 kilometres from the lease boundary was not submitted to the Regional Controller of Mines, IBM-Bangalore.

02. It is brought to your notice that violation of the above Rule constitutes 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 satisfactory.
04. 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,  
Sd/-  
**(Krishnendu Chatterjee)**  
Jr. Mining Geologist  
Indian Bureau of Mines

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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