Violation Letter



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Dated: 28/02/2020

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Sub: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation & Development Rules, 2017 in respect of your Sanjeevarayankote Iron Ore Mine (ML.NO. 2289)(Mine Code: 30KAR03123) in Bellary-Dist of Karnataka State Sir,

The following provisions of Mineral Conservation & Development Rules, 2017 were found violated during inspection of your above mine on 5/02/2020 by Shri Prashant S. Hegde, Regional Mining Geologist, South Zonal Office in presence of Shri Vinodh S Jadhav Mine manager and other mine officials.

Rule No.	Nature of violation observed
11 (1)	The mining operations are not being carried out as per the approved Scheme of Mining No-279/584/97/BNG, dated 18/04/2016 to the extent as mentioned below. (i)The proposed exploration programme of 3 nos BHs with 150 total meterage for year
	2019-20 has not been initiated /started so far. (ii) Mining operation is being carried out at Eastern part of existing pit against the proposed central part of the pit for year 2018-19 (at co-ordinates N 1664202.28 to 1664324.52 and E706958.10 to 707323.56).

26 (2)	Yearly report (for year 2018-19) as per the format before 1 st July of every year setting forth the extent of protective and rehabilitative works carried out as envisaged in the approved mine closure plan, has not been submitted so far.
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33	Copies of updated surface geological plan and sections have not been submitted so
	far.
35 (2)	The copy of high resolution satellite image obtained from CARTOSAT-2 satellite LISS-IV
	sensor on the scale of cadastral map as on 31/3/2019 covering the mining lease and
	an area of two kms from lease boundary has not been submitted so far.
45(7)	On examination of submitted Annual Return for year 2018-19, it is found to be incomplete due to following deficiencies.
	(i)Part IV (item No. 3):- The quantity of overburden removed was reflected as NIL even though 3000 tonnes removed during the year.
	(ii) Part-V(item No. 4.2 (B):The ROM ore production was reflected as 15,300 tonnes instead of 4000 tonnes.
	(iii) Part V(item No: 5): The details of information/ deployment of excavators and Jack hammer have not been furnished.
	(iv)Part-VI: Ex-mine price (Lumps below 55% Fe) mentioned has not been matching the corresponding sale values at item 5 of part VI. It shall be as per Rule 45(8)(b)(II) of MCDR 2017 in your case.
55 (1) (3)	A whole-time Mining Engineer and a Geologist have not been appointed so far, in compliance to the said rule.
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- 02. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence, punishable under Rule 62 of MCDR, 2017.
- 03. The mining operations can be suspended under rule 11(2) of MCDR 2017, 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/-

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