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No. KNT/BLR/Fe/455/BNG/

Dated: 10/11/ 2015

To,

Shri. Syed Ahmed, Managing Director

M/s Zeenath Transport Company

No.24, Zeenath House, Cowl Bazaar

Bellary.

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Subject:- Violation of provisions of MCDR 1988 in respect of Ramgad Iron Ore Mine (ML No. 2547) over an extent of 50.00 ha ha in Sandur Taluk & Bellary District, Karnataka State...Reg.

Sir,

The following provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules 1988 were found violated in your above mine during the inspection on 11/8/2015 by undersigned in the presence of Mines Manager S/Shri . J. Srikhant & Geologist. Hayavadana.

Rule 13(1)	The Modified Scheme of Mining was approved vide letter No. 279/419/94/BNG dated 21/8/2014 for the period from 2014-15 to 2016-17. The deviations observed in mining operations vis-a-vis approved document are given below: (i) In para 5.3, it is proposed to develop the pit and to do production during the year 2015-16 as per the location/ sections in the table-No. 23 in the sections, I-I', J-J', K-K' & K1-K1', But during the inspection it was observed that, the workings are beyond the L1-L1', which is against the approved proposals, and thus caused violation.
Rule 23(E)(2)	The annual report on PMCP for the year 2014-15, before 1st July of 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., has not received in this office.
Rule 45	While scrutinizing the annual returns for the year 2014-15, it is observed that, the area reported under reclamation & rehabilitation as 2.2 ha in part-I, but in the field, other than inactive dumps, no other area is used as reclaimed & rehabilitated. Even in the surface plan/ related plates, no such depiction has been made for reference.

02. In this connection, it is to bring to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 58 of MCDR 1988. Further, the violation of Rule 13(1) of MCDR may also attract provision of Rule 13(2) of MCDR 1988 regarding suspension of mining operations till the compliance of the violations.

03. 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/-

(C. Parameshwaran)
Dy. Controller of Mines

Copy for kind information to :

1. The Controller of Mines (SZ), IBM, Bangalore.
2. The Director, Dept. of Mines & Geology, Govt. of Karnataka, Khanij Bhavan, Race Course Road, Bangalore 560 001.

Yours faithfully,
Sd/-
(C. Parameshwaran)
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