



## भारत सरकार GOVERNMENT OF INDIA खान मंत्रालय MINISTRY OF MINES भारतीय खान ब्यूरो INDIAN BUREAU OF MINES क्षेत्रीय खान नियंत्रक के कार्यालय OFFICE OF THE REGIONAL CONTROLLER OF MINES



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Plot No. – 149, Pokhariput In front of CPWD office, Bhubaneswar – 751020 Date: 08.11.2019

To,

Shri Anand Kumar, GM Mines & Mines Agent Kalta Iron Mine RMD, SAIL At/Po: Kalta Dist-Sundergarh. Odisha-770052

Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation & Development Rules, 2017 in respect of your Kalta Iron Mine Sub: over an area of 25.981 ha in Sundargarh district of Odisha State.

Sir.

The following provision of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 was found violated in your above said mine during inspection on 04.10.19 by the undersigned in presence of your mines official Shri A.K.Mishra, mines Manager and Shri Peter Dang, Geologist.

Sl.No	Rule No	Rule Position	Nature of Violation
1	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	Monthly returns from the year 2018-19 have not been submitted till date

02 In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017.

03. Further, in view of the above position, the information has not been furnished under rule 45(5) (b) which leads this office to advise the state government under rule 45 (7) to,-

(i). Order suspension of all mining operations in the mine and to revoke the order of suspension only after ensuring proper compliance;

(ii). Take action to initiate prosecution under these rules;

(iii). Recommend termination of the mining lease, in case such suppression or misrepresentation of information indicates abetment or connivance of illegal mining;

03. You are advised to rectify the above violations immediately and intimate the position to this office within 45 (fortyfive) days from the date of issue of this letter.

Senior Mining Geologist Indian Bureau of Mines

Copy forwarded to:

The Controller of Mines (EZ) / Indian Bureau of Mines / Kolkata.

The Director of Mines / Directorate of Mines / Government of Orissa / Heads of Department Building / New 2. Capital / Bhubaneswar-751 001.

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