MCDR INSPECTION REPORT

1.0 **GENERAL**

SN	Particulars	Details
1 (a)	Name of the Mine	RAN BAUXITE MINES, S.NO 403
1(b)	Name of Inspecting officer & Designation	Sanjay M Girhe, Sr. Mining Geologist
1(c)	Date of Inspection	03/11/2017
1(d)	Type of Inspection	Review of Mining Plan
1(e)	Accompanying officer	Sh. N. Gandhi, Mines Manager,
		Sh. Govindbhai, Mines Supervisor
2	Total Lease Area (Ha) with breakup of Non- forest and forest land	5.27 HECT
3	Minecode	07GUJ0754
4	IBM Registration Number under rule 45 of MCDR, 1988	IBM/248/2011
5	Name of the lessee, Address, phone, email and fax number	M/S SAURASHTRA CALCINE BAUXITE&ALLIED IND., HARSHAD ROAD /P.O-BHATIA,TA-KALYANPUR,DIST-DEVBHUMIDWARKA,PH NO-02891-233199, 233155 Email: scabalindia@gmail.com Fax No-02891-233166
6	Village	RAN
7	Taluka/Mandal	KALYANPUR
8	District	DEVBHUMI-DWARKA
9	Pincode	361315
10	State	GUJARAT
11	Post office	BHATIA
12	Nearest police station	BHATIA
13	Nearest Railway station	BHATIA
14	Date of Grant of Mining Lease	05/12/1978
15	Date of Execution	20/04/1979
16	Date of opening of Mine	
17	Date of first Renewal, if applicable and its period & expiry	Lessee had applied for first ML renewal on dtd-01/12/1997 and matter pending at State Govt. level
18	Date of second Renewal, if applicable and its period & expiry	
19	Date of submission of renewal application if Mining Operations are continuing under deemed extension	Lessee had applied for first ML renewal on dtd-29/10/2002 for next 20 years.
20	Name of the Nominated Owner with Address, phone, email, fax number and date of appointment	Shri Dwarkadas Raichura Harshad Road, P.OBhatia, Taluka-Kalyanpur, Dist- Devbhumi-dwarka Phone No- 02891-233199
21	Name of the Mine Agent with Address, phone, email, fax number and date of appointment	Shri Gulabbhai Pabari Harshad road /P.OBhatia,taluka-Kalyanpur,Dist- Devbhumidwarka,Ph no- 02891-233199
22	Name of the Mines Manager with Address, phone, email, fax number and date of appointment in mines	NA
23	Name of the Mining Engineer, Qualification and total experience with Address, phone, email, fax number and date of appointment in mine	Sh. Nainesh Gandhi is working as Mining Engineer
24	Whether Geologist and Mining Engineer appointed in mines satisfy the rule 42 & carrying out their duties as per rule 43 & 44.	NA
25	Date of Approval of Mining Plan/Modified Mining Plan with five-year period and specific condition in approval letter, if any.	Mining Plan was approved vide letter No-682(23)-252/2002MCCM(N)UDP dtd 09.04.2003 for five year period.
26	Date of Approval of Scheme of	Scheme of Mining was approved vide letter No-

	Mining/Modified Scheme of Mining with five-year period and specific condition in approval letter, if any.	682(23)MS-424/2008 (N) UDP dtd 30.07.2013 for 5 year period from 2013-14 to 2017-18
27	Mineral(s) granted in lease and proved for mining	Bauxite
28	Method of Mining(Opencast, Underground)	Opencast
29	Category (Fully Mechanised, Others or Manual)	Others
30	Captive/Non Captive	Captive

Scientific Mining: Compliance of proposals of approved mining plan/scheme of mining. – **Exploration**

Exp	oration			
SN	Item	Proposals (2016-17	Actual work	Remarks
1a	Backlog of previous year	Not Proposed	Not Applicable	exploration by working pit & prospecting pits
1b	Exploration over lease area for Geological axis 1 or 2.	1 Trial Pit of 4mx4mx4m was proposed.	1 Trial Pit of 4mx4mx4m was done	
1c	Exploration Agency & Expenditure in lakh Rupees during the year	No Proposals	Expenditure Rs-40000 incurred exp. So far	
1d	Balance area to be explored to bring Geological axis in 1 or 2	No Proposals	Nil	
1e	Balance reserves as on 01.04.2017	No Proposals	Balance Reserves as on 01.04.2017 Proved (111) – 304661MT Probable(122)- 50500MT Mineral Resources Feasibility(211)- 140000MT	
1f	General remarks of inspecting officer on geology, exploration etc.	-	of Bauxite mineralisat on by trial pit serve th	

2.0 **Development**

SN	Item	Proposals (2016-17)	Actual work	Remarks
2a	Location of development w.r.t.	Working was proposed	Working carried	Production
	lease area	along section M-M'	out as per the	proposed -
		south of strip-III .	proposed location	50445MT &
				Production
				achieved-50443MT
				during 2016-17
2b	Separate benches in topsoil,	Top soil scrapping is	Top soil scrapping	No OB in the area
	overburden and mineral (Rule 15)	proposed with separate	and separate	
		benches in ore.	benches in ore are	
			done.	
2c	Stripping ratio or ore to OB ratio	1:0.111	1:0.11	Top soil as OB
2d	Quantity of topsoil generation in	2360 CuM	1062 CuM	
	m3			
2e	Quantity of overburden	Not Proposed	Nil	
	generation in m3	_		

2f	General remarks of inspecting	No overburden occurred in the area and 5% of total ROM which has
	officer on development of pit	clayish material is considered as waste.
	w.r.t. type of deposit etc.	

3.0 **Exploitation**

SN	Item	Proposals (2016-17)	Actual work	Remarks
3a	Number of pits proposed for production	Proposed in 1 Pit only	Achieved in 1 Pit only	
3b	Quantity of ROM mineral production proposed	53100 MT	50443 MT	
3c	Recovery of saleable/usable mineral from ROM production	High Grade Bauxite- 20% (Al2O3>50%) Low grade Bauxite 80% (Al2O3>35%) Abrasive & Refractory grade	More or less achieved as per the proposals	Recovery from total ROM
3d	Quantity of mineral reject generation	No Proposals	Nil	
3e	Grade of mineral reject generation and threshold value declared	No Proposals	Nil	
3f	Quantity of sub-grade mineral generation	No Proposals	Nil	
3g	Grade of sub-grade mineral generation	No Proposals	Nil	
3h	Manual / Mechanised method adopted for segregating from ROM	Proposed Manual	Manual	
3i	Any analysis or beneficiation study proposed & carried out for sub-grade mineral and reject	No Proposals	Nil	
3j	Provision of drilling & blasting in mineral benches	No Proposals	Nil	
3k	Provision of mining machineries in mineral benches	Excavator-0.9M3 Tipper-15MT Jack Hammer-32	Excavator-0.9M3 Tipper-15MT Jack Hammer-32	
31	Whether height of benches in overburden and mineral suitable for method of mining proposed in MP/SOM	3 Bench of 1.5Mts height proposed in Bauxite. 1 bench of 0.50M in top soil	Working carried out as per the given proposals	
3m	Total area covered under excavation/pits	3.45Ha (as per the approved MS)	2.20 Ha (As per the AR-2016-17)	
3n	Ore to OB ratio for the pit/mine during the year	1:0.11	1:0.11	
30	Total area put in use under different heads at the end of year	Pit-3.45Ha OB dumps-0.03Ha Mineral Stack-0.05Ha Infrastructure-0.005Ha Road-0.030Ha	Pit-2.20Ha OB dumps-0.15Ha Mineral Stack- 0.05Ha Infrastructure- 0.005Ha Road-0.030Ha	Actual status is as per the AR-2016-17
3p	Production of ROM mineral during last five-year period, as applicable	Yr-2013-14 -: 55562 Yr-2014-15 -: 52875 Yr-2015-16 -: 52650 Yr-2016-17 -: 53100	Yr-2013-14 10990 Yr-2014-15 17797 Yr-2015-16 50410 Yr-2016-17 50443	Production figures as per the Annual Returns
3q	General remarks of inspecting officer on method of mining etc.	Violation of provisions of were pointed out for recti		3 of MCDR,2017

4.0 Solid Waste Management-Dumping

SN	Item	Proposals (2016-17)	Actual work	Remarks
4a	Separate dumping of topsoil, OB & mineral reject (Rule 32, 33)	Concurrent use of OB top soil & waste proposed.	Concurrent OB top soil & waste used.	Simultaneous backfilling
4b	Location of topsoil, OB & mineral reject dumps	It was proposed that the waste generated during scheme period will be backfilled in west part of the lease area	Top soil and waste generated during the year is used in backfilling	Simultaneous backfilling
4c	Number of dumps within lease area and outside lease area	Not proposed	Nil	
4d	Location of dumps w.r.t. ultimate pit limit (Rule 16)	Not proposed	NA	
4e	Number of active & alive dumps	Nil	Nil	
4f	Number of dead dumps	Nil	Nil	
4g	Number of dumps stabilised	Nil	Nil	
4h	Whether Retaining wall or garland drain all along dumps are there	Nil	Nil	
4i	Length of Retaining wall or garland drain all along dump	Nil	Nil	
4j	Number of settling ponds	Nil	Nil	
4k	Specific comments of inspecting officer	Nil	1	1

5.0 Solid Waste Management-Backfilling

SN	Item	Proposals (2016-17)	Actual work	Remarks
5a	Status on part or full extraction	Backfilling by waste	Backfilling by waste	
	of mineral from mined out area	material proposed in	material is done in	
	before starting backfilling	mine out area where ore	mine out area where	
		completely exhausted.	ore is completely	
			exhausted.	
5b	Area under backfilling of mined	826 CuM	600 CuM	
	out area			
5c	Concurrent use of topsoil for	Concurrent use of topsoil	Concurrent use of	
	restoration or rehabilitation of	for restoration or	topsoil is done as	
	mined out area (Rule 32)	rehabilitation proposed	proposed.	
5d	Total area fully reclaimed &	0.800 Ha	0.800 Ha	
	rehabilitated			
5e	General remarks of inspecting	Violation of provisions of rules 11(1), 14 and 33 of MCDR,2017 were		
	officer on backfilling,	pointed out for rectification.		
	reclamation etc.			

6.0 Progressive Mine Closure Plan

SN	Item	Proposals (2016-17)	Actual work	Remarks
6a	Whether Annual report on	Last day for submitting	Yes submitted	
	PMCP submitted on time and	Annual Return was 31 st	within stipulated	
	correctly - Rule 23E(2). Details	July of every year	time limit.	
	should be given in the format as			
	given in Annexure-20.			

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6b	Management of worked/mined			
	out benches			
	i) Area available for			
	rehabilitation (ha)	Not Proposed	Nil	
	ii) Afforestation done (ha)	_		
	iii) No. of saplings planted			
	during the year			
	iv) Cumulative no. of plants			
	v) Any other specific method of			
	rehabilitation			
	vi) Cost incurred on watch &			
	care during the year			
6c	Compliance on reclamation and	-		
	rehabilitation by backfilling	-		
	i) Voids available for backfilling	-		
	(L X B X D)	-		
	ii) Void filled by waste/tailings			
	iii) Afforestation on the	-		
	backfilled area			
	iv) Rehabilitation by making	0.3861Ha	0.3861Ha	
	water reservoir			
	v) Any other specific means			
6d	Compliance of Rehabilitation of			
	waste land within lease	Not Proposed	Nil	
	i) Afforestation			
	ii) Area rehabilitated (ha)			
	iii) Methof of rehabilitation			
6e	Compliance of Environmental	Ambient Air Quality,	Monitoring carried	
	monitoring (core zone & buffer	Water Quality, Noise	in core as well as	
	zone)	Quality monitoring	buffer zone.	
		proposed		
6f	General remarks of inspecting	Environmental quality monitoring works entrusted to outsourced		
	officer on PMCP compliance &	consultant and relevant reports were produced during inspection.		
	progressive			

7.0 Mineral Conservation

SN	Item	Proposals (2016-17)	Actual work	Remarks
7a	ROM Mineral dispatch or gradewise sorting within lease area	Grade wise despatch proposed.	Grade wise despatched Cement grade- 3148.140 Refractory grade- 2062.610	
7b	Method of grade-wise mineral sorting i.e. manual or mechanical	Manual	Manual	
7c	Different grade of mineral sorted out at mines	Grade wise hand sorting of Bauxite ore within mining lease proposed	Bauxite is hand sorted within the quarry for different grade, such as a abrasive grade, refectory grade, ceramic grade, cement grade, (low grade)	
7d	Any beneficiation process at mines	No beneficiation process is proposed	No beneficiation process is proposed	
7e	General remarks of inspecting officer on Mineral conservation & beneficiation issues	Bauxite ore consumed as Non Plant grade of ore up to Al2O3 -30% which threshold value of Bauxite Ore.		

8.0 Environment

SN	Item	Proposals (2016-17)	Actual work	Remarks
8a	Separate removal and utilization of topsoil (Rule 32)	The top soil to be generated during 2016-17 scheme period was proposed to spread on backfilled area.	The top soil generated during 2016-17 scheme period was used to spread on already backfilled area.	
8b	Concurrent use or storage of topsoil	Concurrent use of topsoil proposed during the year	The top soil generated during 2016-17 scheme period was used to spread on already backfilled area.	
8c	Separate dumps for overburden, waste rock, rejects and fines (Rule 33)	Concurrent use of topsoil proposed during the year hence separate dumping not proposed.	The top soil generated during 2016-17 of scheme period was used to spread on already backfilled area.	
8d	Use of overburden, waste rock, rejects and fines dumps for restoring the land to its original use	Not Proposed	Nil	Simultaneous backfilling
8e	Phased restoration, reclamation and rehabilitation of lands affected by mining operations (Pits, dumps etc.)	It was proposed that the mined out land will be backfilled.	It was proposed that the mined out land will be backfilled.	
8f	Baseline information on existence of plantation & additional plantation done (Rule 41)	Proposed 20 saplings	20 Saplings planted 0.002 Ha	
8g	Survival rate	Proposed – 80%	Actual-70%	
8h	Water sprinkling on roads to control airborne dust	It was proposed to sprinkling water on haul road .	Water sprinkling on haul road being carried out regularly.	
8i	General remarks of inspecting officer on aesthetic beauty in and around mines are	Nil		

9.0 Compliance of Rule 45

S.	Item	COMMENTS	Remarks
N.			
	Status of submission of	M.R. Submitted upto till the previous month	
	Online Monthly and Annual	A.R. submitted for the year 2016-17 submitted on	
	returns	- 30.06.2017	

S.	Item	Details GIVEN in	OBSERVATION OF	Remarks
N.		A.R.2016-17	/ OFFICER	
9b	Scrutiny of Annual return	NA	NA	
	for information on Mining			
	Engineer, Geologist and			
	Manager			
9c	Scrutiny of Annual return	Pit-2.20Ha	Pit-2.20Ha	
	on land use pattern for area	OB dumps-0.15Ha	OB dumps-0.15Ha	
	under pits, reclaimed area,	Mineral Stack-0.05Ha	Mineral Stack-0.05Ha	

	dumps etc.	Infrastructure-0.005Ha	Infrastructure-	
		Road-0.030Ha	0.005Ha	
			Road-0.030Ha	
9d	Scrutiny of Annual return	Proposed 20 saplings	20 Saplings planted	
	on afforestation		0.002 Ha	It was advised to the
9e	Scrutiny of Annual return			mine representatives
	on mineral reject generation	NA		present in the
	(Grade & quantity)			inspection to submit
9f	Scrutiny of Annual return	Details given in AR	Cement Grade-	the online AR & MR
	on ROM stock and/or		66634.065MT	meticulously and
	graded ore		8001.500 Refractory	furnished the correct
9g	Scrutiny of Annual return	Ex-mine Price	Ex-mine Price	figures on Ex-mine
	on sale value, Ex. Mine	-Cement Grade-835/MT	-Cement Grade-	price/Cost of
	price & production cost	-Refractory-550MT	835/MT	production, etc.
		Cost of Production	-Refractory-550MT	
		For all grade-324	Cost of Production	
			For all grade-324	
9i	Scrutiny of Annual return	NA	NA	
	on fixed assets			
9k	Scrutiny of Annual return	Excavator-0.9M3	Excavator-0.9M3	
	on mining machineries	Tipper-15MT	Tipper-15MT	
		Jack Hammer-32	Jack Hammer-32	

10- Details of violations observed during current inspection and compliance position of earlier violation pointed out: -The last inspection of mine was carried out on dtd 13.05.2013 and violations of rules 23E(2), 45(5)(a) & 42(1)(c)(i) were observed and these violation rectified by the lessee vide letter No-JAM/BUX/41 dtd 17.09.2013. This inspection was carried out in connection with Review of Mining Plan and during the inspection violation of rules 11(1), 14 & 33 of MCDR, 2017 were pointed for its rectification and violation letter was issued on dt 02.01.2018.
