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Date :27.06.2022.

No. AP/ANP/MP/Iron ore-12/Hyd.

To
To:

Sri Vishwanath Reddy, Managing Partner,
S/o.A.Veereshappa,
M/s. Sai Balaji Minerals,
Amingad Village & (P.O),
Manvi Taluk, Raichur District,
Karnataka State-584 101.

Sub: - Submission of draft Review of Mining Plan in respect Obulapuram Iron Ore Mine over an area of 4.046 ha. situated in Obulapuram Village, D Hirehal Mandal, Ananthpur District, Andhra Pradesh State submitted under Rule 17(2) of MCR, 2016... Reg.

Ref: Your Email dated 06.07.2022.
Sir,

With reference to your letter cited above on the subject, the draft Modified Mining plan is examined and the site inspection was carried out on 22.07.2022 by Shri Madhusudan Yadav, ACOM accompanied by Shri Naveen Kumar Reddy, Mines representative and Shri M.Pratap Reddy, Qualified Person and found certain deficiencies as given in Annexure. The same has been forwarded to you and your Qualified Person on respective e.mail ids i.e., saibalajiminerals3@gmail.com and shridharmhatgoa@gmail.com.

02. You are advised to attend the deficiencies as per the annexure and resubmit the document, complete in all respects, in three bound copies along with soft copy in the form of CD (4Nos.). In this regard, you are directed to submit the Financial Assurance in the form of Bank Guarantee for the area put on use for Mining and allied activities @ Rs.Five lakhs/hectare for category 'A' mines provided that the minimum amount shall be Rs.Ten lakhs as per the provision of Rule 27(1) of MCDR, 2017 at the time of submission of final copies of the document within 15 (fifteen) days from the date of issue of this letter, failing which the document will be disposed without giving any further opportunity.

03. The para-wise clarification & the manner in which the deficiencies are attended should be given while forwarding modified document.

Yours faithfully,

Shilendra Kumar
27/7/22

(Shailendra Kumar)

Regional Controller of Mines

Copy to Sri. Shridhar M Bhat, Qualified Person - for information & necessary action.

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27/7/22

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Regional Controller of Mines

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खान नियंत्रक (द), भारतीय खान ब्यूरो, बेंगलुरु।

Shilendra Kumar
27/7/22

(शैलेंद्र कुमार)

क्षेत्रीय खान नियंत्रक

Scrutiny comments on examination of Review of Mining Plan of Obulapuram Iron Ore Mine M/s. Sai Balaji Minerals over an area of 4.046 Ha in Obulapuram Village, D- Hirchal Mandal, Anantapur District, Andhra Pradesh submitted under Rule 17 (2) of MCR 2016.

General

1. Deed of admission-cum-retirement submitted is not signed by the retiring partner and not registered under Register of Firms.
2. The lease area submitted in the .kml file is 3.85 Ha which is different from the original area as per the lease deed. Clarify it.
3. Status of implementation of CCOM Circular no. 2/2010 to be submitted.
4. DGPS surveyed lease sketch authenticated by the Director of Mines and Geology shall be submitted.
5. Clarification is sought in the form of affidavit clearly stating that no issues related to illegal mining, royalty payment, safety & environment of general public, public interest litigation and court case.
6. Review of Mining Plan document is not submitted in the excel format as mentioned in the CCOM Circular 1/2021 dated 08.09.2021.
7. During inspection it was found that two lease boundary pillars (A & K) are not installed.
8. In the annual returns (2021-22) data for stock of 18785 tonnes of ROM, 7656 tonnes of lump ore and 776 tonnes of fine ore is submitted, whereas during inspection it was noticed that no such stock is present within the mining lease.
9. The document shall be submitted as per the format mentioned in the FAQ on format of Mining Plans issued vide CCOM Circular 1/2021 dated 08.09.2021.
10. The final document shall adhere the conditions stipulated in CCOM circular No. 01/2021 dated 07.06.2021 & FAQ on format of Mining Plans issued vide CCOM Circular 1/2021 dated 08.09.2021.
11. Color photographs should be enclosed as annexure for easy reference pertaining to boundary pillars, working pit, dump, afforestation, core logs, ground control points etc.
12. It is proposed to carry out the excavation and loading with machineries. Hence copy to HEMM permission under MMR 1961 for use of machinery shall be submitted.
13. Digital aerial images of the mining lease area as per Rule 34A (3) of MCDR Amendment Rules 2021, shall be submitted.

Chapter 1: General Information

1.1.1. Initial/subsequent lease grant details

- Status of the deemed extension of lease period as per Section 8A of MMDR Act, 2015 shall be mentioned correctly and proposals shall be submitted accordingly.
- Lease deed annexure number shall be submitted correctly.

1.1.2. Mining Plan submission criteria details

Document is submitted as Review of Mining Plan, details to be submitted accordingly in the relevant columns.

1.2. Land ownership details

Survey number details shall be submitted correctly in the relevant column.

1.1.2. Mining Plan submission criteria details

Details shall be submitted in the relevant column as applicable.

1.3.4. Statutory Compliances

Status of Environment Clearance shall be submitted.

1.3.4. Mine location details

Toposheet number shall be mentioned correctly.

1.3.5.1. Location of Boundary Pillars

- Boundary pillar co-ordinates shall be submitted in UTM co-ordinates as annexure.
- Boundary Pillars (A & K) were not erected in the field.

1.3.6. Owner/Nominated Details

- Firm registration certificate after changing the partners not submitted.
- As mentioned in the Mining Plan format, minutes of Board Resolution in case of Nominated owner shall be submitted.

1.3.7. Qualified Person Details as per M(OAHCEM)CR, 2016

Legible copies of the experience certificate of the Qualified Person shall be submitted in the annexure.

Chapter 2: Geology & Exploration

2.1.4. Average thickness & grade of all litho units of the orebody shall be submitted.

2.2.1.7. All the borehole lithologs shall be signed by the geologist Incharge for the exploratory operation.

2.2.1.13. Bulk density of various types of rocks shall be mentioned correctly as per the study report and tonnage shall be calculated accordingly.

2.2.2.14. Area covered under explored shall be submitted correctly.

2.2.3. Details of all radicals of Iron ore shall be submitted in chemical parameters column.

2.2.4.13. Reserves/Reserves estimation shall be submitted correctly based on the exploration carried out in the mining lease area and estimation date shall be mentioned correctly.

2.2.5. Proposed year of future exploration shall be mentioned.

2.2.5.5. Feasibility Report shall be submitted as per the contents mentioned in Part-V of Schedule-I of MEMC Rules, 2015 (amended upto 14th December 2021).

Chapter 3: Mineral Beneficiation/Processing

3.1. Mineralogy of the ROM shall be submitted.

3.2. Complete Chemical Analysis of the ROM Ore/Mineral shall be submitted.

Chapter 4: Mining Operations

4.1.1. Existing & proposed method of mining shall be submitted correctly.

4.2.2.1. Proposal shall be submitted for excavating overburden separately and the same shall be depicted in the plans and sections.

4.3.2. Yearwise quantity of waste and ROM handled shall be submitted correctly.

Chapter 5: Sustainable Mining

5.1. Sustainable Mining and SDF Implementations in Compliance of Rule 35 of MCDR'2017 shall be submitted.

5.2. Cumulative Work done / Measures Taken not submitted correctly for all the headings under CSR initiatives.

5.2. Year wise proposal shall be submitted for the CSR initiatives.

Chapter 6: Progressive Mine Closure Plan

6.1. Total area degraded shall be submitted correctly.

Chapter 7: Financial Assurance/Performance security (Area put to use)

- Financial assurance plan should be submitted on the basis of area put to use for mining allied activities and in view of above comments and the amount shall be submitted in the form of Bank Guarantee as per Rule 27 of Mineral Conservation and Development (Amendment) Rules, 2021.

Chapter 8: Review of Previous Proposals

8.1.1. Area proposed under various activities shall be submitted correctly in the lease area utilization table.

8.2. Technical Details

- Year wise proposed development details shall be submitted correctly.
- Proper justification for deviation in the proposed exploration, development and production shall be submitted.

Plans & Sections:

1. All the features in the plans and sections shall be mentioned correctly in the index.
2. Plans and sections not submitted as per the conditions stipulated in CCOM circular No. 01/2021 dated 07.06.2021 & FAQ on format of Mining Plans issued vide CCOM Circular 1/2021 dated 08.09.2021.
3. Proposals shall be submitted in .kml or .shp files in the form of soft copies.



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