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दिनांक/Dated: .09/06/2020

गोरगुंटापाल्या

₩/No.: KNT/BLR/FE.414/BNG/Vol-1
To,
K.S.Nagaraj,Nominated Owner,
Ramanamalai Iron ore Mine,
VESCO House, 2/138,
Ballari Road, Sandur - 583119.

विषय/Subject: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 in respect of your Ramanamalai Iron Ore Mine,( ML No. 2296) of M/s Veerabhadrappa Sangappa & Company, over an extent of 53.16 ha as per CEC & 51.00 ha as per lease deed in Ramgad village, Sandur Taluka, Ballari district of Karnataka state.

Sir,

The following provisions of the Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 were found violated in your above mine during inspection on 05/03/2020 by C Parameshwaran, Deputy Controller of Mines, in the presence of Mines Manager S/Shri H.M.Nanda Kumar, & Geologist, Shanmugappa Mandal.

t was proposed in the approved Modified Mining Plan approved vide letter no.
279/478/95/BNG dated 16/19.09.2016 for the five years period 2016-17 to 2020-21. The deviations observed in mining operations vis-a-vis approved locument are given below.
i) It was proposed to produce 541,981 tonnes of OB and 11,00,041 tonnes of production for the year 2019-20, with the Ore to OB ratio of 1:0.49, but the ctual produce as per the annual return for the year is 295000t of OB & 1,00,000 tonnes of ore, resulting to the ore to OB ratio is 0.27 only. What is the eason for not achieving the proposed quantity of OB, may be explained.
ii).The mineral rejects generated for the year 2018-19 shown in the annual eturn is 16130 tonnes of $+35$ to $45\%$ fe, where is the stack of such mineral ejects and the storage is not indicated.
iii).The production and the development proposals drawn as per the approved locument is shown in plate no 6D, but on the day of inspection, the levelopment and the production is more on the NNW and SW, also on the outhern side. Not as proposed in the approved document, attracts the violations.
The information furnished in the annual return for the year 2018-19, given in Part-V, $1(C)(b)$ , mineral excavated & not sold, i.e. mineral rejects, BHQ+35 to 55% Fe, and section -4, 4.2(b), mineral rejects of 16130 tonnes of +35 to 45% Fe, what is the total quantity that is stacked in the lease area as on date is not ndicated in the returns for future use.





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

भवदीय/Yours faithfully, Sd/-(जी सी मीणा / G C MEENA) क्षेत्रीय खान नियन्त्रिक / Regional Controller of Mines भारतीय खान ब्यूरो / Indian Bureau of Mines

प्रतिलिपि सूचनार्थ'/Copy for kind information to:

- 1. The Controller of Mines (SZ), Indian Bureau of Mines, Bangalore.
- 2. The Director, Department. of Mining & Geology, No.49, Khanij Bhavan, Race Course Road, Bangalore-560001.

Sd/-(जी सी मीणा / G C MEENA) क्षेत्रीय खान नियन्त्रिक / Regional Controller of Mines भारतीय खान ब्यूरो / Indian Bureau of Mines