## VIOLATION LETTER



## भारत सरकारGOVERNMENT OF INDIA खान मंत्रालय MINISTRY OF MINES भारतीय खान ब्युरो INDIAN BUREAU OF MINES क्षेत्रीय खान नियंत्रक के कार्यालय OFFICE OF THE REGIONAL CONTROLLER OF MINES



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Date: 06/09/2019

No.: ORI/IRON-MN/KJR/MCDR-84/BBS/

सेवामें./

Shri Vivek Gupta, Director (Technical) & Nominated Owner,

M/s Steel Authority of India Limited.

Raw MaterialsDivision

Bolani Ores Mines, P.O. Bolani, PIN - 758037

Dist.Keonjhar, Odisha

Sub: Violation of provisions of MCDR, 2017 in respect of your Bolani Iron Mines, over an area of 1321.45 hectare in Keonjhar district of Odisha

Sir,

The following provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 were found violated in your above said mine during inspection on 27.08.2019 by the undersigned accompanied by S/Shri Dilip Mahana, Senior Inspector of Mines, DDM Office, Joda, State Govt., Of Odisha,

Rule No.	Proposed in the approved mining plan / Rule	Violation
11 (1)	As per the approved mining scheme dated 06.08.2018	i) During inspection it is observed that No exploration has been carried out
	i) It is proposed to do exploration by drilling 23 nos of boreholes during the year 2018-19. ii)It is proposed to construct retaining wall of	during the year.  ii) During inspection it is observed that only retaining wall of length in
	400 m in length around waste dump as a part of protective measures for the year 2018-19	meters 200 has been constructed around waste dump during the year.
45 (7)	Holder of mining lease shall not submit incomplete or wrong or false information in daily or monthly or annual returns.	i) During scrutiny of annual return it is observed that lease area utilization details furnished under Part-I, item no.12 are not in line with the details of approved mining plan.

02. It is brought to your notice that these violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of MCDR,2017.

Besides, inability to comply with the provision of Rule 11 (1) is liable for suspension of mining operations according to the provisions of Rule 11 (2) of MCDR, 2017.

Further, in view of the above position, the information furnished under Rule 45(5) in the Annual return is construed as furnishing wrong or false information, 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 (forty-five) days from the date of issue of this letter.

Yours faithfully,

(Ramkishan R)

Senior Assistant Controller of Mines Indian Bureau of Mines

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- (2) डायरेक्टरऑफमाइन्स/The Director of Mines, डायरेक्टोरेटऑफमाइन्स / Directorate of Mines, उड़ीसासरकार /Government of Orissa, हेडसऑफडिपार्टमेंटबिल्डिंग /Heads of Department Building, न्यूकैपिटल /New Capital, भुवनेश्वर /Bhubaneswar-751 001 : For information

(Ramkishan R)

Senior Assistant Controller of Mines

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