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बेंगलुरु -560022

सं/No.: KNT/BLR/Fe-150/BNG/ Vol-II

दिनांक/Dated: 16/9/2021

To,

Dr. Meda Venkataiah
Nominated Owner
M/s. MSPL Ltd., Baldota Enclave
Abheraj Baldota Road, Hosapete – 583 203

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विषय/Subject: Violation of provisions of MCDR 2017 in respect of your Vyasanakere Iron Ore Mine (M.L. No. 2416) over an extent of **354.71Ha** having mine code 30KAR03017 in Vyasanakere Village, Hosapete Taluk, Ballari District of Karnataka State.

Sir,

The following provisions of the Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 were found violated in your above said mine during inspection on 07/09/2021 by undersigned along with Shri H.M. Shivakumar in presence of Shri Venkateshwar Rao, Mines Manager, Shri Dominic Savio, AGM - Mines and Shri S. Shivakumar, AGM - Exploration

Rules	Nature of Violations observed
11(1)	The Mining operations required to be carried out in accordance as per the approved Review and Updation of the Mining Plan vide letter 279/143//90/BNG/1772 dated 04/11/2016. However, during the inspection deviations were observed in mining operation vis-à-vis approved document and is as follows: As per the said approved document, Excavation/development of pit to be carried out by formation of regular benches by maintaining height of the bench of 9m to 10m and width of the bench more than 10m. However, during the inspection, it is observed that the width of the benches are not maintained as proposed at few benches in the eastern side of the pit between the section line NB-NB' to NC-NC'.

45(7)	<p>In the Annual Return submitted for the year 2020-21, following discrepancies were observed</p> <p>(i) In Part-II A Capital Structure, Total Depreciation during the year is mentioned as Rs. 3,87,16,469/-. However, in Part – III Consumption of Materials (2) Royalty & Rents Depreciation on fixed assets is mentioned as Rs. 3,73,14,834/-. The amount in the said sections are not tallying each other.</p> <p>(ii) In Part-IIA Capital Structure, Value of land mentioned as Rs. 4,38,92,330/-. However, the total lease area is in Forest Land.</p> <p>(iii) In Part-VII COST OF PRODUCTION, the taxes paid towards Royalty, NMET, DMF were not taken into account while calculating the Cost of Production.</p>
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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. The mining operations can be suspended under rule 11(2), if compliance of rule 11(1) is not found satisfactory.

04. 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.

भवदीय/Yours faithfully,

Sd/-

(Dr. Sudhakara T.L.)
Senior Mining Geologist
Indian Bureau of Mines

Copy for kind information to:

1. The Controller of Mines (SZ), Indian Bureau of Mines, Bangalore.
2. The Director, Dept. of Mines & Geology, 49, Khanij Bhavan, Race Course Road, Bangalore-560001.

Sd/-

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