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File No. JHK/LOH/BX/255/RRO

Date: 11.11.2021

To
Shri Bijesh Kumar Jha, (Nominated Owner)
M/s Minerals & Minerals Ltd.,
Court Road, P.O: Lohardaga,
Dist.: Lohardaga, Jharkhand-835302.

Sub: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rule, 2017 in respect of "Pakhar" Bauxite Mine Mining code 07JHK12012 over an area of 109.507 Hects. at Lohardaga District of Jharkhand State – reg.

Ref: This Office's Violation letter of even no. dated: 30.08.2021

Sir,

The following provision of Mineral Conservation & Development Rules, 2017 was found violated on the examination of this office records by the undersigned and communicated to you vide this office letter of even no. dated 30.08.2021 giving you period of 45 (forty five) days' time for rectification of the same.

| Rule No. | Nature of Violations observed |
|----------|--|
| 45(7) | <p>On scrutiny of the Annual Returns for the year 2020-21 of your above mentioned mine following discrepancy were observed:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">Direct cost figure in Part-VII is not matching with the cost figure mentioned in Employment & Wages Part-II and Consumption of Materials Part-III.Depreciation figure mentioned in Part-II A in Capital Structure is group of mines. Separate depreciation figure of this mine is required. Land depreciation value during the year may be verified.Sale tax Rs. 11378437/- has been mentioned in Taxes and Cesses Section in Part-III item-5 but taxes figure is not mentioned in Cost of Production Section.In Part-VI item 2, Ex-mine price of 40% to below 45% Al₂O₃ is Rs. 899.66/- but in Part-VI item 5, Sale value is Rs. 989.02/-. It may be clarified.As per Monthly Returns for the month of April-2020 to March, 2021 submitted by you, total Sale value is Rs. 214873970.86/- but in Annual Returns 2020-21 total Sale value is Rs. 238337195/-. |

2. It has been found that you have not responded to the above said violation letter dated 30.08.2021.


3. In this connection, it is brought to your kind notice that, if it is found that the holder of mining lease has submitted incomplete and wrong information in monthly or annual returns and if the above rules are not complied; the Regional Controller of Mines may advise the State Government to: o/c

- 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;

4. You are, therefore, directed to show cause within **30 (Thirty) days** from the date of issue of this letter as to why action under Rule 45(7)(a) of MCDR 2017 should not be initiated against your above-mentioned mine

5. Please note that no further notice will be given to you in this regard.

Yours faithfully,

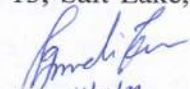


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