



**VIOLATION LETTER**

भारत सरकार GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
खान मंत्रालय MINISTRY OF MINES  
भारतीय खान ब्यूरो INDIAN BUREAU OF MINES  
क्षेत्रीय खान नियंत्रक के कार्यालय  
OFFICE OF THE REGIONAL CONTROLLER OF MINES



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No.: ORI/GRPH/RGD/MCDR-1/BBS/ 2080

Date: 04/12/2018

सेवा में,  
Shri Sunandan Pradhan  
M/s Pradhan Industries,  
At : Telenga Bazar, Dist. : Cuttack  
Odisha - 753009

**Sub: Violation of provisions of MCDR, 2017 in respect of your Bandhamandi Graphite Mines, over an area of 73.427 hectare in Rayagada 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 20.11.2018 by the undersigned accompanied by S/Shri Narayan Nath, Mine Manager, Harihara Barrick, Geologist of your mine.

Rule No.	Proposed in the approved mining plan / Rule	Violation
11 (1)	As per the approved mining scheme dated 11/03/2016, i) It was proposed to do exploration by drilling 12 nos boreholes during the year 2017-18.	i) During inspection it is observed that no exploration work carried out during the year 2017-18.
55 (3)	Holder of mining lease shall employ a whole-time Mining Engineer having prescribed qualification and experience under these rules in case of Category – 'A' mines.	During inspection it is observed that Mining Engineer is not appointed having qualification and experience prescribed under these rules.
26 (2)	The holder of mining lease shall submit to the competent authority a yearly report as per the format specified by the Indian Bureau of Mines, before 1st day of July every year setting forth the extent of protective and rehabilitative works carried out as envisaged in the approved mine closure plan, and if there is any deviation, reasons thereof.	A yearly report for the year 2017-18 as per the format specified by the Indian Bureau of Mines, setting forth the extent of protective and rehabilitative works carried out as envisaged in the approved mine closure plan has not been submitted till date to this office.

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.*

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.

Issued  
06.12.18



Yours faithfully,

*A. Ramkishan R*  
(Ramkishan R) 4/12/18

Senior Assistant Controller of Mines  
Indian Bureau of Mines

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- (1) **The Controller of Mines (EZ), भारतीय खान ब्यूरो / Indian Bureau of Mines, Kolkata-700091.**
- (2) **डायरेक्टर ऑफ माइन्स / The Director of Mines, डायरेक्टोरेट ऑफ माइन्स / Directorate of Mines, उड़ीसा सरकार / Government of Orissa, हेडस ऑफ डिपार्टमेंट बिल्डिंग / Heads of Department Building, न्यू कैपिटल / New Capital, भुवनेश्वर / Bhubaneswar-751 001 : For information & further necessary action on following :**

*A. Ramkishan R*  
(Ramkishan R) 4/12/18

Senior Assistant Controller of Mines  
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