

## VIOLATION LETTER

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## GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF MINES INDIAN BUREAU OF MINES OFFICE OF THE REGIONAL CONTROLLER OF MINES

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NO. BIH/GML/BX/217/RRO Vol II

Mine Code 07BHR32004

Dated - 20/12/2021

To

Shri Vivek Garg. Mine Owner. Chirodih Bauxite Mine 403, Mangal Pratap Apartment, Lake Avenue, Kanke Road P.O. Kanke, Dist. Ranchi Jharkhand, PIN -834008

Sub: Violation of provisions of MCDR, 2017 in respect of your Chirodih Bauxite Mine over an area of 16.59hect. Gumla district. Jharkhand state.

Sir.

The following provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017(MCDR, 2017) were found violated in the above mine during inspection on 01/12/2021 by the undersigned in presence of Shri Gaurav Kumar, Representative of lessee.

Rule No.

Nature of Violation

Rule 11(1): No holder of a mining lease shall commence or carry out mining operations in any area except in accordance with the mining plan approved, modified or reviewed by the Indian Bureau of Mines. The mining operations are not carried out as per Approved Mining Plan alongwith Progressive Mine Closure Plan approved vide letter no.RAN/GML/BX/MP-10/2018-19

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dated 07/08/2018 to the extent indicated below:-

A. As per condition no. (vii) of the approval letter for Mining Plan along with progressive mine closure plan, dated 07/08/2018 ,Lease area plan i.e. Cadastral Map (Khasra Plan)& DGPS surveyed map duly authenticated by The State Govt. have not been submitted within 6(six) months from the date of approval to this office i.e. on or before 06/02/2019.

B. Environment: (i) As per Para 4.0 (C), Page no 49, Soil Dump and Dump no.1 have not been rehandled for backfilling Quarry No.1. during 2020-21. (ii) Plantation of 450 saplings have not been done in the 7.5m safety zone in the western lease

boundary as per Plate No.7 during 2020-21.

Rule 24(1):- The holder of the mining lease has not submitted a Final Mine Closure Plan to the competent authority for approval two years prior to the proposed closure of the mine, i.e. on or before 19/11/2021, as the Mining Lease is going to expire on 19/11/2023.

Rule 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 1<sup>st</sup> 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.

The yearly report of your mine for the year 2020-21 in the specified format has not been received by the competent authority before 1st July'2021.

- 02. In this connection it is to inform that, this violation of rule 11(1) of the MCDR'2017, may lead to suspension of mining operation in accordance to rule 11(2) of the MCDR'2017.
- 03. In this connection it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under rule 62 of MCDR, 2017. The relevant extract of the rule 62 is given below.
- "62 Penalty: Whoever contravenes any of the provisions of these rules shall be punishable with imprisonment for a term which may extend to two years, or with fine which may extend to Five lakh rupees or with both, and in the case of continuing contravention with an additional fine which may extend up to Fifty thousand rupees for every day during which such contravention continues, after conviction for the first such contravention".
  - 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.

Yours faithfully

& Mylun (B.P.KERKETTA)

Deputy Controller of Mines

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