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भारत सरकार खान मंत्रालय भारतीय खान ब्यूरो क्षेत्रीय खान नियंत्रक का कार्यलय

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF MINES INDIAN BUREAU OF MINES Office of Regional Controller of Mines



उल्लंघन पत्र

Jabalpur, dated: 14/02/2023

सेवा मे,

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विषय – म0प्र0 राज्य के Balaghat जिले में स्थित आपकी Sonegaon Manganese Ore Mine, (क्षेत्रफल- 4.998 है0) में खनिज संरक्षण एवं विकास नियमावली, 2017 के नियमों का उल्लंघन। (Mine Code- 40MPR01062)

महोदय,

The following provisions of the Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 were found violated in your above mentioned mine during the inspection by undersigned on 10.01.23 in presence of Shri Allauddin Ansari, Mines Manager, Smt. Jayshree Karmori, Geologist and Shri Nikhil Pashine are detailed as below -:

नियम स.		पाए गए	उल्लंघन की विस्तृत प्रकृति		
Rule 11 (1)	According to this rule-No holder of a mining lease shall commence or carry out mining operation in any area except in accordance with the mining plan approved, modified or reviewed by the Indian Bureau of Mines;				
	The Modification in approved Mining Plan of above mentioned mine was approved vide this office letter No-MP/Balaghat/Manganese/RMP-14/2018-19 dated 31.07.2018 and following deviations/violations have been observed during mine inspection in accordance with approved proposals of MMPN- i) As per the para 1(i) of Geology & exploration chapter, under the future exploration programme, total 03 nos. of core boreholes were proposed during the approved plan period from the year 2018-19 to 2022-23. But, during inspection it was observed that no exploration was carried in accordance with approved ROMP proposals. ii) As per Para-C of chapter-2, during approved ROMP plan period from 2018-19 to 2022-23 the production of Mn ores were proposed in following manner				
				proposed during the during inspection it	
	Year	Mn Ore Production proposed (In Tonnes)	Mn Ore Production Achieved (In Tonnes)	Deviations/Less production %	
	2019-20	7096.00	Nil	100% less	
	2020-21	7096.00	Nil	100% less	
	2021-22	7097.00	30.00	99.57% less	
	Total	21,289.00	30.00		
	From the above illustration, it is clearly indicating that negligible amount of Manganese ores production have been carried out against approved year wise proposals which attract the violation of aforesaid rule. iii) As per Para-C of chapter-2, during the year 2021-22 total 1070 M³ of overburden generation were proposed. But, against to this proposal no overburden generated during the aforementioned approved plan period which is in contradiction with approved proposal.				
	iv) During the mines inspection, overburden dump observed beyond mining lease area near ML boundary pillars nos. BP-15 & BP-13A. Moreover, manganese ore stacks were also found beyond mining lease near BP-17B, BP-17C close to the old mine office which attracts the serious violation of approved proposals of previous MP/ROMP.				

Rule 31(4)	The plans and sections required under these rules shall be maintained up to date within three months in case of category 'A' mines as referred to in clause (a) of sub-rule (2) of rule 55, and within twelve months in case of any other mine
	As this is "A" category mine and required plans & sections are need to be updated on quarterly basis as required under this rule but the same were are not updated in stipulated time and not maintained at mines site office.

- 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 non-compliance of the rule 11(1) of MCDR, 2017 may lead to suspension of Mining operations under the provisions of rule 11(2) of MCDR, 2017.
- 04. You are therefore 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,

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प्रतिलिपि सूचनार्थ हेतु प्रेषित ः

- 1. The Director of Geology & Mining, Govt .of Madhya Pradesh, Khanij Bhavan, 29-A, Arera Hills, Bhopal (M.P.) Regarding provisions of Rule-11(1)(iii) of MCDR,2017 violated by the lessee by dumping& stacking the overburden& Manganese ore beyond mining lease area- for your kind information & further necessary action at your end please.
- 2. The District Collector, Balaghat (M.P.)- 481001
- 3. The Controller of Mines (CZ), IBM, Nagpur.

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