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To,

Shri. Gajraj Singh (lessee)
Mukam, Post-Gandhigram
Tehsil-Sihora
District Jabalpur-483 222 (M.P.)
Email: Rsbaghel@gmail.com

Sub. : Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017, in respect of your Gandhigram Iron Ore & Mn Ore Mine (5.80 Ha), Minecode-40MPR18002 at District- Jabalpur (M.P.).

Sir,

Following provisions of MCDR 2017 were found violated in your above mine during the inspection by the Undersigned on **03/03/2022** in the presence of Shri. Pushparaj Singh Baghel (lessee's representative), Shri. Sourabh Nayak (Mining Engineer) and Shri. Indraneel Dawande (QP).

Rule No	Nature of violation observed in detail
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 or prepared and certified in accordance with the system established by the State Government. During inspection it has been observed that the following provisions of the rule have been violated: - 1. The benches are found merged creating highwall in the entire Pit 1 except few places. 2. It was proposed to carryout drilling of 06 nos of core-boreholes for the year 2021- 22 but nil core-borehole is achieved till date of inspection.
45(7)	The following deficiencies were observed in the Annual Return submitted for the year 2020-21: i. In Part-I, SI.No.12, the various heads under the lease area (surface area) utilization table at the end of 31/03/2021 is not matching with the FA table in the approved mining plan dt.06/07/2021. ii. Part-II A Capital Structure: The value of fixed assets is mentioned as nil. iii. Part - V, Reserves and Resources estimated at the end of the year i.e. 31/03/2021 for Ochre, Laterite and Iron ore were incorrectly submitted. iv. Part - VI (PRODUCTION, DISPATCHES AND STOCK): The details of laterite and Iron ore stocks were furnished incorrectly and not matching with the approved mining plan dt.06/07/2021.
55	Employment of geologists and mining engineers.- (1) For the purpose of carrying out reconnaissance, prospecting or mining operations in accordance with these rules,- 3. every holder of a mining lease shall employ, in case of— (i) category 'A' mines having leased area equal to or above twenty-five hectares, a whole-time mining engineer and a geologist; (ii) category 'A' mines having lease area below twenty-five hectares and category 'B' mines, a part-time mining engineer and a part-time geologist: Geologist has not been appointed as per provision of rule.

1. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of Mineral Conservations and Development (Amendment) Rules, 2021.
2. The mining operations can be suspended under the rule 11(2) of MCDR-2017, if compliance of rule 11(1) of MCDR-2017 is not found satisfactory.
3. You are advised to rectify the violations of abovementioned rules immediately and intimate the position to this office within 45 (Forty-Five) days from the date of issue of this letter.

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Yours faithfully



(Robert Simon C)

Asst. Controller of Mines,
Jabalpur Region, IBM

Copy to:

- 1) The Controller of Mines (CZ), IBM, Nagpur,
2) The Director, Directorate of Geology & Mining, Khanij Bhavan, Arera Hills, Bhopal (MP).

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