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OFFICE OF REGIONAL CONTROLLER OF MINE

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गोरगुंटापाल्या, येशवंतपुर, Bengaluru/ बेंगलुरू -560022

दिनांक/Dated: 21/03/2023

To: Shri K.S. Vinayak (Nominated Owner)

M/s. Veerabhadrappa Sangappa & Company (VESCO)

No. 2/138, VESCO HOUSE, Ballari Road, SANDUR - 583119 Bellary Dist, KARNATAKA

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বিষয/Subject: Violation of provisions of MCDR 2017 in respect of your Ramanamalai Iron Ore Mine (ML No. 2296) over an extent of 53.16Ha Ha located in RM Block, Sandur Taluk, Bellari District, Karnataka State

Sir,

The following provisions of the Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 were found violated in your above said mine during inspection on 14/03/2023 by undersigned in presence of Shri Shanmukhappa Mandal (Sr. Manager), Shri Nandakumar H.M (Mines Manager), Shri Imran Shaik (Mining Engg.)

Rules	Nature of Violations observed
11(1)	 (i) The Mining operations required to be carried out in accordance as per the approved Modified Review and Updation of Mining Plan document vide letter no. 279/478/95/BNG dated 31/03/2022 and the said document was approved with following conditions: (a) The Integrated Slope Stability of the waste dump in the mine shall be carried out by the Government agencies and the Study Report should
	be submitted to IBM, Bangalore office. If there are any suggestions/recommendations for changes in the dump parameters based on the outcome of the study the document should be modified by incorporating the same.
	(b) The new partnership deed after demise of Sri K.S. Sangamanath is said under process for execution. A copy of this New Partnership Deed should be submitted to this office immediately after its execution.
	However, during the inspection it is observed that the Integrated Slope Stability Study of the waste dump is not yet carried out and new partnership deed is not executed so far.

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- (ii) As per the aforesaid approved document, during the year 2022-23, as a protective measure of the active waste dump, it was proposed to construct 220m length Retaining wall at southern part of the waste dump between N1668653, E 659639 to N1668814, E.659813 all along the toe of waste dump. During the inspection it is observed that Retaining wall is not constructed as proposed.
- 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 mining operations can be suspended under rule 11(2), if compliance of rule 11(1) is not found satisfactory.
- 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.

भवदीय/Yours faithfully,

(**Dr. Sudhakara T.L.**) Senior Mining Geologist

Copy for kind information to:

- 1. The Controller of Mines (SZ), Indian Bureau of Mines, Bangalore.
- 2. The Director, Dept. of Mines & Geology, 49, Khanij Bhavan, Race Course Road, Bangalore-560001.

(Dr. Sudhakara T.L.) Senior Mining Geologist