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सं/No.: KNT/BLR/Fe/496/BNG

दिनांक/Dated: 26<sup>th</sup> October 2023

सेवा में / To:

**Dr. Meda Venkataiah**

Nominated Owner

**M/s MSPL Limited**

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**विषय/Subject:** Violation of provisions of MCDR, 2017 in respect of your Karadikolla Iron Ore Mine (ML No. 0010 & Mine code 30KAR03187) over an extent 86.059Ha, located in Siddapur village, Sandur Taluk, Bellary 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 19/10/2023 by undersigned in presence of Sri Dasharatha R, Mine Manager, Sri Prashanth Laharia, General Manager – Geology, Adinarayana K, Geologist and Muralidhar T., Mining Engineer

Rules	Nature of Violations observed
11(1)	<p>The Mining operations required to be carried out in accordance as per the approved in the Review and Updation of Mining Plan document vide letter no. 279/1094/2017/BNG dated 24/10/2017. However, during the inspection deviations were observed in mining operation vis-à-vis approved document and are as follows:</p> <p>During the plan period, the construction of Retaining Wall (TW-11 &amp; TW-12) and Garland Drain (GD-12 &amp; GD-13) along the toe of the active waste dumps PD-2 and PD-3 was proposed. However, upon inspection, it was observed that the Retaining Wall and Garland Drain were not constructed as proposed.</p>

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,

डॉ. सुधाकर टी.एल. / Dr. Sudhakara T.L.)  
वरिष्ठ खनन भूविज्ञानी / Senior Mining Geologist

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