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बेंगलुरु -560022

No: MCDR-MiFLOFE/13/2022-BNG-IBM_RO_BNG Mine-code: 30KAR03139 Dated: 10/11/2023

To,
Dr. Meda Venkataiah,
Nominated Owner & Director
Iyli Gurunathappa iron ore Mine
M/s. Ramgad Minerals & Mining Limited
Baldota Enclave, Abheraj Baldota Road
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विषय/Subject: **Violation of provisions of MCDR 2017 read with MCDR(Amendment),2021 in respect of your Iyli Gurunathappa Iron ore mine, ML 2593 over an extent of 20.23 ha, in Ramgad Village, Sandur Taluk , Ballari District of Karnataka State.**

Sir,

The following provisions of the Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 read with Mineral Conservation and Development (Amendment) Rules, 2021 were found violated in your above mine during inspection on 19.10.2023 by the undersigned in presence of Shri Vishwajit Ghosh, General Manager-Mines, Shri Lohith Kumar D R, Geologist and other mine officials:

Rules	Nature of Violations observed
11 (1)	<p>The Modifications to the approved Review and updation of Mining Plan was approved by IBM vide letter no. 279/624/99/BNG dated 20/07/2021 for the period 2021-22 to 2022-23(till Oct-22) & 279/272/91/BNG dated 27/02/2023, for the period 2022-23(Nov-22 – March-23). The deviations observed in mining operation vis-à-vis approved document are given below.</p> <p>i. The benches at Sec G-G' between 946 to 937 mRL, Sec C-C' between 872 to 856 mRL & Sec D-D' between 883 to 774 mRL have not been developed systematically as per the proposal.</p> <p>ii. It was observed during inspection that mineral stacks are located at Sec C-C', D-D', F-F' randomly which is restricting the bench advancement as per the proposal.</p> <p>iii. The 10 m lifts/stages have not been maintained in the Backfilling dump (BF-1) at Sec A-A' to B-B' from 914-884 mRL & 904-874 mRL respectively as per the proposal.</p>

02. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of MCDR (Amendment), 2021.

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,

I/20146/2023

(Sandeep Kumar Singh)
Senior Assistant Controller of Mines
Indian Bureau of Mines

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.

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