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विषय- ओडिशा राज्य के केओंझर जिले में स्थित आपकी कसिआ लौह आयेस्क एवम डोलोमाइट खदान 194.19 हे० में खनिज संरक्षण एवं विकास नियमावली 2017 के नियमों के उलंघन के संबंध में-

महोदय

The following provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 were found violated during inspection of the above mine on 09.08.2023 by undersigned accompanied by Shri Ranjit Choudhury, Manager(Mine).

| Rule | Nature of Violation observed | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-----------------|---|-----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|------------------------|---------|--|-----|-----|--------|--|-----|----|
| 11(1) | <p>Mining operations have not been undertaken in accordance with the Mining Plan/ Review of Mining Plan. The Mining Plan was approved vide letter no.MP/A/28-ORI/BHU/2021-22 dated 25.02.2022 and following deviation was observed during inspection</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> The proposal of exploration of 20 nos drill holes given for the year 2022-23 but only 13 bore holes drilled reported. During the mine visit it was observed that the proposed environment protection measures not done as mentioned below with location: <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Year</th> <th>Location</th> <th>Garland drain L ,m</th> <th>Retaining wall L ,m</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>2022-23</td> <td>N2439591/E331455 to N2439745/ E331581</td> <td>200</td> <td>200</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Actual</td> <td>Within location but the retaining wall already filled with silt.</td> <td>Nil</td> <td>80</td> </tr> </tbody> </table> | Year | Location | Garland drain L ,m | Retaining wall L ,m | 2022-23 | N2439591/E331455 to N2439745/ E331581 | 200 | 200 | Actual | Within location but the retaining wall already filled with silt. | Nil | 80 |
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| 37(2) | The OB dump shall be properly secured to prevent escape of material there from in harmful quantities which may cause degradation of environment and to prevent causation of floods. It was observed that there is no proper terracing and dump height is more than 30 meter but still no proper retaining wall is constructed nor any control measures for dump stability taken. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 45(5) (c)(i) | <p>While scrutiny of Annual returns 2022-23 following discrepancy observed</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> In Part-V mineral reserve for Iron is not furnished as per approved Mining Plan. In approved document there is no Mineral Reserve in 111 category but in annual return 109584258 tons is furnished in 111 category. It was observed during scrutiny of annual returns of 2022-23 that the Ex-mine price of Lumps of 58-60% Fe is furnished 480.92 Rs and CLO of below 62%Fe is mentioned as 2735.58 Rs which is lower side. | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 48(1) | The holder of a mining lease or the holder of a prospecting licence or 1 [composite licence] shall keep a record in Form-J of all shafts or boreholes and shall retain such records but But during mine visit it was observed that form -J not maintain properly and authentication/sign is missing in form-J. | | | | | | | | | | | | |

2 इस संदर्भ में आपका ध्यान आकर्षित किया जाता है कि उपरोक्त नियमों का उलंघन खनिज संरक्षण एवं विकास नियमावली 2017 के नियम 62 के अंतर्गत दंडनीय अपराध है। एवम इस नियम का उलंघन की अनुपालना नहीं होने पर खनिज संरक्षण एवं विकास

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नियमावली 2017 के नियम 11(2) एवम 45(7)(क) के अंतर्गत

(क) खान की सारी खनन संक्रियाएं बंद की जा सकती हैं।

(ख) आपके विरुद्ध अभियोग दायर किया जा सकता है।

(ग) खनन पट्टे को निरस्त करने की सिफारिस राज्य सरकार से की जा सकती है।

- 3 अतः आपको सलाह दी जाती है कि आप उपरोक्त उल्लंघनों का अतिशिघ्र सुधार करें एवम इसके सुधार की सूचना इस पत्र के जारी होने से 45 दिन के भीतर इस कार्यालय को सूचित करें।

भवदीय

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