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गोरगुंटापाल्या येशवंतपुर,
बेंगलुरु -560022

सं./ No. KNT/CTD/FE/50/BNG

दिनांक/Date: 09/01/2024

सेवा में/ To,

Sri. Jogindarkumar Shyamlal Singla, Nominated Owner,
M/s. GOA SPONGE AND POWER LIMITED,
No.542, Rafuel House, Ponguirval,
Curchorem, South Goa,
Goa-403 706.
goasponge@rediffmail.com/ ramvisit@gmail.com

विषय/Subject: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 in respect of your **Dindadahalli Iron ore Mine (ML No. 2658) having Mine code: 30KAR07034** over an area of **10.66 Ha** (as per lease deed), **10.98 Ha** (as per CEC) in Dindadahalli village, Chitradurga Taluk & District, Karnataka state.

महोदय/Sir,

The following provisions of the Mineral Conservation & Development Rules, 2017 were found violated in your above mine during the inspection carried out by the undersigned along in presence of Shri. R. Rama Mohan Reddy, Agent & Shri B. Gopal, Mines Manager on 02/12/2023.

| Rule | Nature of violations observed |
|-------------------|---|
| Rule 45(7) | <p>i) As part –II A (Capital Structure) 1 (i) Land: The value of Land as per the approved Mining Plan is Rs.60,00,000/-. However, the same has not been reflected and stated as '0' which is incorrect. Also, the depreciation Plant and Machinery including transport equipment is not accounted for.</p> <p>ii) PART-III (Consumption of Materials)- 5. Taxes and cesses & 6. Other expenses (₹): Details given as '0' under all these items is incorrect. All the expenditure incurred under relevant heads needs to be given and accounted for cost of production per tonne of mineral-ore produced under Part-VII (i) (a).</p> <p>iii) As PART-V (General Geology & Mining) 3. Reserves and Resources established (in tonnes) Iron Ore: Balance Reserves as on 31/03/2023 is stated to be 1588622 MT which is incorrect. It should be 1127835-21000= 1106835 MT.</p> <p>iv) As per Part - VII: Cost of Production (per tonne of ore-mineral produced): The exploration cost per ton stated as Rs.180/- is incorrect. All the above comments may be attended and accordingly Cost of Production per tonne be corrected.</p> |

02. The Mining operations and dispatches may be suspended and any action under sub rule (7) of Rule 45 of MCDR, 2017 read with MCDR (Amendment) Rules, 2021.

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03. The fine may be imposed for submitting incomplete/ wrong/ false information in Annual Return as per I/23629/2024 Schedule-II of MCDR (Amendment) Rules, 2021.
04. In this connection it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of MCDR 2017 read with MCDR (Amendment) Rule, 2021.
05. You are therefore, directed to show cause within a period of thirty **(30) days** from the date of issue of this notice, as to why action under sub rule (7) of Rule 45 and Rule 62 of MCDR 2017 read with MCDR (Amendment), 2021 shall not be taken against you.
06. You are herewith given **30 days-time** for reply and rectification of the violation from the date of issue of this notice. Please note that no further notice will be given to you in this regard.

भवदीय/Yours faithfully,

(H.M. SHIVAKUMAR)
Assistant Controller of Mines
Indian Bureau of Mines

प्रतिलिपिसूचनार्थ/Copy for kind information to:

1. The Controller of Mines (SZ), Indian Bureau of Mines, Bangalore.
2. The Director, Department of Mining & Geology, No.49, Khanija bhavan, R.C. Road, Bangalore-560 001.

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