



भारत सरकार GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
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 भारतीय खान ब्यूरो INDIAN BUREAU OF MINES  
 क्षेत्रीय खान नियंत्रक के कार्यालय  
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**VIOLATION LETTER**

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**To,**

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Sub: Violation of provisions of MCDR, 2017 in respect of your Sanindpur Iron & Manganese Ore Mine over an area of 70.917 ha. in Sundargarh District of Odisha State.

Sir,

The following provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rule, 2017 (MCDR, 2017) were found violated in respect of the above said mine during inspection on 29.03.2024 by Shri Rajani Kanta Rautaray, Assistant Mining Engineer of this office in presence of Sh. Sachikanta Behera, Mines Manager.

Mining operations in the mining lease are not being carried out in accordance with the proposal given in Modified Mining Plan approved vide letter No. MRMP/A/36-ORI/BHU/2021-22 dated 23.03.2022 to the extent given below.	
Rule No.	Observations
11(1)	During the inspection, it was observed that  (i) the height of benches were maintained from 7 metre to 9 metre & width of benches were maintained as less than 6 metre against the approved proposal towards north side of the Pradhan Pit. (ii) the total excavation of ROM production had been carried only from the Pradhan Pit whereas ROM production was proposed from three pits ; namely Pradhan Pit, Hating Pit and Crusher Pit.
12(4B)	A Geological Study Report prepared in the manner specified in the Minerals (Evidence of Mineral Contents) Rules, 2015, within three months after the completion of the Exploration work has not been submitted as specified in Rule 12(4B) of MCDR 2017 for the exploration carried out.

02. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of MCDR, 2017.

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*Besides, inability to comply with the provisions of Rule 11(1) is liable for suspension of mining operations according to the provisions of Rule 11(2) of MCDR, 2017.*

03. 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 issuance of this letter.

Yours faithfully,

**(RAJESH KUMAR DAS)**  
Dy. Controller of Mines

Copy for kind information:-

1. The Controller of Mines (EZ), Indian Bureau of Mines, CP-13, Sector V, Salt Lake City, Kolkata- 700 091.
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