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OFFICE OF THE REGIONAL CONTROLLER OF MINES

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No: MCDR-MiFL0FE/27/2023-BNG-IBM_RO_BNG

सेवामे

Sri Alum Prashanth, Director IC & Owner, M/s Suveera Enterprises LLP, Gadgi Palace, Car Street, Ballari-583 101. Email:- apmines@yahoo.co.in

विषय: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 in respect of your Sanjeevarayanakote Iron ore Mine (ML No. 2289) having Mine code: 30KAR03123 over an area of 42.42 Ha in Sanjeevarayanakote village, Ballari Taluk & District, Karnataka State.

महोदय,

The following provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rule, 2017 (MCDR, 2017) were found violated in respect of the above said mine during inspection of mine on 28.12.2023 by Shri H M Shivakumar, Assistant Controller of Mines and communicated to you vide this office letter dated 05.02.2024.

Rule	Nature of Violation observed
11(1)	The Mining operations are required to be carried out in accordance
	with the Review and Updation of Mining Plan document approved
	vide letter no. 279/584/97/BNG dated 13/11/2020 . However,
	during the inspection deviations were observed in mining
	operation vis-à-vis approved document and are as follows:
	(i) It is proposed to carry out mining by maintaining all the benches
	with 8m height and 10m width. However, height and width of few
	benches between sections F-F' to H-H' are exceeding the proposed
	height thereby deviating from the approved proposals.
	(ii) For the year 2022-2023, It was proposed for 89989 tonnes of Iron
	Ore (BMK) production. However, only 30000 tonnes production is
	reported thereby achieving only 30 % of the proposed production
	with more than 200% waste removal deviating from the approved
	proposals and not achieving the proposed stripping ratio.

1/34329/202⁽²⁾2. The compliance submitted vide your letter No. Nil dated 19.02.2024 received on 28.05.2024 has been examined and found unsatisfactory in respect of Rule 11(1) of MCDR, 2017 due to following reasons:-

(i) As per reply the rectification work to maintain the width and height of the benches is under progress and will be completed during the year 2023-24. However, no photographs are enclosed in support of the on going work of rectification and the work completion report has not been submitted till date.

(ii) The reply given for achieving only 30% of the planned production & 200% of planned development is thereby deviating from the proposed stripping ratio is not in order or lacks clarity.

03. You are directed to submit the following documents for compliance of the aforesaid violations :-

(i) The rectification work completion report along with color photographs.

(ii) Detailed clarification on production as well as development and stripping ratio for the year 2022-23.

04. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violation constitutes an offence punishable under Rule 62 of MCDR, 2017.

05. You are therefore directed to show cause within a period of 30 (thirty) days from the date of issue of this letter as to why you should not be prosecuted for the above offence and/or the mining operations shall not be suspended under Rule 11 (2) of MCDR, 2017, till the rectification of the violations.

06. Please note that no further notice will be given to you in this regard.

भवदीय/Yours faithfully,

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

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.