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No. MCDR-MiFLOFE/29/2022-BBS-IBM_RO_BBS

Bhubaneswar, 02/07/2024

To,
 Shri Charanjit Singh Grewal,
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Subject: Violation of provisions of MCDR, 2017, in respect of your Raikela Iron Mine (30ORI13090) over an area of 45.932 Ha(29.763 ha as per DGPS) in Village, Raikela Tahsil: Koira, Sundargarh district of Odisha State.

Sir,

The following provisions of MCDR 2017 were found violated in your above mine during inspection carried out on 13th June 2024 by the undersigned in presence of the mine officials S/Sri Satyabadi Sahoo, Mines Manager, and other Officials..

11(1)	<p>Mining operations in the mining lease are not being carried out in accordance with as per the proposal given in Modification in Review of Mining Plan vide letter No. BBS/SNG/RON/2173/MRMP/2022-23 dated 09/09/2022(2023-24 to 2027-28) to the extent given below:</p> <p>1. During year FY 2023-24 it was proposed to drill 17 nos. of exploratory bore holes against which only 3 boreholes have been drilled.</p> <p>2. During year FY 2023-24 it was proposed to carryout mining operations with 6m high benches in Top A Quarry of the mine. However, during inspection it was observed that all along the Top A Quarry the benches are not maintained as per proposed height and in most of the places benches have merged thereby increasing the height of the benches thus making it unsafe for mining.</p> <p>3. During FY 2023-24 it was proposed to produce ROM to a tune of 999905 tonnes against which only 245400 tonnes of ROM has been produced thereby causing deviation in land use pattern and (-75.45%) of deviation from the proposal.</p> <p>4. During FY 2023-24 it was proposed to construct a Retaining Wall with dimensions of 120m x 1.5m x 1m(Co-Ordinates E312760 N2420881 to E312880, N2420956) around the OB-A dump alongwith Garland Drain with dimension of 103 m x 1.5m x 1m (Co-Ordinates E312726, N2420966 to E312901, N2420746). However, during inspection no such Retaining Wall and Garland Drain were observed.</p>
45(7)	In part-VII of the Annual Return submitted for FY 2023-24 the production proposal for FY 2023-24 has been furnished as '0'.
32(1)(b)(i)&(iv)	The holder of a mining lease shall keep the digitally prepared plans and sections viz. Surface Geological Plan showing all the

lithological units exposed in the area, in the pits, trenches and in any other openings made for prospecting and mining operations showing contact between lithological units, section lines at regular intervals from one boundary to the other of the lease; etc. However, during inspection no such plans and sections were found maintained.

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

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 violation immediately and intimate the position to this office within a period of 45 (Forty five) days from the date of issue of this letter.

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