## उलंघन पत्र - Speed post/Email

## भारत सरकार, खान मंत्रालय GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, MINISTRY OF MINES भारतीय खान ब्यूरो , क्षेत्रीय खान नियंत्रक कार्यालय- भुवनेश्वर INDIAN BUREAU OF MINES, OFFICE OF REGIONAL CONTROLLER OF MINES-BHUBANESWAR प्लॉट न149-, पोखरीपुट - भुवनेश्वर Plot no.149,Pokhariput,Bhubaneswar PIN-

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भुवनेश्वर, 02/07/2024

सेवा में, Shri Atanu Bhowmick, Director In Charge, Rourkela Steel Plant and Nominated Owner, Kalta Iron Ore Mine M/s. Steel Authority of India Limited, Rourkela Steel Plant, Rourkela, Odisha-769001 E-mail: rsp.director@sail.in, taldih2016@gmail.com

विषय: Violation of provisions of MCDR, 2017, in respect of your Taldih I ron Mine (30ORI13053) over an area of 1172.78 Ha in Taldih Village, Tahsil: Koira, Sundargarh district of Odisha State.

महोदय,

The following provisions of MCDR 2017 were found violated in your above mine during inspection carried out on 12<sup>th</sup> June 2024 by the undersigned in presence of the mine officials S/Sri A.K. Tiwary, Mines Manager, Manoj Majhi, Mining Geologist and other mine officials.

Rule Number	Description
11(1)	Mining operations in the mining lease are not being carried out in accordance with as per the proposal given in Modification of Mining Plan approved vide letter No. MP/A/39-ORI/BHU/2020-21 dated 01/04/2021 (2021-22 to 2024-25) to the extent given below:
	1. During the FY-2023-24 it was proposed to carry out development in Block A as per co-ordinates 2423500 N to 2423900 N, 309700 E to 309950 E. However, during inspection the development work in Block A was carried out only in 2422986 N to 2423361 N, 309398 E to 309707 E co-ordinates.
	2. It was observed that the graded minerals were being stacked all over the 'C' quarry thus causing hindrance for further production and development in the mines.
32(1)	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 sections were found maintained.
45(7)	On scrutiny of the Annual Return submitted for FY 2023-24 it is observed that the Ex-Mine Price for Fines is Rs 1527 whereas for CLO it is Rs 1933. However, since the mine is captive the Cost of Production i.e. Rs 1706 has not been furnished as Ex-Mine Price.

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.

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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