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दूरभाष: 080-23371027 / 23375366/67 Email ID: ro.bangalore@ibm.gov.in 29, इंडस्ट्रियल सबर्ब, ॥ स्टेज, तुमकुर रोड, गोरगुंटापाल्या, येशवंतपुर, बेंगलुरु 29, Industrial Suburb, II Stage, Tumkur Road, Goruguntapalya, Yeshwantpur, Bangalore – 560022

सं/No.: MCDR-MiFL0FE/4/2023-BNG-IBM_RO_BNG

Minecode: 30KAR03065

सेवा में/ То.

Shri Ajay Saraf

Nominated Owner

M/s RAI BAHADUR SETH SHREERAM NARASINGDAS PVT LTD

D/No. 1499/1, PO Box No. 38,, Kariganur Post,

HOSAPETE, Vijayanagara Dist. - 583201

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विषय/**Subject :** Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 in respect of your in respect of your Sankalapuram Iron ore mine (ML No. 2682) over an extent of 111.09Ha located in Sankalapuram Village, Vijayanagara District of Karnataka State

महोदय/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 19.08.2024 by undersigned in presence of Shri Lakshminarayana, Senior General Manager, Shri Gopal Joshi, Mine Manager, and other Mine officials

Rule	Nature of Violations Observed
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45(7)	In the Annual Return submitted for the year 2023-24, following
	discrepancies were observed
	(i) In PART-II A (Capital Structure), section (1), Rs. 70952801 shown
	as expenditure incurred towards acquisition of land, however, same
	is not justifiable since the entire lease area is Government revenue
	land.
	(ii) In PART-V (General Geology & Mining) section (1) (i) exploration
	activities and expenditure incurred on exploration at the beginning of
	the year given as 'zero', which is incorrect.
	(iii) In PART-V (General Geology & Mining) section (2) The figures
	provided for Reserves and Resources estimated do not tally with the
	approved Mining Plan dated 07/11/2023.

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- (iv) In **PART-VI** (PRODUCTION, DESPATCHES AND STOCKS), section (2), from Dump workings, 235,111 tonnes of ROM quantity is depleted; however, this has not been reported in the dispatch sections.
- (v) In **PART-VI** (PRODUCTION, DESPATCHES AND STOCKS), section (6) and (7), Some of the information provided are irrelevant to the paragraph title.
- (vi) In **PART-VII** (COST OF PRODUCTION), Royalty, DMF, NMET etc. considered for Cost of Production are not tallying with the reported dispatch at PART-VI.
- 02. The mining operations and dispatches may be suspended and any action under subrule (7) of Rule 45 of MCDR 2017 may be initiated.
- 03. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of MCDR, 2017.
- 04. 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 of and Rule 62 of MCDR (Amendment), 2021 shall not be taken against you.
- 05. You are advised to rectify the above violations immediately and intimate the position to this office **within 30 (thirty) days** from the date of issue of this notice.

भवदीय/Yours faithfully,

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

प्रतिलिपि सूचनार्थ'/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.

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