Violation letter by E-mail

## भारत सरकार/ Government of India खान मंत्रालय / Ministry of Mines भारतीय खान ब्यूरो / Indian Bureau of Mines

क्षेत्रीय खान नियंत्रक का कार्यालय / Office of the Regional Controller of Mines

To,

श्री यश पाठक (नामित मालिक ) सर्वश्री आनंद माइनिंग कॉर्पोरेशन, यश टावर, पाठक वार्ड, कटनी, 483501 ईमेल – amckatni@rediffmail.com

Sub: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation & Development Rules, 2017 in respect of your Pratappur Iron Ore Mine over an extent of 11.57 hectares in Sihora Tehsil, in Jabalpur District of Madhya Pradesh State.

Sir,

Shri Abhishek Ranjan Gautam, Assistant Mining Engineer inspected your mine on 11/11/2024 in the presence of your representative Shri Vijay Pandey, Shri Hitesh Kumar Chauhan (Mining Engineer), Shri Om Prakash Vishwakarma (Geologist) and Other Mine official. The document of above mentioned mine was approved vide letter No. MP/JBP/Iron/RMP-42/18-19 dated 09.01.2019 incorporating proposal of working from 2019-20 to 2023-24. Following provisions of MCDR 2017 (as amended up to 3rd November, 2021) were found violated in your mines at the time of inspection.

Rule No.	Proposal/ Rule Position	Nature of Violation
11(1)	Proper arrangements will be made for drainage of mine water.	Proper arrangement for drainage of water has not been made in the mine.
12(4)	Rule Position In the case of existing mining leases, detailed exploration (G1 level) over the entire potentially mineralized area under the mining lease shall be carried out in the manner specified in the Minerals (Evidence of Mineral Contents) Rules, 2015 within a period of five years from the date of commencement of these rules	The entire lease area has not been explored fully to identify the potentially mineralized area and thus detailed exploration over the potentially mineralized area has not been carried out in the manner specified in the Minerals (Evidence of Mineral Contents) Rules within a period of five years from the date of commencement of these rules.
31(4)	The plans and sections required under these rules shall be maintained up to date within three months in case of category 'A' mines as referred to in clause (a) of sub-rule (2) of rule 55, and	The plans & sections were not found updated on quarterly basis as required under this rule and not maintained at mines site office.

	within twelve months in case of any other mine	
33	Copies of plans and sections to be submitted – The holder of mining lease shall on or before the 30th day of the June every year submit to the authorized officer, as the case may be, and the State Govt., a digital copy along with a print copy of the surface geological plans and sections maintained under rule 32.	Copies of plans and sections under rule 32 of MCDR-2017 have not been submitted.

- 02. Further, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offense punishable under rule 62 of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017.
- 03. Further, non-compliance of the rule 11(1) of MCDR, 2017 may lead to the suspension of mining operations under the provisions of rules 11(2) of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017.
- 04. If you have fail to carry out detailed exploration (G1 level) over the entire potentially mineralized area in the mine as per Rule 12(4) of MCDR 2017, a penalty of Rs. 5 lakh will be imposed as per the Gazette Notification dated 03/11/2021 of MCDR Amendment Rules 2021.
- 05. You are therefore advised to rectify the above violations immediately and intimate the position to this office within 45 (forty-five) days from the date of issue of this letter.

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## प्रतिलिपि प्रेषित (ईमेल):

- 01. संचालक, भौमिकी एवम खनिकर्म, मध्य प्रदेश सरकार, खनिज भवन, 29-ए, अरेरा हिल्स, भोपाल (म.प्र.) को सूचनार्थ एवं अग्रिम कार्रवाई हेतु.
- 02. खान नियंत्रक (मध्यांचल), भारतीय खान ब्यूरो, नागपुर
- 03. जिलाधीश, जिला जबलपुर (म.प्र.) सूचनार्थ I

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