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Nagpur, dated: 02.02.2022

To

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Sub: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 in respect of your Kawatha Manganese Ore Mines over an area of 26.67 Hect. situated in Village- Kawatha, District-Nagpur of Maharashtra state.

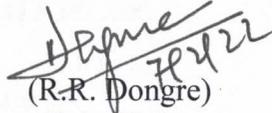
Sir,

The following provisions of Mineral Conservation Development Rules, 2017 are found violated in respect of your above referred mine during the inspection on 07.01.2022 carried out by Shri. Snehankit Chatte, Asst. Mining Engineer alongwith Shri. Ashish Belorkar and Shri. Nikhil Pashine, QP:-

Rule	Nature of Violation observed
11(1)	<p>No holder of a mining lease shall commence or carry out mining operations in any area except in accordance with the mining plan approved, modified or reviewed by the Indian Bureau of Mines or prepared and certified in accordance with the system established by the State Government pursuant to the proviso to clause (b) of sub-section (2) of section 5 or approved by the competent authority of the Atomic Minerals Directorate for Exploration and Research, in respect of minerals specified in Part B of the First Schedule to the Act where the grade of such atomic minerals is equal to or above the threshold value limits declared under Schedule-A of the Atomic Minerals Concession Rules, 2016.</p> <p>In this connection following deficiencies are observed during the inspection of your above referred mine:-</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><li>1. During inspection &amp; as per the submitted draft Review of Mining Plan, it is found that, the shape and dimension of Pit ( pit no.2, co-ordinates- 21°29'45.09"N &amp; 78°53'57.13"E) was found over excavated as compared to the proposal given in last approved Mining Plan dated 03.08.2016.</li><li>2. During inspection &amp; as per the submitted draft Review of Mining Plan, one pit (Pit No. 3, co-ordinates 21°29'48.21"N &amp; 78°53'56.20"E ) was found excavated, but no such proposal of the said pit was given in last approved mining plan dated 03.08.2016.</li><li>3. It was proposed to dump the waste at designated waste dump area proposed between Boundary Pillar no. 40 &amp; 41 (approx. co-ordinates 21°29'44.74"N &amp; 78°53'59.17"E), but during the inspection it was observed that, the waste material excavated has been dumped near Boundary Pillar no. 26 (co-ordinates 21°29'44"N &amp; 78°53'53"E) No waste dumping found at proposed area.</li></ol> <p>Hence, there is deviation from the approved mining plan. These violations may leads to suspension of all mining operations under Rule 11(2) of MCDR, 2017.</p>

2. 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 Amendment Rules, 2021.
3. The mining operation can be suspended by the competent authority and suitable actions can be initiated under Rule 11(2), if compliance is not found satisfactory.
4. You are 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.

Yours faithfully,

  
(R.R. Dongre)

Regional Controller of Mines

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