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गोरगुंटापाल्या येशवंतपुर,  
बेंगलुरु -560022

सं/No.KNT/CTD/Mn/113/BNG Mine-code: 40KAR07009 दिनांक/Dated: 06/07/2022

To,  
Shri Bharat Kantial Parikh,  
Nominated Owner,  
Hullikatte Manganese Mine  
M/s. Bharat Parikh and Company  
703/179, "Sri Shankarkrupa"  
4<sup>th</sup> main, 5<sup>th</sup> cross, Anjaneya Layout  
Davanagere-577 004, Karnataka  
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विषय/Subject: **Violation of provisions of MCDR 2017 read with MCDR(Amendment),2021 in respect of your Hullikatte Manganese Mine, ML 2571 of M/s. Bharat Parikh and Company over an extent of 32.23 ha, in Hullikatte, Halekallu & Gudahalu Villages, Jagalur & Davanagere Taluk, Davanagere District of Karnataka State.**

Sir,

The following provisions of the Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 read with Mineral Conservation and Development (Amendment) Rules, 2021 were found violated in your above mine during inspection on 17.06.2022 by undersigned in presence of Shri Kush Atchut Shirodakar, Mine Manager, Shri Rajesh Satish Kore, Geologist and other mining officials:

Rules	Nature of Violations observed
11 (1)	Review and Updation of Mining Plan was approved by IBM vide letter no. 279/131/89/BNG dated 03/02/2020, for the period 2020-21 to 2024-25. The deviations observed in mining operation vis-à-vis approved document are given below. i) The production proposal of 40,045 tons for the year 2021-22 has been accorded in the approved document, however on scrutiny of the annual return for the year 2021-22 it is observed that the mine has reported production of 42,560 tons of manganese ore at Part-VI(1) & Part-VII of Annual Return 2021-22

	<p>ii) The construction of 419 m Retaining Wall &amp; 445 m garland drain were proposed along the active dump for the year 2021-22 against which the Retaining wall and Garland drain construction at the place of the active waste dumping have not been carried out. Also, one silt settling tank-SST-01 construction was proposed at the western part of the ML boundary during the year 2020-21. The same has not been constructed.</p> <p>iii) The afforestation proposed for an area of 0.4 ha with 1000 nos. of saplings plantation in 7.5 m safety zone against which no plantation has been carried out.</p> <p>iii)It was observed during site inspection that environmental monitoring for Air, dust, water, noise, soil both in core and buffer zone were not carried out as per the proposal and mine plan conditions.</p>
<b>31(4)</b>	The plans and sections were not maintained up to date within three months, as per the provision of this rule. Also the Plans have not been prepared in the UTM grid.

02. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of MCDR (Amendment), 2021

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 above violations immediately and intimate the position to this office **within 45 (Forty-Five) days** from the date of issue of this letter.

भवदीय/Yours faithfully,

Sd/-  
**(Sandeep Kumar Singh)**  
Assistant Controller of Mines  
Indian Bureau of Mines

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.

Sd/-  
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