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VOIATION LETTER
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File No. MP/BGT/MN.-20/ 5211-5214

Date: 22/06/2021

To,

M/s I. Patric Dhanraj,
C/o Hira Power and Steel Ltd
"Om Kutir", Opp. Dr. Sagar Nursing Home,
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Subject: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017, in respect to **Ghondi Mn Ore Mine (40.47 Ha) of M/s M/s I. Patric Dhanraj at Village Ghondi, Tehsil-Paraswada, District- Balaghat (M.P.)**.

Sir,

Undersigned has inspected your mine in the presence your representative Sh O. G. Goyal (Executive Director), Sh S. K. Bhanjane (Mine Manager), Sh M Chaudhary (Mine Geologist) and other staff on 11/06/2021. Following provisions of MCDR 2017 were found violated in your mines during inspection.

Rule No	Nature of violation observed in detail
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Rule 11(1) 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.

The document of above mentioned mine was approved vide letter No.- BGT/MN/MPLN-657/NGP/2015/2567 dated 17/08/2016 incorporating proposal of working from 2016-17 to 2020-21.

A. Separate benches in topsoil overburden and mineral not maintained in the pits as per approved document.

B. It was proposed to remove 160000 m³ top soil and 866630 m³ overburden from the pits in the previous approved period from the pit. But, only 90000 m³ top soil and 332215 m³ overburden removed.

C. Underground mine development was not done against the proposal in the 2020-21.

Rule 26(2) The holder of mining lease shall submit to the competent authority a yearly report as per the format specified by the Indian Bureau of Mines, before 1st day of July every year setting forth the extent of protective and rehabilitative works carried out as envisaged in the approved mine closure plan, and if there is any deviation, reasons thereof:

The yearly report in respect of rule 26(2) of MCDR 2017 has not been submitted for the previous approved plan period.

Rule 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 updated plans and sections under rule 32 of MCDR-2017 have not been submitted.

1. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of Mineral Conservations and Development Rules, 2017.
2. The mining operations can be suspended under the rule 11(2) of MCDR-2017, if compliance of rule 11(1) of MCDR-2017 is not found satisfactory.
4. You are advised to rectify the violations of abovementioned rules 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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