



**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Mines**  
**Indian Bureau of Mines**  
**Office of the Regional Controller of Mines, Jabalpur**

File No. MP/BGT/MN.-214/NGP/ 6211-6215

Date: 15/11/2021

To,

Sh. P.V.V. Patnaik (Nominated Owner)  
(I/C Director Production & Planning)  
M/s MOIL Limited  
MOIL Bhawan, 1-A, Katol Road  
Nagpur (Maharashtra) - 440013

Sh Rajesh Bhattacharya (Agent-Mines),  
**Ukwa Mn Ore Mine (199.067 Ha),**  
M/s MOIL Limited  
Village - Ukwa & Others, Tehsil - Paraswada,  
Dist- Balaghat (MP)- 481105

**Subject: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017, in respect to Ukwa Mn Ore Mine of M/s MOIL Ltd at District- Balaghat (MP).**

Sir,

Undersigned has inspected your mine in the presence your representative Shri D. R. Dekate (Mine Manager), Dr. S. K. Sarkar (AGM, Geology) Shri Vivek Kumar (Mining Engineer) and Shri Subhransu Pani (Mine Geologist) on 27/09/2021. 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.- MP/Balaghat/ Maganese/ MPLN/MOD-43/2018-19; dated 10.05.2019 incorporating proposal of working from 2019-20 to 2021-22.

- a. **Underground Horizontal Development (Drives) of 450 m and Vertical Development (Raise/Winze) of 180 m was proposed at various levels in the year 2020-21. But, only 171 m Horizontal Development and 64 m Vertical Development has been carried out in the RY.**
- b. **Afforestation was proposed in 2 Hect area (5000 saplings) in the year 2020-21. But, plantation was not done in the RY as per proposal.**

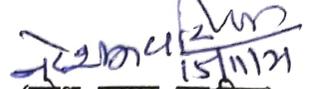
**Rule 11 (4)** The holder of a mining lease shall submit the mining plan to the competent authority for review at least one hundred and eighty days before the expiry of five years period for which it was approved on the last occasion, for mining operations for a period of five subsequent years.

**Review of Mining Plan has not been submitted till date for the next proposal period.**

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1. 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 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.
3. 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.

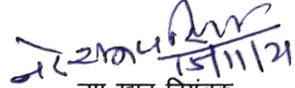
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**प्रतिलिपि प्रेषित :**

01. The Director of Geology & Mining, Govt .of Madhya Pradesh, Khanij Bhavan, 29-A, Arera Hills, Bhopal(M.P.) for information and further necessary action.
02. The District Collector, Balaghat (M.P.) for information please.
03. खान नियंत्रक (मध्य), भारतीय खान ब्यूरो, नागपुर को सूचनार्थ प्रेषित।

  
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