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**To: Shri P.V.V.Patnaik,  
Nominated Owner,  
M/s MOIL Limited,  
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NAGPUR-440 102.  
Date: 06.10.2021

**Sub :-**Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation & Development Rules, 2017 in respect of your Kandri Mine, over an extent of 83.06. Situated in Kandri-village,Teh-Ramtek, Nagpur District of Maharashtra State.

Sir,

The following provision of Mineral Conservation & Development Rules, 2017 were found violated in your above mine during the inspection on 24/09/2021, by Shri Kalmata. M.K, Regional Mining Geologist, in presence of Shri SHRI A .K. CHOUKSEY., Mines Manager & Shri R.U.Singh, Agent.

Rule	Nature of Violation observed
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 following deviations were observed in the approved Review of Mining Plan dated 30.05.2017. <b>a)</b> On the plate no-XI, of the approved document cross cuts were shown at only one side (Right side) from the haulage road to approach the ore body in the -350 level, however, on the day of inspection it was observed that cross cuts were made on both the sides of

	<p>haulage road, where there is no such proposal was given in the approved document.</p> <p><b>b)</b> For the year 2021-22, at page no-32, development was shown at -450 level only, but during inspection it was observed that, development was going on at -350 Level (cross - cut 10 and 11). The development is not made as per the proposal.</p> <p><b>C)</b> At page no37, it is mentioned that recovery clean ore is shown 80% and remaining 20% was shown as Reject, but as per the annual returns submitted for the year 2020-21, recovery is shown almost 100% (99.99%).</p> <p><b>d)</b> In the pit bottom of -350 level, a cross cut was made for the material transport, where the North and South sections are divided, but same was not proposed and shown in any plan.</p>												
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. The last approved document is valid up to 31.03.2022; however Review of mining plan for the period 2022-23 onwards is not submitted so far.												
45 (7)	<p>If it is found that the holder of a mining lease or the person or company engaged in trading or storage or end-use or export of minerals, as the case may be, has submitted incomplete or wrong or false information in daily or monthly or annual returns or fails to submit a return within the date specified; then,— (a) in the case of mining of minerals by the holder of a mining lease, the Regional Controller of Mines may advise the State Government to,-</p> <p>(i) order suspension of all mining operations in the mine and to revoke the order of suspension only after ensuring proper compliance;</p> <p>(ii) take action to initiate prosecution under these rules;</p> <p>(iii) recommend termination of the mining lease, in case such suppression or misrepresentation of information indicates abetment or connivance of illegal mining;</p> <p><b>Following deficiencies were observed in the annual returns submitted for the year 2020-21.</b></p> <p>a) The ex-mine price shown in the monthly returns submitted for the year 2020-21(Apr-2020 to Mar-2021) and annual returns submitted for the year 2020-21, are mismatching. The details are given in the below table.</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Grade of the ore</th> <th>Ex-mine price as per the monthly returns Submitted for the year 2020-21 (Apr-2020 to March-2021) (in Rupees)</th> <th>Ex-mine price as per the annual returns submitted for the year 2020-21.</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>25 to below 35% Mn ore.</td> <td>8109.46/T</td> <td>8297.68/T</td> </tr> <tr> <td>35 to below 46% Mn ore</td> <td>12531.96/T</td> <td>12350.98/T</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Above 46% Mn ore.</td> <td>16998.61/T</td> <td>16545.59/T</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>	Grade of the ore	Ex-mine price as per the monthly returns Submitted for the year 2020-21 (Apr-2020 to March-2021) (in Rupees)	Ex-mine price as per the annual returns submitted for the year 2020-21.	25 to below 35% Mn ore.	8109.46/T	8297.68/T	35 to below 46% Mn ore	12531.96/T	12350.98/T	Above 46% Mn ore.	16998.61/T	16545.59/T
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02. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violation constitutes an offence, punishable under Rule 62 of MCDR, 2017.

03. The mining operations can be suspended under Rule 11(2), if compliance of MCD Rules 2017 is not found satisfactory, or prosecution can be made, or both can be done.

04. You are advised to rectify the above violation immediately and intimate the position to this office within 45 (Forty five) days from the date of issue of this letter.

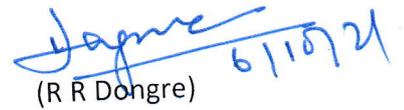
Yours faithfully,

  
(R R Dongre) 6/10/21

o/c  
Regional Controller of Mines,  
Indian Bureau of Mines

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