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VIOLATION LETTER

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File No.: MCDR-MiFLOMn/2/2022-BBS-IBM_RO_BBS

To:

M/s P. M. Granite Export Private Limited,
1297th Main Road, 5th Block, Jayanagar,
Bengaluru Urban1,
Karnataka-560041.
(E-mail-pmgranite55@gmail.com)

Sub: Violation of provisions of MCDR, 2017 read with MCDR (Amendment), 2021 in respect of your Kanther Koira Manganese Mines (Mine Code: 40ORI13057) of M/s P. M. Granite Export Private Limited over an area of 73.301ha in Kanther Koira Village, Koira Tahsil, Sundargarh District of Odisha State.

Sir,

The following provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 read with MCDR (Amendment), 2021 were found violated in respect of the above said mine during inspection on 12.02.2025 by the undersigned, in presence of Sri Jeetendra Kumar Mohanty, Mines Manager, and other mining officials.

The Modified Mining Plan was approved vide letter no. No. MCDR-MiFLOMn/2/2022-BBS-IBM_RO_BBS dated 10.08.2023 for the period 2023-24 to 2024-25. The mining operations are not being carried out in accordance with the approved mining plan. The deviations observed in mining operations vis-à-vis the approved document are given below.	
Rule No.	Observations
11(1)	It was proposed to drill 59no's of bore holes with 1944meterage in the year 2020-21, 64nos. of bore holes with 1967meterage in the year 2021-22, 63no's of bore holes with 2030meterage in the year 2022-23 and 90no's of bore holes with 3600meterage in the year 2023-24, whereas only 10 no's boreholes with 490m have been drilled during the year 2023-24. For the Year 2023-24, It is observed that the actual ROM production of manganese ore is 18016tonnes has been carried out against the proposal of 35079.99tonnes of ROM manganese ore production. Hence, it is observed that only 51.35% of production has been achieved against the proposed production. (ii) During the year 2023-24, the waste of 56446.4m³ has been generated against the proposal of 95520m³. It is observed that the actual generation of waste is only 59.09% of the proposed waste.

02. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of MCDR, 2017.

03. The violation of Rule 11(1) may also attract provisions of Rule 11(2) of MCDR, 2017 regarding suspension of mining operations till the compliance of violations.

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 issuance of this letter.

Yours faithfully,

(Rohita Sethi)
Assistant Controller of Mines

Copy for kind information:-

1. The Controller of Mines (EZ), Indian Bureau of Mines, CP-13, Sector V, Salt Lake City, Kolkata- 700 091.
2. The Director of Mines, Directorate of Mines, Government of Odisha, Bhubaneswar, Odisha-751 001.