

**MCDR INSPECTION REPORT****1.0 GENERAL**

| <b>SN</b> | <b>Particulars</b>                                                                                   | <b>Details</b>                                                                                      |
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| 1 (a)     | Name of the Mine                                                                                     | Dharampur-I [2/2, 2/9]                                                                              |
| 1(b)      | Name of Inspecting Officer                                                                           | Sunil Kumar Sharma, Sr. ACOM                                                                        |
| 1(c)      | Type of Inspection                                                                                   | MCDR Inspection                                                                                     |
| 1(d)      | Date of Inspection                                                                                   | 01.07.2026                                                                                          |
| 2.        | Total Lease Area (Ha) with breakup of Non-forest and forest land                                     | Total ML area – 40.47 Ha.<br>Forest land - Nil<br>Non Forest land – 40.47 Ha                        |
| 3         | Mine-code                                                                                            | 38GUJ21007                                                                                          |
| 4         | IBM Registration Number under rule 45 of MCDR, 1988                                                  | -                                                                                                   |
| 5         | Name of the lessee, Address, phone, email and fax number                                             | Saurashtra Minerals Pvt. Ltd.<br>East Kadia Plots, Porbandar, Gujarat 360575                        |
| 6         | Village                                                                                              | Dharmpur                                                                                            |
| 7         | Taluka/Mandal                                                                                        | Ranavav                                                                                             |
| 8         | District                                                                                             | Porbandar                                                                                           |
| 9         | Pin code                                                                                             | 360575                                                                                              |
| 10        | State                                                                                                | Gujarat                                                                                             |
| 11        | Post office                                                                                          | Dharampur                                                                                           |
| 12        | Nearest police station                                                                               | Ranavav                                                                                             |
| 13        | Nearest Railway station                                                                              | Ranavav                                                                                             |
| 14        | Date of Grant of Mining Lease                                                                        | 09/03/1964                                                                                          |
| 15        | Date of Execution                                                                                    | 15/11/1965                                                                                          |
| 16        | Date of opening of Mine                                                                              | 15/11/1965                                                                                          |
| 17        | Date of first Renewal, if applicable and its period & expiry                                         | Renewed for 20 years<br>Period: 16/11/1965 to 15/11/1985                                            |
| 18        | Date of second Renewal, if applicable and its period & expiry                                        | Second Renewal on 28/05/1992 for 20 Years<br>Period: 16/11/1985 to 15/11/2005                       |
| 19        | Date of submission of renewal application if Mining Operations are continuing under deemed extension | 17/10/2011                                                                                          |
| 20        | Name of the Nominated Owner with Address, phone, email, fax number and date of appointment           | Mr. Vijay M. Thanki<br>Saurashtra Minerals Pvt. Ltd.<br>East Kadia Plots, Porbandar, Gujarat 360575 |
| 21        | Name of the Mine Agent with Address, phone, email, fax number and date of appointment                | NA                                                                                                  |
| 22        | Name of the Mines Manager with Address, phone, email, fax number and date of appointment in mines    | NA                                                                                                  |
| 23        | Name of the Mining Engineer, Qualification and total experience with Address,                        | Not appointed since mine is non-working since 2012.                                                 |

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|    | phone, email, fax number and date of appointment in mine                                                                                |                                                                                                                                                                                    |
| 24 | Whether Geologist and Mining Engineer appointed in mines satisfy the rule 42 & carrying out their duties as per rule 43 & 44.           | Not appointed since mine is non-working since 2012.                                                                                                                                |
| 25 | Date of Approval of Mining Plan/Modified Mining Plan with five-year period and specific condition in approval letter, if any.           | -                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| 26 | Date of Approval of Scheme of Mining/Modified Scheme of Mining with five-year period and specific condition in approval letter, if any. | Date of approval of scheme of mining: 03/12/2010<br>Period up to 31/03/2015<br>No Mining plan was submitted by the lessee after 2015. Therefore, no proposal for the year 2024-25. |
| 27 | Mineral(s) granted in lease and proved for mining                                                                                       | Limstone                                                                                                                                                                           |
| 28 | Method of Mining(Open cast, Underground)                                                                                                | Open cast                                                                                                                                                                          |
| 29 | Category (Fully Mechanised, Others or Manual)                                                                                           | -                                                                                                                                                                                  |
| 30 | Captive/Non Captive                                                                                                                     | Non Captive                                                                                                                                                                        |

Scientific Mining: Compliance of proposals of approved mining plan/scheme of mining. –  
**Exploration**

Exploration

| SN | Item                                                               | Proposals<br>(2025-26)                                                                                                                                                  | Actual work<br>(2025-26) | Remarks |
|----|--------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|---------|
| 1a | Backlog of previous year                                           | No Proposal                                                                                                                                                             | Nil                      | -       |
| 1b | Exploration over lease area for Geological axis 1 or 2.            | No Proposal                                                                                                                                                             | Nil                      | -       |
| 1c | Exploration Agency & Expenditure in lakh Rupees during the year    | No Proposal                                                                                                                                                             | Nil                      | -       |
| 1d | Balance area to be explored to bring Geological axis in 1 or 2     | No Proposal                                                                                                                                                             | Nil                      | -       |
| 1e | Balance reserves as on 31.03.2026 (in Tonne)                       | As per last approved mining plan                                                                                                                                        |                          |         |
|    |                                                                    | 111                                                                                                                                                                     | 8,85,589 tonnes          |         |
|    |                                                                    | 121 & 122                                                                                                                                                               | 10,06,380 tonnes         |         |
|    |                                                                    | 211                                                                                                                                                                     | 1,96,850 tonnes          |         |
|    |                                                                    | Total                                                                                                                                                                   | 20,88,819 tonnes         |         |
| 1f | General remarks of inspecting officer on geology, exploration etc. | The status of the mine is non-working since long time. Last inspection was carried out on 12/03/2013. At that time, mine operations had been discontinued to till date. |                          |         |

## 2.0 Development

| S<br>N | Item                                                                                    | Proposals<br>(2025-26)                                                                                     | Actual work<br>(2025-26) | Remarks |
|--------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|---------|
| 2a     | Location of development w.r.t. lease area                                               | No Proposal                                                                                                | Nil                      | -       |
| 2b     | Separate benches in topsoil, overburden and mineral (Rule 15)                           | No Proposal                                                                                                | Nil                      | -       |
| 2c     | Stripping ratio or ore to OB ratio                                                      | No Proposal                                                                                                | Nil                      | -       |
| 2d     | Quantity of topsoil generation in m <sup>3</sup>                                        | No Proposal                                                                                                | Nil                      | -       |
| 2e     | Quantity of overburden generation in m <sup>3</sup>                                     | No Proposal                                                                                                | Nil                      | -       |
| 2f     | General remarks of inspecting officer on development of pit w.r.t. type of deposit etc. | The development work is discontinued from the year 2012. Last production was reported in the year 2011-12. |                          |         |

## 3.0 Exploitation

| S<br>N | Item                                                                                        | Proposals<br>(2025-26) | Actual work<br>(2025-26) | Remarks |
|--------|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|---------|
| 3a     | Number of pits proposed for production                                                      | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |
| 3b     | Quantity of ROM mineral production proposed                                                 | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |
| 3c     | Recovery of saleable/usable mineral from ROM production                                     | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |
| 3d     | Quantity of mineral reject generation                                                       | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |
| 3e     | Grade of mineral reject generation and threshold value declared                             | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |
| 3f     | Quantity of sub-grade mineral generation                                                    | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |
| 3g     | Grade of sub-grade mineral generation                                                       | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |
| 3h     | Manual / Mechanised method adopted for segregating from ROM                                 | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |
| 3i     | Any analysis or beneficiation study proposed & carried out for sub-grade mineral and reject | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |
| 3j     | Provision of drilling & blasting in mineral benches                                         | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |
| 3k     | Provision of mining machineries in mineral benches                                          | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |
| 3l     | Whether height of benches in                                                                | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |

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|    | overburden and mineral suitable for method of mining proposed in MP/SOM |                                                                                                                                                                           |     |   |
| 3m | Total area covered under excavation/pits                                | No Proposal                                                                                                                                                               | Nil | - |
| 3n | Ore to OB ratio for the pit/mine during the year                        | No Proposal                                                                                                                                                               | Nil | - |
| 3o | Total area put in use under different heads at the end of year          | No Proposal                                                                                                                                                               | Nil | - |
| 3p | Production of ROM mineral during last five-year period, as applicable   | No Proposal                                                                                                                                                               | Nil | - |
| 3q | General remarks of inspecting officer on method of mining etc.          | The development work is discontinued from the year 2012. Last production was reported in the year 2011-12. The production reported for the year 2011-12 was 61180 tonnes. |     |   |

#### 4.0 Solid Waste Management-Dumping

| S<br>N | Item                                                              | Proposals<br>(2025-26)                                                              | Actual work<br>(2025-26) | Remarks |
|--------|-------------------------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|---------|
| 4a     | Separate dumping of topsoil, OB & mineral reject (Rule 32, 33)    | No Proposal                                                                         | Nil                      | -       |
| 4b     | Location of topsoil, OB & mineral reject dumps                    | No Proposal                                                                         | Nil                      | -       |
| 4c     | Number of dumps within lease area and outside lease area          | No Proposal                                                                         | Nil                      | -       |
| 4d     | Location of dumps w.r.t. ultimate pit limit (Rule 16)             | No Proposal                                                                         | Nil                      | -       |
| 4e     | Number of active & alive dumps                                    | No Proposal                                                                         | Nil                      | -       |
| 4f     | Number of dead dumps                                              | No Proposal                                                                         | Nil                      | -       |
| 4g     | Number of dumps stabilised                                        | No Proposal                                                                         | Nil                      | -       |
| 4h     | Whether Retaining wall or garland drain all along dumps are there | No Proposal                                                                         | Nil                      | -       |
| 4i     | Length of Retaining wall or garland drain all along dump          | No Proposal                                                                         | Nil                      | -       |
| 4j     | Number of settling ponds                                          | No Proposal                                                                         | Nil                      | -       |
| 4k     | Specific comments of inspecting officer                           | There is no approved mining plan or final Mine closure plan for the period 2025-26. |                          |         |

#### 5.0 Solid Waste Management-Backfilling

| S<br>N | Item                                              | Proposals<br>(2025-26) | Actual work<br>(2025-26) | Remarks |
|--------|---------------------------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|---------|
| 5a     | Status on part or full extraction of mineral from | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |

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|    | mined out area before starting backfilling                                              |             |     |   |
| 5b | Area under backfilling of mined out area                                                | No Proposal | Nil | - |
| 5c | Concurrent use of topsoil for restoration or rehabilitation of mined out area (Rule 32) | No Proposal | Nil | - |
| 5d | Total area fully reclaimed & rehabilitated                                              | No Proposal | Nil | - |
| 5e | General remarks of inspecting officer on backfilling, reclamation etc                   |             |     |   |

### 6.0 Progressive Mine Closure Plan

| S<br>N | Item                                                                                                                                         | Proposals<br>(2025-26) | Actual work<br>(2025-26) | Remarks |
|--------|----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------|--------------------------|---------|
| 6a     | Whether Annual report on PMCP submitted on time and correctly - Rule 23E (2). Details should be given in the format as given in Annexure-20. | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |
| 6b     | Management of worked/mined out benches<br>i) Area available for rehabilitation (ha)                                                          | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |
| 6c     | Afforestation done (ha)                                                                                                                      | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |
| 6d     | No. of saplings planted during the year                                                                                                      | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |
| 6e     | Cumulative no. of plants                                                                                                                     | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |
| 6f     | Any other specific method of rehabilitation                                                                                                  | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |
| 6g     | Cost incurred on watch & care during the year                                                                                                | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |
| 6h     | Compliance on reclamation and rehabilitation by backfilling<br>i) Voids available for backfilling (L X B X D)                                | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |
| 6i     | ii) Void filled by waste/tailings                                                                                                            | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |
| 6j     | iii) Afforestation on the backfilled area                                                                                                    | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |
| 6k     | iv) Rehabilitation by making water reservoir                                                                                                 | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |
| 6l     | v) Any other specific means                                                                                                                  | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |
| 6m     | Compliance of Rehabilitation of waste land within lease<br>i) Afforestation                                                                  | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |
| 6n     | ii) Area rehabilitated (ha)                                                                                                                  | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |
| 6o     | iii) Method of rehabilitation                                                                                                                | No Proposal            | Nil                      | -       |

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| 6p | Compliance of Environmental monitoring (core zone & buffer zone)       | No Proposal                                                                                                                                                                                          | Nil | - |
| 6q | General remarks of inspecting officer on PMCP compliance & progressive | During the inspection, it is observed that there is no mining operation was carried out at the lease area since long time. The whole lease area is covered with local vegetation, shrubs and bushes. |     |   |

## **7.0 Mineral Conservation**

| S<br>N | Item                                                                                 | Proposals<br>(2025-26)                                                                                                                                                                                     | Actual work<br>(2025-26) | Remarks |
|--------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|---------|
| 7a     | ROM Mineral dispatch or grade-wise sorting within lease area                         | No Proposal                                                                                                                                                                                                | Nil                      | -       |
| 7b     | Method of grade-wise mineral sorting i.e. manual or mechanical                       | No Proposal                                                                                                                                                                                                | Nil                      | -       |
| 7c     | Different grade of mineral sorted out at mines                                       | No Proposal                                                                                                                                                                                                | Nil                      | -       |
| 7d     | Any beneficiation process at mines                                                   | No Proposal                                                                                                                                                                                                | Nil                      | -       |
| 7e     | General remarks of inspecting officer on Mineral conservation & beneficiation issues | During the inspection, it has been observed that there is no mining operation was carried out at the lease area since long time. The whole lease area is covered with local vegetation, shrubs and bushes. |                          |         |

## **8.0 Environment**

| S<br>N | Item                                                                                                        | Proposals<br>(2025-26)                                                                         | Actual work<br>(2025-26) | Remarks |
|--------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------------------|---------|
| 8a     | Separate removal and utilization of topsoil (Rule 32)                                                       | No Proposal                                                                                    | Nil                      | -       |
| 8b     | Concurrent use or storage of topsoil                                                                        | No Proposal                                                                                    | Nil                      | -       |
| 8c     | Separate dumps for overburden, waste rock, rejects and fines (Rule 33)                                      | No Proposal                                                                                    | Nil                      | -       |
| 8d     | Use of overburden, waste rock, rejects and fines dumps for restoring the land to its original use           | No Proposal                                                                                    | Nil                      | -       |
| 8e     | Phased restoration, reclamation and rehabilitation of lands affected by mining operations (Pits, dumps etc) | No Proposal                                                                                    | Nil                      | -       |
| 8f     | Baseline information on existence of plantation & additional plantation done (Rule 41)                      | No Proposal                                                                                    | Nil                      | -       |
| 8g     | Survival rate                                                                                               | No Proposal                                                                                    | Nil                      | -       |
| 8h     | Water sprinkling on roads to control airborne dust                                                          | No Proposal                                                                                    | Nil                      | -       |
| 8i     | General remarks of inspecting officer on aesthetic beauty in and around                                     | During the inspection, it is observed that there is no mining operation was carried out at the |                          |         |

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|  | mines are | lease area since long time. The whole lease area is covered with local vegetation, shrubs and bushes. |
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## 9.0 Compliance of Rule 45

| S. N. | Item                                                                                          | COMMENTS                                                              | Remarks |
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| 9a.   | Status of submission of Online Monthly and Annual returns                                     | Annual Return and monthly returns were not submitted since long time. | -       |
| S. N. | Item                                                                                          | Observation of I/Officer /Actual reported in Returns                  | Remarks |
| 9b    | Scrutiny of Annual return for information on Mining Engineer, Geologist and Manager           | Returns were not submitted.                                           | -       |
| 9c    | Scrutiny of Annual return on land use pattern for area under pits, reclaimed area, dumps etc. | Returns were not submitted.                                           | -       |
| 9d    | Scrutiny of Annual return on afforestation                                                    | Returns were not submitted.                                           | -       |
| 9e    | Scrutiny of Annual return on mineral reject generation (Grade & quantity)                     | Returns were not submitted.                                           | -       |
| 9f    | Scrutiny of Annual return on ROM stock and/or graded ore                                      | Returns were not submitted.                                           | -       |
| 9g    | Scrutiny of Annual return on sale value, Ex. Mine price & production cost                     | Returns were not submitted.                                           | -       |
| 9i    | Scrutiny of Annual return on fixed assets                                                     | Returns were not submitted.                                           | -       |
| 9k    | Scrutiny of Annual return on mining machineries                                               | Returns were not submitted.                                           | -       |

**10- Details of violations observed during current inspection and compliance position of earlier violation pointed out: -**

Violation observed under Rule 27(1) and 21(4). The violation has been issued to the lessee on 10/06/2026.

**Earlier violation:** Rule 11(4) for non-submission of review of mining plan. The reply has not been submitted. Therefore, mining operations have been suspended.

Date:13/08/2026

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