

MINERAL ENTERPRISES PRIVATE LIMITED

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18-10-2024

To,
The Deputy Conservator of Forest
Tumakuru Division,
Ramakrishna Nagara,
Kunigal Road,
Tumakuru - 572 105.

Dear Sir,

Sub: Diversion of 48.20 Ha (Mining 37.45 Ha + Approach Road 10.75 Ha) forest land for Mining purpose in Sy.No: 11,12,10 & 8 of Gollarahalli, Sy. No. 33 & 34 of Thonalapura, Sy. No. 55 of Lakmenahalli, Sy. No. 64 of Hosahalli, Sy. No. 48 & 49 of Kodihalli Village, Chikanayakanahalli Taluk, Tumakuru District in favour of M/s Mineral Enterprises Private Limited (MEPL) Bengaluru - reg.

Ref: (1) Our online proposal No:FP/KA/MIN/154749/2022, Dt. 22-04-2022.

(2) EDS raised by your good office dated:15-10-2024.

With reference to the above subject & ref. cited at (2) above, we are herewith submitting a detailed reply to your good office EDS , dated:15-10-2024 as follows:

A) EDS: The area being asked is rich in wildlife and forest, what is the justification for asking this forest area?

Clarification given below:

The area sought for diversion under FC Act is not a virgin forest area, it was held under mining lease No:1234 , by one Mr. Sarangapani Mudaliyar (Since 1950's).

I. The lease of Sri. Sarangapani Mudaliyar over an extent of 982.19 Ha (2427 Acres) was terminated/surrendered and thereafter GOK notified the same area for re-grant under Rule 59(1) of Mineral Concession Rules 1960, enclosed hereto as **(Document No-1, extract of Rule 59(1))** in two parts as below.

Part-I during 1999 - 515.98 Ha (1275 Acres) (treating it as revenue land- only, recently during Nov'2021 the Hon'ble Supreme Court has held that the Sec-4 notification of Janeeru is valid, hence the FC proposal as MEPL's mining lease is part of this re-grant area) and

Part-II during 2004 - 466.21 Ha (1152 Acres) (treating it as forest land under Thirtharampura Reserve Forest).

- II. GOK issued notification bearing No. DMG/ML/ ADV/99/5575 Dated: 15.06.1999, notifying an area of 515.98 Ha (1275 Acres) for re-grant of surrendered area of mining lease No. 1234 (**Document No. 2**, Please refer schedule to the notification at SL. No. 1).
- III. The above notified area for re-grant during 1999 has been granted to six (6) applicants among which MEPL's proposed area has also been re-granted vide GOK notification bearing No: CI:37:MMM:2001. (Copy of the six (6) mining lease grant notifications are enclosed as (**Document No-3A, 3B, 3C, 3D, 3E & 3F**).
- IV. The proposed area is part of the Habbigegudda range in Chikkanayakanahalli taluka of Tumakuru district and the entire range is worked for the past 20-25 years, as significant mineral wealth has been explored.
- V. The area proposed for diversion by MEPL was worked earlier and signs of old mine working can still be evidenced, the drone photo exhibits depicting the old approach road to the mine workings and other open pits is enclosed as (**Document No. 4**).

B) EDS: Why alternate revenue road available is not being utilized?

Clarification given below:


The alternate revenue road available has been examined for transportation of mined material and the local Gram Panchayat was interacted.

- I. The Local Honnebagi Gram Panchayat has issued a declaration letter stating the revenue road connecting Gollarahalli village via Jogihalli to NH 150A is a village interconnecting small road not suitable or meant for heavy vehicles and dense traffic, copy of the letter is enclosed as (**Document No. 5** and 5A (English Translation)).
- II. The road from Jogihalli to NH 150A has to pass through narrow and densely populated road of Chikkanayakanahalli Town, Google image enclosed as (**Document No. 6**).

- III. As per the Director General of Mines Safety (DGMS), Circulars (page-247) it is a statutory requirement that "all roads in and from the opencast workings shall be arranged to provide one-way traffic . Where this is not practicable, no road shall be of a width less than three times the width of the largest vehicle plying on that road unless definite turnouts and waiting points are designated". The revenue road is having a width of 3.5 mts which is not suitable nor confirming to the above circular for movement of vehicles (Width 3 mts). (DGMS circular enclosed as **Document No-7**).
- IV. As the above mentioned revenue road is not suitable for evacuation of mined mineral, the present road is proposed for forest diversion considering already existing roads within the forest area. The drone photo exhibits depicting the already existing roads from mining lease area to NH 150A is enclosed here to as (**Document No-8**).

The above is submitted for your kind perusal & in light of the above clarification, we hope that the EDS have been satisfactorily clarified. We request to process our application for diversion of forest land over an extent of 48.20Ha. for according Forest Clearance from MoEF & CC under FC Act 1980.

Thanking you,
Yours faithfully,
For Mineral Enterprises Private Limited


Authorised Signatory

Encl: a/a



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1[59. Availability of area for regrant to be notified. —²[(1) No area—

(a) which was previously held or which is being held under a reconnaissance permit or a prospecting license or a mining lease; or

(b) which has been reserved by the Government or any local authority for any purpose other than mining; or

(c) in respect of which the order granting a permit or license or lease has been revoked under sub-rule (1) of rule 7-A or sub-rule (1) of rule 15 or sub-rule (1) of rule 31, as the case may be; or

(d) in respect of which a notification has been issued under sub-section (2) or sub-section (4) of section 17; or

(e) which has been reserved by the State Government or under section 17-A of the Act,

shall be available for grant unless—

(i) an entry to the effect that the area is available for grant is made in the register referred to in sub-rule (2) of rule 7-D or sub-rule (2) of rule 21 or sub-rule (2) of rule 40, as the case may be; and

(ii) the availability of the area for grant is notified in the Official Gazette and specifying a date (being a date not earlier than thirty days from the date of the publication of such notification in the Official Gazette) from which such area shall be available for grant.

Provided that nothing in this rule shall apply to the renewal of a lease in favour of the original lessee or his legal heirs notwithstanding the fact that the lease has already expired:

Provided further that where an area reserved under rule 58 or under section 17-A of the Act is proposed to be granted to a Government company, no notification under clause (ii) shall be required to be issued:

Provided also that where an area held under a reconnaissance permit or a prospecting license, as the case may be, is granted in terms of sub-section (1) of section 11, no notification under clause (ii) shall be required to be issued.]

(2) The Central Government may, for reasons to be recorded in writing, relax the provisions of sub-rule (1) in any special case.]

¹[60. Premature applications. — Applications for the grant of a ²[reconnaissance permit, prospecting license or mining lease] in respect of areas whose availability for grant is required to be notified under rule 59 shall, if—

(a) no notification has been issued, under that rule; or

²[(b) where any such notification has been issued, the period specified in the notification has not expired, shall be deemed to be premature and shall not be entertained.]]

1. Substituted by G.S.R. 146, dated 16-1-1980.

2. Substituted by G.S.R. 56(E), dated 17-1-2000 (w.e.f. 18-1-2000).

NOTES

MINERAL CONCESSIONS, DEPARTMENT, BANGALORE

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NOTIFICATION NO. DMG/AM/ADVT/77

No. DMG/AM/ADVT/77/8575

Dated: 15-6-77

It is hereby notified for the mining public that the areas noted in the schedule are available for re-grant under Rule 59 of Mineral Concession Rules 1960.

Application (Preferably mining lease applications) for grant of Mineral Concession over the area will be received after the expiry of thirty days (30) from the date of publication of Notification in the Karnataka State Gazette. The sketch of the area is available for inspection at the office of the Director, Department of Mines and Geology, No. 16, S.P. Complex, Near Subbanna Circle, Lalbagh Road, Bangalore - 560 027 during working hours on all working days. If the day notified for receiving the application happens to be a public holiday or General holiday, applications will be received on the next working day under amended Rules.

The mining public should note that the availability of the areas published below are subject to the clearance from the Revenue Department for mining activities and compliance of the provisions of the MM (R & D) Act 1957 and the M.C. Rules 1960 and all other relevant Acts & Rules by the applicants. In case the area is found to consist of Forest lands, the clearance from the Forest Department under section (2) of the Forest (Conservation) Act 1980 for utilizing the area for Non-forest activities should be obtained by the applicants.

Interested persons are advised to inspect the areas and satisfy themselves about the availability of mineral deposits (as these areas are surrendered / lapsed / determined areas) and the present status of the lands there in before making application for mining lease.

(Dr. Brahm)

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SCHEDULE

Sr. No.	Old No.	Mineral	Extent in Hect.	Survey No.	Village	Taluk	District	Remarks
1.	ML 124	Manganese & Iron Ore	515.98	80(P), 112, 14(P), 15(P), 60, 70(P), 71(P), 72(P), 73(P), 74	Gollanahalli	Chikmagalur	Tumkur	APPNO NML-91989
2.	ML 204	Soupsione	130	141(P), 142(P)	Hosahalli	Chikmagalur	Tumkur	Private Lands
3.	ML 1396	Quartz	31.24	81(P), 107(P), 109(P), 109(P)	Nathigana	C.N. Halli	Tumkur	
4.	ML 2053	Quartz	12.14	55(P)	Srinivasapura	Piravada	Tumkur	
5.	ML 665	Manganese	239.00	42(P), 44(P), 47(P), 48, 49(P), 87(P), 100(P), 24(P)	Sivasandra	Gubbi	Tumkur	APPNO NML-91989
6.	ML 1100	Soupsione & Quartz	8.47	170(P), 18(P), 182(P), 23(P), 22(P), 232(P), 25, 26, 27(P), 30(P), 31, 32(P), 33, 34(P), 35(P)	Badaranahally			
7.	ML 1114	Green Quartz	2.99	250(P), 38(P), 19(P), 13(P), 36(P), 37, 38(P), 39(P)	Kanchigana Halli	Tiptur	Tumkur	
					Singrenahalli	Hosadurga	Chitradurga	Private lands
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Note: (P) indicates Portion land in Sytem.

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18.	ML 1591	Quartz	9.30	25	Chilicappa	Githiyappa	Kolli	
19.	PL 3268	Limestone	59.08	901(P)	Hardi	Udupi	Udupi	
20.	ML 1056	Limestone	85.79	93(P), 120(P)	Balakudra Airey	Udupi	Udupi	

DIRECTOR OF MINES AND GEOLOGY
BANGALORE

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GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA

No.CI.37/MMM.2001(3)

Karnataka Government Secretariat
Vikasa Soudha
Bangalore, Dated: 19.03.2009.NOTIFICATION:-

In pursuance of Section 5 read with Section 8 of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 and after obtaining prior approval of Government of India, Ministry of Mines, New Delhi vide their letter No.5/182/2007-M.IV dated 17.03.2008, the Government of Karnataka hereby accords sanction for grant of Mining Lease for a period of 20 years (Twenty years only) in favour of **Shri R.Praveen Chandra** (Legal heir of Late Shri E.Ramamurthy) for Iron ore and Manganese ore over an area of 178-30 acres (One hundred and seventy eight point three zero acres only) in Sy.No.12 and other Sy.Nos. of Goltarahalli village of Chikkanayakanahalli taluk, Tumkur District with the boundaries as mentioned below and as per the sketch furnished by the Director, Department of Mines and Geology, Bangalore subject to compliance of the provisions of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 and Mineral Concession Rules, 1960 and other applicable Acts and Rules including Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, Environmental Protection Act, 1986, EIA Notification 2006 etc., as amended from time to time and Rules made there under.

BOUNDARIES:-

On the North by	Part of Sy. No.12, 13 and 14	On the South by	Part of Sy. No.12, 13, 14 and 15
On the East by	V.B of Yerelatte	On the West by	Part of Sy. No.14 and 15

Sanction of this Mining lease is subject to the necessary clearances like Environmental Clearance under Environmental Protection Act, 1986, Consent for Establishment/Consent for Operation from the KSPCB and Forest Clearance under Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, if applicable.

Office of the Director
of Mines and Geology

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Sanction of this Mining lease is also subject to the terms and conditions appended hereto and also subject to the result of Court proceedings in the matter, if any.

**BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE
GOVERNOR OF KARNATAKA,**


(M. VASUDEVAMURTHY)
Under Secretary to Government (Mines)
Commerce & Industries Department.

To:


The Compiler, Karnataka Gazette, is requested to publish this in next publication of the Gazette and to supply 25 copies of Notification to this Office.

Copy to:

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- 2) The Controller General, Indian Bureau of Mines, Indira Bhavan, Civil Lines, NAGPUR-440 001.
- 3) The Deputy Commissioner, Tumkur District, Tumkur.
- 4) The Director, Department of Mines and Geology, No.49, "KHANJA BHAVAN", Dr. Devaraj Urs Road, Bangalore. 560-001.
- 5) The Regional Controller, Indian Bureau of Mines, Southern Zone, Industrial Suburb, Opp. Old Tumkur Road, Yeshwanthapur, Bangalore.
- 6) Shri R. Praveen Chandra (Legal heir of Late Shri E. Ramamurthy), No.59, 12th Main (Old 24th Main), Srinagar, Banashankari 1st Stage, 1st Block, Bangalore. 560-050.
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GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA**No. CI.37:MMM.2001(2)**Karnataka Government Secretariat,
Vikasa Soudha
Bangalore, Dated: 19.03.2009.**-: NOTIFICATION:-**

In pursuance of Section 5 read with Section 8 of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957, and after obtaining prior approval of Government of India, Ministry of Mines, New Delhi vide their letter No.5/184/2007-M.IV dated 17.03.2008, the Government of Karnataka hereby accords sanction for grant of Mining Lease for a period of 30 years(Thirty years only) in favour of M/s.Mineral Enterprises Pvt. Limited for Iron ore and Manganese ore over an area of 178-30 acres (One hundred and seventy eight point three zero acres only) in Sy.No.11, 12 and other Sy.Nos. of Gollarahalli village of Chikkanayakanahalli taluk, Tumkur District with the boundaries as mentioned below and as per the sketch furnished by the Director, Department of Mines and Geology, Bangalore subject to compliance of the provisions of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 and Mineral Concession Rules, 1960 and other applicable Acts and Rules including Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, Environmental Protection Act, 1986, EIA Notification 2006 etc., as amended from time to time and Rules made there under.

BOUNDARIES:-

On the North by	Part of Sy. No.11, 71 and 10	On the South by	Part of Sy. No. 12, 13 and 14
On the East by	V.B of Hombalghatta and Yerekatte	On the West by	Part of Sy. No. 70, 71 and 73

Sanction of this Mining lease is subject to the necessary clearances like Environmental Clearance under Environmental Protection Act, 1986, Consent for Establishment/Consent for Operation from the KSPCB and Forest Clearance under Forest(Conservation)Act, 1980, if applicable.

.....(2)

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- 5) The Regional Controller, Indian Bureau of Mines, Southern Zone, Industrial Suburb, Opp.Old Tumkur Road, Yeshwanthapur, Bangalore.
- 6) M/s.Mineral Enterprises Pvt. Limited, No.602, A/5, 18th Cross, Sadhashivnagar, Bangalore 560080.
- 7) The Weekly Gazette.
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TERMS AND CONDITIONS OF THE MINING LEASE
SANCTIONED IN GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION NO.
CI.37:MMM.2001(2) Dated: 19.03.2009.

- a) Mining lease should be in respect of **Iron ore and Manganese ore** only. If other minerals are found in association with **Iron ore and Manganese ore**, they should be brought to the notice of Government and if the lessee desires to mine these minerals along with **Iron ore and Manganese ore**, he/she/it should do so only after the consent of Government is obtained in writing.
- b) If beryl or any other substance prescribed U/S 3 of the Atomic Energy Act, XXIX of 1948 is found to occur in the property under the lease, the lessee shall make available such mineral to the Government of India.
- c) The lease shall also be subject to the provisions of Rules in Chapter IV of the Minerals Concession Rules, 1960.
- d) The lease shall also be subject to the Rules, issued U/S 18 of the Mines & Minerals (D&R) Act, 1957.
- e) The lessee shall pay to the Director of Mines and Geology in Karnataka, Bangalore, necessary Security Deposit for due observance of the terms and conditions of the lease in accordance with Rule 32 of the lease issued to him.
- f) The lessee shall be governed by all conditions that may be incorporated in the lease deed, to be executed.
- g) The lessee shall abide by the rules contained in the Karnataka State Forest Manual, if the lease area covers any forestland.
- h) Government shall have the right of purchasing the ore at current market rates.
- i) The lease would be determined if the lessee fails to commence execution of the lease deed.
- j) The area mentioned above is subject to verification after actual survey and demarcation.
- k) The lease shall be for a period of **Thirty Years**.

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l) The lessee/s shall pay dead rent, cesses and royalty as detailed below:-

DEAD RENT PAYABLE PER HECTARE PER ANNUM

1st year of the lease	: Rs. 100/-
2 nd year to 5 th year of the lease	: Rs. 140/-
6 th year to 10 th year of the lease	: Rs. 280/-
11 th year of the lease & onwards	: Rs. 400/-

Surface Rent: Rs.2.50 per hectare per annum on the area used by the lessee/s for mining purposes.

Local & other Cesses: As prevalent in **Tumkur** District.

Royalty: At the rate prescribed in Second Schedule to the Mines & Minerals (D&R) Act, 1957 and as amended from time to time.

m) The total area held by the applicant/s under mining lease including the present one, shall not exceed 10 Sq.Km.

n) Mining operations shall not be commenced/conducted unless a qualified manager and other supervisory staff are appointed as required under the Matalliferous Mines Regulations, 1961 and relevant notices are sent to the Director-General of Mines Safety, Dhanbad with a copy of the same to the concerned Director of Mines Safety.

o) The minerals should be value added and the Lessee should adhere to existing National Mineral Policy and Karnataka Mineral Policy, 2008.


(M.VASUDEVAMURTHY),

Under Secretary to Govt.(Mines),
Commerce & Industries Department.



Government of India
Ministry of Mines

No. S-183/2007-N&IV-M.IV

New Delhi.

4-3-2008

To

The Secretary to the Govt. of Karnataka.
(Mines, SSI & Textiles),
Commerce & Industries Department,
M.S. Bldg., Bangalore (Karnataka).

Subject: Grant of Mining Lease for iron ore and manganese ore over an area of 178.30 acres in Gollarahalli, Hosahalli and Aravatti villages of C.N. Halli Taluk, Tumkur distt. in favour of M/s Milan Minerals Enterprises Pvt. Ltd. for a period of 30(thirty) years.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter No. CI.37/MMM.2001 dated 04/05.10.2007 on the subject mentioned above and to convey the prior approval of Central Govt. under Section 5 (1) of the Mines and Mineral (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 to the grant of mining lease for iron ore and manganese ore over an area of 178.30 acres in Gollarahalli, Hosahalli and Aravatti villages of C.N. Halli Taluk, Tumkur distt. in favour of M/s Milan Minerals Enterprises Pvt. Ltd. for a period of 30(thirty) years subject to outcome of writ petition(s)/appeal pending against the proposal.

2. Before allowing grant of mining lease the State Govt. may also kindly ensure the compliance of the amended provisions of the Act and Rules, and other applicable Acts and Rules including Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and Environmental Notification dated 27.01.1994 as issued and amended by MoEF.

3. A copy of the order passed by the State Govt. in the matter may kindly be furnished to this Ministry for record.

Yours faithfully,

(Anil Subramaniam)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

Regd./copy to :

1. The Controller General, Indian Bureau of Mines, Indira Bhawan, Civil Lines, Nagpur-440001.
2. The Chairman-cum-Managing director, Mineral Exploration Corpn. Ltd., High Land Drive Road, Seminary Hills, Nagpur-440006.
3. PS-to-Minister of Mines. 4. Guard File.

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(Anil Subramaniam)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

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No. CI-37/2001(1)

Karnataka Government Secretariat
 Vikasa Soudha
 Bangalore, Dated: 11.08.2009.

:- NOTIFICATION:-

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:- BOUNDARIES:-

On the North by	Part of Sy. No.8 & 11 of Anavattige Village	On the South by	Part of Sy. No.10, 11 and 71
On the East by	V.D of Hornbalghatta Village	On the West by	Part of Sy. No.8, 9, 71 and 72


Sanction of this Mining lease is subject to the necessary clearances like Environmental Clearance under Environmental Protection Act, 1986, Consent for Establishment/Consent for Operation from the KSPCB and Forest Clearance under Forest(Conservation)Act, 1980.—

The Department of Mines of Geology is directed to take necessary action to measure the area scientifically through GPS and to publish the Digitized Map in the Website.

Sanction of this Mining lease is also subject to the terms and conditions appended hereto and also subject to the result of Court proceedings in the matter, if any.

The Mining lease should be executed only after submission of all the statutory documents/clearances, by the applicant.

**BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE
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BOUNDARIES:-

On the North by	Part of Sy. No.64	On the South by	Part of Sy. No.64 & 81
On the East by	V.B of Hombalghatta Village	On the West by	Part of Sy. No.64, 74, 76 and 81


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The Department of Mines and Geology is directed to take necessary action to measure the area scientifically through GPS and to publish the digitized Map in the Website.

Sanction of this Mining lease is also subject to the terms and conditions appended hereto and also subject to the result of Court proceedings in the matter, if any.

The Mining lease should be executed only after submission of all the statutory documents/clearances, by the applicant.

**BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE
GOVERNOR OF KARNATAKA,**


(M. VASUDEVAMURTHY),
Under Secretary to Government (Mines)
Commerce & Industries Department.

To:


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- 4) The Director, Department of Mines and Geology, No.49, "KHANJA BHAVAN", D. Devaraj Urs Road, Bangalore.560 001.
- 5) The Regional Controller, Indian Bureau of Mines, Southern Zone, Industrial Suburb, Opp. Old Tumkur Road, Yeshwanthapur, Bangalore.
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GOVERNMENT OF KARNATAKA

No. GL37/MINE/2009(1)

Karnataka Government Secretariat
Vikasa Soudha
Bangalore, Dated: 19.03.2009.:- NOTIFICATION:-

In pursuance of Section 5 read with Section 8 of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 and after obtaining prior approval of Government of India, Ministry of Mines, New Delhi vide their letter No.5/186/2007-M.IV dated 17.12.2008, the Government of Karnataka hereby accords sanction for grant of Mining Lease for a period of 20 years (Twenty years only) in favour of Shri M.Babanna for iron ore and Manganese ore over an area of 383.50 acres (Three hundred and eighty three point five zero acres only) in Hosahalli and Aravattige villages of Chikkanayakanahalli taluk, Tumkur District with the boundaries as mentioned below and as per the sketch furnished by the Director, Department of Mines and Geology, Bangalore subject to compliance of the provisions of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 and Mineral Concession Rules, 1960 and other applicable Acts and Rules including Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, Environmental Protection Act, 1986, EIA Notification 2006 etc., as amended from time to time and Rules made there under.

BOUNDARIES:-

On the North by	Part of Sy. No.49 of Aravattige Village	On the South by	Part of Sy. No.64 of Hosahalli Village
On the East by	V.B of Kattarkihall and Hombelghatta Village	On the West by	Part of Sy. No.49 of Aravattige Village and Part of Sy. No.64 of Hosahalli Village

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Office of the Director
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Bangalore - 560 004

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Old workings & approach road in part of Saranagapani area granted to MEPL



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Govt. of Karnataka
Dept. of Rural Development & Panchayath Raj

Gramapanchayath Office, Honnebagi

Chikknayakanahalli Taluk, Tumakuru Dist.

No. G.P. No. Ho:01/24-25

Dt. 27-08-2024

DECLARATION LETTER

It is declared that, the Road connecting from Chikknayakanahalli to Gollarahalli village via Jogihalli village in Tumkuru Dist. is formed under Special Development Scheme during 13-05-2021. It is a small village interconnecting road of about 3.50 Meters in width. This road is not suitable and meant for heavy vehicle and dense traffic. On either sides of the road Arecanut & Coconut farms have been developed and local people are continually using this road to commute for daily agriculture activities and movement.

Yours Sincerely,

With Regards,

Sd/-

Panchayath Development Officer,
Honnebagi Grama Panchayath,
Chikknayakanahalli Taluk.
CN Halli Range, CN Halli.

Dt. 27-08-2024

Place: Honnebagi

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copy of such conditions is given at Appendix for guidance. This may be useful while planning the operations.

(Cir. 36/1972)

APPENDIX

Conditions for adopting a system of deep-hole blasting and/or working opencast mines with the help of heavy machinery for digging, excavation and removal of ore etc. under Reg. 106(2) (b) of MMR 1961

I. GENERAL

1. (1) Except where otherwise provided for in this conditional permission, all provisions of the Metalliferous Mines Regulations, 1961 shall be strictly complied with.
- (2) This conditional permission is subject to amendment or withdrawal at any time.

II. OPENCAST WORKING

Height and Width of Benches

2. (a) The height of benches in overburden, ore body or other rock formation shall not be more than the digging height of the machine used for digging, excavation or removal.

Provided that in case of uniformly soft rocks, the Regional Inspector may permit the extension of the height upto 3m above the digging height of the machine.

- (b) Width of any bench shall not be less than—

- (i) width of the widest machine plying on the bench plus 2m,
 - or (ii) if dumpers ply on the bench, 3 times the width of the dumper,
 - or (iii) the height of the bench,
- whichever is more.

Provided that the Chief Inspector may, subject to such conditions as he may specify therein, permit width of any bench to be less than its height.

- (c) When persons are employed within 5m of the working face, adequate precautions shall be taken to ensure their safety by dressing the sides of the bench.

Roads for Trucks and Dumpers etc.

3.1 All roads for trucks, dumpers or other mobile machinery shall be maintained in good condition.

3.2 Where practicable, all roads from the opencast workings shall be arranged

2. In existing vehicles, solenoid terminals and connection cable be suitably insulated to avoid inadvertent short circuiting of solenoid terminals.

(Cir. Tech. 11/1983)

6. Precautions in tyre inflation

Recently in one of the mines there was a fatal accident in which a fitter helper died. While opening a shuttle car wheel underground, the tyre burst throwing out the locking ring with tremendous force causing the fatality. It was found that the lock ring was indigenously developed and its sectional profile was not matching with the wheel rim groove.

To avoid such accidents *in underground mines or in opencast mines* where heavy earth moving machineries are used, only suitable type and matching locking ring of correct size shall be used. Periodically the locking ring of every tyre shall be examined for its suitability, and record of such examination shall be maintained. While fitting a new locking ring, it should be ensured that it fits correctly in the rim groove.

(Cir. Tech. 9/1979)

7. Dump workings

Extraction of mineral by reclamation from dump working is common in many mines. Such extraction however is fraught with danger of collapse of loose debris if the reclamation is not done with due care.

The position is analogous to working in opencast benches with loose overburden where provisions of Reg. 98 of CMR 57/Reg. 106 of MMR 1961 are attracted. Failure to do so had resulted in a few accidents—some of them resulting in loss of life. In a recent accident in an iron-ore mine, while persons were engaged in loading fines dumped earlier, a large mass of fines (approximately 120m³ in volume) slid down and buried one worker. His body was recovered 80 minutes later.

Managements are advised to ensure that in ore dumps precautions are taken similar to those specified for opencast mining in loose soil to avoid danger to workpersons.

(Cir. Tech. 13/1977)

8. Model code of precautions for truck transport in opencast mines

The most common mode of transport of ore and materials in opencast mines whether big or small is ordinary truck and its use is on the increase. So are unfortunately the accidents due to the use of truck.

An analysis of such accidents shows that majority of them occurred due to

failure of brakes or while reversing the truck, and to persons who were riding the trucks unauthorisedly or otherwise.

All mines in which trucks are deployed in mining operations ought to take adequate precautionary measures against occurrence of such accidents within their leasehold or area of control. Accordingly, a Model Code of Precautions to be taken for Truck Transport in Opencast Mines is given below. The same shall be enforced either in the form proposed or with modifications considered necessary to suit the local conditions and requirements after getting concurrence of the concerned Joint Director of Mines Safety.

Model Code of Precautions for Truck Transport in Opencast Mines

1.0 Roads for trucks etc.

1.1 All roads for trucks, or other mobile machinery, referred to hereinafter as vehicle, shall be maintained in good condition.

1.2 Where practicable, all roads in and from the opencast workings shall be arranged to provide one-way traffic. Where this is not practicable, no road shall be of a width less than three times the width of the largest vehicle plying on that road unless definite turnouts and waiting points are designated.

1.3 All corners and bends in roads shall be made in such a way that the operators and drivers of vehicles have a clear view for a distance of not less than 30m, along the road. Wherever it is not possible to ensure a visibility for a distance of 30m, there shall be provided two roads for the up and down traffic.

1.4 Ordinarily, no road shall have a gradient steeper than 1 in 16 at any place. Provided that in case of ramps over small stretches a gradient up to 1 in 10 may be permitted.

1.5 Where any road exists above the level of the surrounding area, it shall be provided with strong parapet walls or embankments not less than 1 metre in height to prevent any vehicle from getting off the road.

1.6 Road signs shall be provided at every turning point for the guidance of drivers specially at night time.

1.7 At every curve, parapet walls or vertical posts with 'Zebra' lines shall be provided to help the drivers to keep the vehicle on the track specially at night time.

2.0 Maintenance of vehicles

2.1 (a) The vehicle shall be maintained in good repair, and examined thoroughly once at least in every week by the engineer or other competent person appointed by the manager in writing for the purpose.

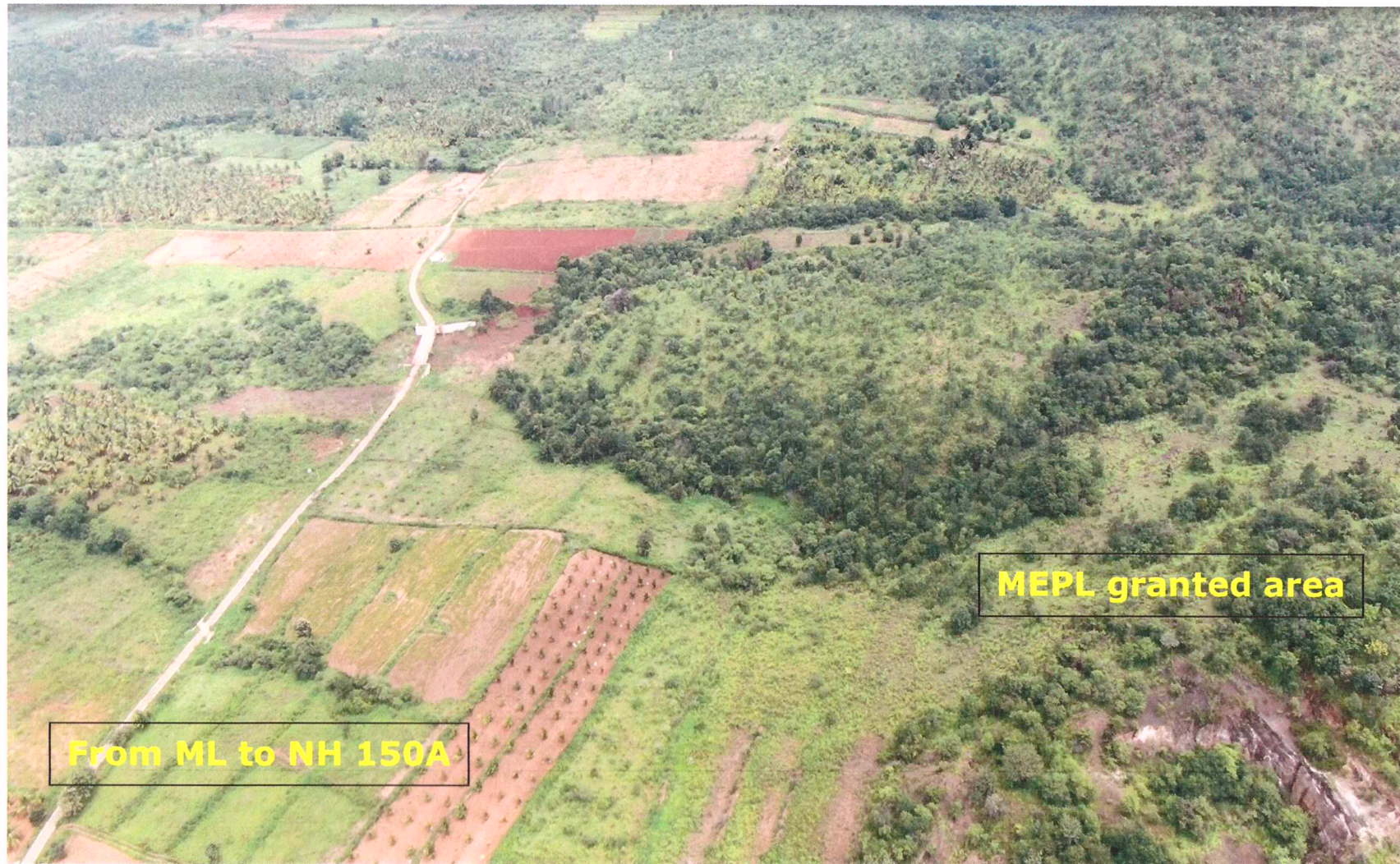
(b) The competent person shall maintain a record of every such inspection in a bound pagged book kept for the purpose. Every entry in the book shall be signed and dated by the person making the inspection.

2.2 If the engineer or other competent person making an inspection notices any defect in the vehicle, the said vehicle shall not be used until the defect has been remedied.

2.3 Any defect in a vehicle reported by its driver shall be promptly attended to.

2.4 Any vehicle found to be in an unsafe operating condition shall be tagged at the driver's

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