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No. Udyog-Bhu(Khani-4)Laghu-22/94 - 14921 Government of Himachal Pradesh

Department of Industries "Geological Wing"

Dated; Shimla- 171001,

27/3/ 2017

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Sh. Neeraj Nayar, S/o sh. S. C. Nayar, Mohalla Upper Julahkari Chamba, Tehsil & Distt. Chmaba, H. P.

Subject:-

Approval of Revised Mining Plan of the area granted on mining lease for extraction of Slate from Khasra No. 1853/1579/1 measuring to 17-5 Bighas(Govt. Land, Hill Slope) falling in Mauza Gehra of Tehsil & Distt. Chamba, H. P. which has been executed on 1-9-2005 for a period of five years and extend the mining lease period for fifteen years w.e.f. 1.9.2005 to 31.8.2020 by giving relaxation in rule 56 of H. P. Minor Minerals (Concesions) Revised Rules, 1971.

Sir,

In exercise of powers conferred by Rule 36 of Himachal Pradesh Minor Mineral (Concession) and Minerals (Prevention of Illegal Mining, Transportation and Storage) Rules 2015, I hereby approve the above said Mining Plan of the area granted on mining lease over an area measuring to 17-5 Bighas subject to the following conditions:-

- 1. That the Mining Plan is approved without prejudice to any other laws applicable to the mine/area from time to time whether made by the Central/State Govt. or any other authority.
- 2. That this approval of the Mining Plan does not in any way imply the approval of Govt. in terms of any other provisions of the H. P. Minor Minerals (Concession) Revised Rules, 1971 now repealed as Himachal Pradesh Minor Minerals (Concession) and Minerals (Prevention of Illegal Mining, Transportation and Storage) Rules 2015 or any other laws including Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, Environment Protection Act, 1986 and the rules made there under and other relevant statutes, orders and guidelines as may be applicable to lease area from time to time.
- 3. That the Mining Plan is approved without prejudice to any orders or directions from any Court of competent jurisdiction.
- 4. That in case State Geologist, Geologist, any other inspecting officer/official of Geological Wing Department of Industries, after field inspection notices that proposals made and workings shown in the mining lease by the RQP need certain corrections/ amendments due to change in conditions either natural or man made, the inspecting officer can recommend necessary amendments in the Mining Plan at any point of time in the interest of environment and mineral conservation.
- 5. That the mining plan is valid upto 31-8-2020. In case additional conditions are imposed by the Joint Inspection Committee at the time of renewal, the same shall have to be incorporated by making necessary amendments in the Mining Plan by the lessee through R. Q. P.
- 5. That in case mining lease is terminated or working is suspended before the expiry of the lease period due to any reason, the approval of Mining Plan shall stand automatically cancelled.

- 6. That the approval of proposed mining operations is restricted to the mining lease area only.
- 7. That the lease holder shall comply all the directions imposed by the State Level Environment Impact Assessment Authority, Himachal Pradesh Ministry of Environment Forest & Climate Change, Govt. of India Department of Environment Science & Technology, Paryavaran Bhawan, Near U. S. Club, Shimla-1 vide letter No. HPSEIAA/2013/162-Sh. Neeraj Nayar-3286 dated 29.9.2015.
- 8. That proponent/lessee shall restrict the production from his lease area as per the approval conveyed in the Environment Clearance granted vide letter No. HPSEIAA/2013/162-Sh. Neeraj Nayar-3286 dated 29.9.2015.
- 9. That the lease holder shall carry out production of mineral in accordance to the production shown in Mining Plan and in the Environment Clearance which ever is less.
- 10. That no person shall undertake mining operations in any mining lease area, except in accordance with a Mining Plan approved under sub rule (2) of Rule 39 of Himachal Pradesh Minor Minerals (Concession) and Minerals (Prevention of Illegal Mining, Transportation and Storage) Rules 2015.
- 11. That the lease holder shall carry out working in the mining lease area as per Mining Plan only after obtaining permission to work in the mining lease area from the competent authority.
- 12. That if the mining operations are not carried out in accordance with the approved Mining Plan the State Geologist, Geologist, Assistant Geologist and the Mining Officer, may order suspension of all or any of the mining operations and permit continuation of only such operations as may be necessary to restore the conditions in the mine as envisaged under the said Mining Plan.
- 13. That the approval of Mining Plan shall be effective only when the party will obtain valid working permission from the competent authority after expiry of the lease period.
- 14. That the lease holder shall work in the mining lease area in accordance to the conditions imposed in Environment clearance.
- 15. That the mining operations in the area shall be carried out according to the approved Mining Plan. If any thing is found to be concealed as required under various Rules and guidelines pertaining to mining in the contents of the working plan and the proposal for rectification has not been made, the approval shall be deemed to have been withdrawn with immediate effect.

Enclosed:- Copy of approved Mining Plan.

Yours faithfully,

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State Geologist Himachal Pradesh

Dated;

2017

Endst. No. As above.

Copy for kind information to:-

1. The Mining Officer, Chamba, Distt. Chamba, H. P.alongwith a copy of Mining Plan for further necessary action.

2. Sh Sh. Subhash Sharma, R.Q. P. # 207, Basant Vihar, Kasumpti, Shimla -171009, H. P.

State Geologist Himachal Pradesh