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**Government of India**

**Ministry of Coal**

**Office of Nominated Authority**

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131, Ground Floor, World Trade Centre, New Delhi  
Dated: the 5<sup>th</sup> October, 2016

To,  
The Pay & Accounts Officer,  
PAO, Ministry of Coal,  
Trikoort II, Bhikaji Camma Place,  
R.K.Puram,  
New Delhi-110066.

**Subject: Transfer of compensation towards cost for Geological Report in respect of Ardhagram coal mine to the Commissioner of Payment for further disbursal to the prior allottees i.e. M/s. Sova Ispat Limited.**

**Sir/Madam,**

I am to convey the sanction of the President to the transfer of a sum of **Rs.9,71,87,682/-** ( Rupees Nine crore Seventy One lakh Eighty Seven thousand Six hundred Eighty two only)to the Coal Controller's Organisation for disbursement to the leader prior allottee, i.e. **M/s. Sova Ispat Limited** of Ardhagram coal mine under the provisions of the Coal Mines (Special Provisions) Act, 2015 by the Coal Controller in his capacity as 'Commissioner of Payments' towards cost for Geological Report. It is stated that the above mentioned amount is a part of Fixed Amount deposited by M/s. OCL Iron and Steel Ltd.,

the Successful Bidders of the said coal mine.

2. The aforesaid amount may be transferred through RTGS to the account of Coal Controller, Coal Controller's Organisation who has been appointed as 'Commissioner of Payments' under the provisions of Section 15 (1) of the Coal Mines (Special Provisions) Act, 2015 for the purpose of the said Act vide Ministry of Coal's Order No. 22/2/2014-ASO dated 15<sup>th</sup> July, 2015 (copy enclosed as **Annexure-I**).

3. The expenditure on this account is debitable to the Head **8443.00.117.03.04.00**.

4. This issues with the approval of Integrated Finance Division, Ministry of Coal vide Note dated 03.10.2016.

**Encl: as above.**

Yours faithfully,

*Vivek Bharadwaj*  
(**Vivek Bharadwaj**)

Joint Secretary to the Govt. of India/ Nominated  
Authority

**Copy to:**

1. **The Coal Controller in the capacity as Commissioner of Payments**, Coal Controller Organisation, No. 1 Council House Street, Kolkata-700001 - for further disbursement to the prior allocattees under the provisions of the Coal Mines (Special Provisions) Act, 2015 within **ten days** of the transfer of above amount from PAO. It may be ensured that payment is made to the leader prior allottee as per the said Act. The leader prior allottees may be intimated of the sanction & requested to submit the required

document(s) for receiving the amount. The leader prior allottee shall need to submit an NOC from the other allottees/associate prior allottee (i.e. M/s. Sova Ispat Ltd) in form of an affidavit in the format prescribed at **Annexure-II**. For this purpose an affidavit in the prescribed format (**Annexure-III**) may also be obtained from the leader prior allottee prior to disbursal.

2. US(IFD), Ministry of Coal.
3. US (US CA-III), Ministry of Coal.
4. DDO, Nominated Authority.
5. M/s. Sova Ispat Limited, EN-32, Sector V, Salt Lake, Kolkata-700091.
6. M/s. Jaibalaji Sponge Limited, 5, Bentick Street, Kolkata-700001.
- ✓ 7. TD, NIC: for uploading on the Website of Ministry of Coal.


F.No. 22/2/2014-ASO  
Government of India  
Ministry of Coal

New Delhi, Dated 15<sup>th</sup> July, 2015

ORDER

In exercise of the powers vested under Section 15(1) of the Coal Mines (Special Provisions) Act, 2015, the President is pleased to appoint the Coal Controller, Coal Controller's Organization under the Ministry of Coal as the Commissioner of Payments for the purpose of the said Act, with immediate effect.

2. He will discharge the functions of the Commissioner of Payments in addition to his duties as Coal Controller, Coal Controller's Organization.



(Sanjib Bhattacharya)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

- 1) Coal Controller, Coal Controller's Organization, 1, Council House Street, Kolkata-700001
- 2) Shri Vivek Bharadwaj, Joint Secretary & Nominated Authority, Ministry of Coal, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi
- 3) All Ministries/ Deptts. of the Government of India
- 4) CMD, Coal India Ltd. 10, Netaji Subhash Road, Kolkata
- 5) CMD, CMPDI, Gondwana Place, Kanke Road, Ranchi, 834031
- 6) CMD, BCCL, Koyla Bhawan, Koyla Nagar, Dhanbad-826005,
- 7) CMD, SECL, SECL Bhawan, Seepat Road, Post Box No. 60, Bilaspur: 495006. Chattisgarh,
- 8) CMD, WCL, 2nd Floor, Coal Estate, Civil Lines, Nagpur- 440 001
- 9) CMD, MCL, Jagriti Vihar, Burla, Sambalpur-768020, Odisha
- 10) CMD, NCL, PO- Singrauli, 486889
- 11) CMD, CMPDIL, Gondwana Place, Kanke Road, Ranchi, 834031
- 12) CMD, ECL, Sanctoria - WB 713333
- 13) CMD, CCL, Darbhanga House, Cutchery Road, Ranchi 834001
- 14) CMD, NLC, "Neyveli House" No. 135, Periyar EVR High Road, Kilpauk, Chennai - 600 010.
- 15) Commissioner, CMPFO, Police Line, Dhanbad - 826001
- 16) Coal Controller, Council House Street, Kolkata- 700 001
- 17) Chief Secretaries of State Government of Chhattisgarh, Jharkhand, Madhya Pradesh, Maharashtra, Odisha, Arunachal Pradesh, Andhra Pradesh, Telangana and West Bengal
- 18) Chief Secretaries of all other States/UTs.

Copy to :-

- 1) PS to MoS (I/C) for Coal
- 2) PSO to Secretary, Ministry of Coal
- 3) PPS to AS(Coal)/ JS (RPG), JS(RKS), JS&FA,  
JS(VB)/JS(VP)/JS(SKS)/Advisor (P)/Eco. Adviser
- 4) TD-NIC for uploading on the website of this Ministry



(Sanjib Bhattacharya)

Under Secretary to the Government of India

## Annexure-II

(To be stamped in accordance with the relevant Stamp Act and duly sworn before Notary Public)

### NO OBJECTION CERTIFICATE BY THE ASSOCIATE PRIOR ALLOTTEE FOR DISBURSAL OF THE AMOUNT TOWARDS COST OF GEOLOGICAL REPORT AND COST OF CONSENT TO LEADER PRIOR ALLOTTEE

I, \_\_\_\_\_ aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, resident of \_\_\_\_\_ working as \_\_\_\_\_ an authorized signatory on behalf of \_\_\_\_\_ (name of the 'Associate Prior Allottee') hereby states as under:

1. That I am the Authorised Signatory of the Associate Prior Allottee. I am conversant with facts and circumstances surrounding the subject of this No Objection Certificate and have been authorized to confirm the same.

2. That M/s. \_\_\_\_\_ (name of the 'Leader Prior Allottee') and M/s. \_\_\_\_\_ (name of the 'Associate Prior Allottee') are the joint Prior Allottees of the \_\_\_\_\_ (the "Coal Mine") in terms of the Coal Mines (Special Provisions) Act, 2015 (the "Act")/successor-in-interest of the Prior Allottees of the Coal Mine.

3. As per the terms and condition of letter of allocation dated \_\_\_\_\_ the Leader Prior Allottee was mandated to make all the investment and undertake all mining operations to develop and extract coal from the Coal Mine. As such the Leader Prior Allottee is entitled to receive compensation on account of cost of Geological Report and cost of consent obtained in relation to the Coal Mine.

4. That M/s. \_\_\_\_\_ (name of the 'Associate Prior Allottee') has no objection in disbursement of the amount towards cost of Geological Report and cost of consent in relation to the Coal Mine to Leader Prior Allottee.

5. That nothing has been concealed in the information submitted as mentioned above.

Solemnly affirmed and verified on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of (month) 2016 at (place).

(Signature)

Deponent-Authorised Signatory

(Name, Designation & Seal)

**VERIFICATION**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, resident of \_\_\_\_\_ working as \_\_\_\_\_ an authorized signatory on behalf of \_\_\_\_\_ (name of Associate Prior Allottee) do hereby solemnly declare that what is stated in paragraphs 1 to 5 above is on the basis of the books and records of the Prior Allottee, and verify that the contents of the above affidavit are true and correct, no part of it is false and nothing material has been concealed therefrom.

Verified at \_\_\_\_\_ day of (month) 2016 at (place).

(Signature)

Deponent-Authorised Signatory

(Name, Designation & Seal)

**Annexure-III**

(To be stamped in accordance with the relevant Stamp Act and duly sworn before Notary Public)

**UNDERTAKING FOR RECEIVING THE AMOUNT  
TOWARDS COST OF GEOLOGICAL REPORT AND COST  
OF CONSENT**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, resident  
of \_\_\_\_\_ working as \_\_\_\_\_ an  
authorized signatory on behalf of  
\_\_\_\_\_ (name of Prior Allottee) hereby  
states as under:

1. That I am the Authorised Signatory of the Prior Allottee. I am conversant with facts and circumstances surrounding the subject of this Undertaking and have been authorized to undertake the same.

2. That M/s. \_\_\_\_\_ is/are the Prior Allottee (s) of the \_\_\_\_\_ (the "Coal Mine") in terms of the Coal Mines (Special Provisions) Act, 2015 (the "Act")/successor-in-interest of the Prior Allottee of the Coal Mine. As such the Prior Allottee is entitled to receive compensation on account of cost of Geological Report and cost of consent obtained. [*Applicable in case of mines mentioned in table I of Annexure I.*]

OR

2. That the Mining Lease for the Coal Mine has been executed in favour of M/s. \_\_\_\_\_ and therefore by virtue of the provisions of the Coal Mines (Special Provisions) Act,



2015 (the "Act"), M/s. \_\_\_\_\_ is/are deemed to be the Prior Allottee (s) of the \_\_\_\_\_ (the "Coal Mine")/ successor-in-interest of the Prior Allottee of the Coal Mine. As such the Prior Allottee is entitled to receive compensation on account of cost of Geological Report and cost of consent obtained. [*Applicable in case of mines mentioned in table II of Annexure I. Delete the clause whichever is not applicable.*]

3. That M/s. \_\_\_\_\_ has been authorised by the other Joint Prior Allottee (s)/Joint Venture Partners to receive the claim on its/their behalf. A "No Objection Certificate" from the Joint Prior Allottee (s)/Joint Venture Partners in this regard is **enclosed** herewith for record.

4. That the Prior Allottee (s) has incurred the cost of Geological Report and cost of consents for \_\_\_\_\_ coal mine and is entitled to get refund of the same. The details of account for this purpose is as under:

Name of the Account holder	_____
company _____	
Account Number	_____
Name of the Bank/Branch	_____
MICR	_____
IFSC	_____

5. That the Prior Allottee (s) indemnifies the Nominated Authority &/or the Central Government against any liability, cost, damages or losses in relation to this disbursement.

6. That the Prior Allottee (s) also undertakes that it is liable to return the amount disbursed to it, in case the above cost (part or in full) is claimed and established by any other party.

7. That nothing has been concealed in the information submitted as mentioned above.

Solemnly affirmed and verified on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of (month) 2016 at (place).

(Signature)

Deponent-Authorised Signatory

(Name, Designation & Seal)

### VERIFICATION

I, \_\_\_\_\_ aged \_\_\_\_\_ years, resident of \_\_\_\_\_ working as \_\_\_\_\_ an authorized signatory on behalf of \_\_\_\_\_ (name of Prior Allottee) do hereby solemnly declare that what is stated in paragraphs 1 to 7 above is on the basis of the books and records of the Prior Allottee, and verify that the contents of the above affidavit are true and correct, no part of it is false and nothing material has been concealed therefrom.