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Government of India

Ministry of Coal

New Delhi, dated 7th January, 2014

To,

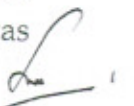
The Managing Director,
M/s Gondwana Ispat Ltd.,
3rd Floor, Tajshree Sai, 01 Hindustan Colony,
Ajni Square, Wardha Road, Nagpur - 440015,
Maharashtra.

**Subject: De-allocation of Majra coal block allocated to M/s Gondwana Ispat Ltd.-
regarding.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to this Ministry's allocation letter of even number dated 29.10.2003 conveying reservation of **Majra** coal block for meeting coal requirement of 4.8 ltpa in their proposed 1.20 ltpa sponge iron plant (**Annexure-I**). Captive mining was to be done in accordance with the provisions of Mines & Minerals (Development & Regulation) Act, 1957 and Mineral Concession Rules, 1960 and subject to the provisions of other relevant statutes. One of the conditions of allocation was that the coal mining development project for **Majra** coal block should have commenced coal production by April 2007 and full-rated capacity for production of coal from the mine was to be achieved by the company by October, 2009 as per the bar chart submitted by them. The 1st Phase of the proposed sponge iron plant for which the **Majra** coal block was reserved should have completed by February, 2007 and 2nd Phase by June 2009 as per the bar chart submitted by the company.

2. In order to expedite the development of the coal blocks, review meetings were held from time to time. In the review meeting held on 22/23.06.2009 it was noticed that FC, ML & LA are pending, FC application was forwarded to MoEF by the State Government, The representative of the company had stated that as soon as they get FC, they would be able to start production from the block. It was further stated that they have already purchased 40 hectares of land for compensatory afforestation. Committee had observed that the company was delaying without any reason. In the review meeting held on 20/21.07.2010 it was noticed that FC, ML & LA were still pending. All formalities of forest clearance were completed. Stage-I FC was pending. Forest clearance was said to be main problem. 630 Ha of entire area was said to be within buffer zone of forest. The representative had stated that as soon as they get the FC, they would be able to start production. The committee was



dissatisfied with the development of mine and asked to issue show-cause notice for de-allocation. The reply of the company in response to show cause notice was considered by the review committee in its meeting held on 28.01.2011 and 04.02.2011 and it was recommended to issue a warning.

3. In the review meeting held on 11/12.01.2012, it was noticed that the progress of the **Majra** coal block allocated to the company is not satisfactory. The Committee expressed concern over unsatisfactory progress and advised to expedite the development of the coal block. Accordingly, a caution letter dated 26.04.2012 was issued to the company with the direction to expedite the development of the coal block and be careful in future with respect to the milestones stipulated.

4. In the meantime, the Government constituted an Inter-Ministerial Group (IMG) on 21.06.2012 under the Chairmanship of Additional Secretary, Ministry of Coal having members from Ministry/Department of Power, Steel, Industrial Policy & Promotion, Legal Affairs and Economic Affairs. IMG has been given the mandate to review the progress of development of allocated coal blocks and associated end use projects and to recommend action including de-allocation, if required. IMG in its 18th meeting held on 01.05.2013 *inter alia* considered the status of the development of the **Majra** Coal Block prepared by the Coal Controller's Organisation (CCO) as on 31st December, 2012 and noted that no significant progress was made by the company towards development of the coal block. It was noticed that a number of important/critical milestones were pending. Keeping in view the unsatisfactory progress, IMG recommended to issue show cause notice for delay in development of coal block. Accordingly a show cause notice dated 14.06.2013 was issued (**Annexure-II**).

5. Subsequently, on receipt of reply in response to show cause notice, the IMG asked the allocatee company to make a presentation before it on the progress of development of allocated coal block and associated end use projects. The representatives of the company gave a presentation on 25.10.2013 before the IMG in its 23rd meeting. The IMG considered the presentation, the status of the **Majra** coal block and associated end use project(s) prepared by the Ministry of Coal and Coal Controller's Organisation (**Annexure-III**). The details of milestones to be achieved and the time lapsed against each milestone, as reported by the Office of Coal Controller, are given in the table below:

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Submission of	NA	Not	-	BG	

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Grant of Opening permission	29.3.2007 (41 months)	Pending	6 Yrs 3 Months		
Coal Production	29.4.2007 (42 months)	Pending	6 Yrs 2 months	Mining will be commenced in OC area first.	

6. After detailed deliberations, the IMG made recommendation for de-allocation of **Majra** coal block. The recommendations made by the IMG are as follows:-

"The IMG considered the terms and conditions of allocation, the show cause notice issued, reply of the block allocatee to the show cause notice issued, status report of CCO, presentation made by the allocatee company on 25.10.2013 along with the status paper presented to the IMG. IMG noted that as per CCO's status report, GR purchased, mining plan approval obtained, EC obtained, previous approval of Central Govt. to mining lease granted; however, there have been delays in achieving milestone. FC, land acquisition, grant of mining lease, mine opening permission and coal production are pending.

The IMG considered the reply of the allocatee to the show cause notice wherein the JV company has mainly stated that show cause notice is based on status report of CCO dated 31.12.2012 and not on the submissions in the report of CCO for the Qtr ending March, 2013. For completion of land acquisition State Govt. approval is obtained. Land acquisition is under process. Company has stated there is substantial progress made in most of the milestones that were particularly complained about not having been accomplished in the show cause notice. As regards EUP, the land is acquired; plant and machinery order have been placed. Proposed project would take nine months to implement, slowed down to avoid the CAPEX on plant and equipment.

As per CA certificate submitted by the company, investment in coal block and EUP is Rs. 11.70 crs. and Rs.16.12 crs., respectively.

It was noted by the IMG that Mining Lease was executed on 16.09.2009 after delay of three years and seven months from the date of application for mining lease was submitted to State Govt. of Maharashtra. Land acquisition is pending as forest land is involved and FC (Stage-II) is pending.

IMG noted that the company obtained stage I clearance in January 2011. More than two and a half years have passed but no further progress is noticed for stage-II FC. Land matters have also not been firmed up. There is no substantial progress in setting up of end-use plant.

Recommendation: Taking into account the facts placed before it including the fact that though GR purchased, mining plan approval obtained, EC obtained, previous approval of Central Govt. to mining lease granted; however FC, Land acquisition and grant of mine opening permission are pending as well as the fact that almost 10 years have elapsed since allocation and the block has not come into production, IMG recommends de-allocation of coal block."

7. The recommendation of the IMG has since been considered and approved by the Government. As the allocatee company have been given a number of opportunities to develop the coal block and the associated end use project and the company has failed to develop the same as per the milestones prescribed without any valid reasons for the delay, it has been decided to **de-allocate** the **Majra** coal block in the State of Maharashtra allocated to **M/s Gondwana Ispat Ltd.** The company shall not be eligible for allocation of any block in lieu of de-allocated block.

Encls: As above

Yours faithfully,



(S.K. Shahi)

Director

Tel: 23382807

Copy to:

- (i) The Chief Secretary, Government of Maharashtra, Mantralaya, Mumbai.
- (ii) The Secretary, Ministry of Steel, Udyog Bhawan, New Delhi.
- (iii) The Coal Controller, Coal Controller Organisation, 1- Council House Street, Kolkata.
- (iv) The Chairman, Coal India Ltd., 10 - Netaji Subhash Road, Kolkata - 700 001.
- (v) NIC, Ministry of Coal for uploading the letter on Ministry's website.

No. 47011/1(10)/2000-CPAM/CA
Government of India
Ministry of Coal

New Delhi, the 24th October, 2003

To

M/s. Gondwana Ispat Ltd.,
No. 3 & 4, Auric Gems,
Poonam Chambers, Chhaoni,
Nagpur - 400 013.

Subject : Reservation of Majra-Belgaon coal blocks for washery-cum-sponge iron plant to M/s. Gondwana Ispat Ltd.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letters dated 25.9.2001, 17.10.2001, 13.6.2002, 11.2.2003 and 10.5.2003 on the above subject and to say that your proposal for identification of captive coal block for meeting the coal requirement for your proposed 1.20 lakh tonnes per year capacity sponge iron plant in Warora Tehsil, Distt Chandrapur, Maharashtra was considered in the 20th meeting of the Screening Committee held on 6.6.2003. The Screening Committee has agreed to identify Majra coal block containing extractable reserves of 12.03 mt under the command area of Western Coalfields Limited and reserve the same for M/s Godwasha Ispat Limited. The reservation of Majra coal block is subject to the following conditions. The firm allocation of the block will be confirmed only after the company achieves and reports financial closure of the end-use plant.

- (i) All coal mined from this block shall exclusively be used by the company to meet the ROM coal requirement of 4.8 ltpa in their proposed 1.20ltpa sponge iron plant. The Company may wash the mined coal in their washery and use all the washed coal only in their proposed sponge iron plant.
- (ii) The Ist Phase of the proposed sponge iron plant for which the Majra coal block is being reserved should be completed by February, 2007 and 2nd Phase by June 2009 as per the bar chart submitted by the company.
- (iii) The coal mining development project for Majra coal block should commence coal production by April 2007 and full-rated capacity for production of coal from the mine will be achieved by the company by October, 2009 as per the bar chart submitted by the party.
- (iv) The end-use plant (sponge iron plant) shall be commissioned before any production of coal begins from the captive coal block.
- (v) The captive mining will be done by the company only by underground mining operations. The coal mining will be done in accordance with the provisions of Mines & Minerals (Development & Regulation) Act, 1957 and Mineral Concession Rules, 1960 and subject to the provisions of other relevant statutes.

- (vi) Reservation of coal block may be cancelled in case of unsatisfactory progress of implementation of their washery-cum-sponge iron plant or coal mining project or both.

3. The reservation of the captive block will also be subject to the following conditions:-

- (i) The end use(sponge iron) for which coal is to be mined from the captive block and utilised, should be clearly specified in the mining lease and all the conditions imposed by the Central Government mentioned in this letter conveying offer by the Screening Committee of captive block to M/s. Godwana Ispat Ltd. should be clearly incorporated in the mining lease deed to be executed between the concerned State Government and M/s. Godwana Ispat Ltd.
- (ii) All the conditions imposed by the Central Government while conveying the previous approval to the State Government under Section 5(1) of the Mines and Minerals (Development & Regulation) Act, 1957 for grant of mining lease in favour of captive mining party should clearly form part of the lease deed to be executed between the concerned State Government and the party.
- (iii) In case the captive block has been offered for washing-cum-end use, the lease deed must clearly specify that the beneficiated coal from the washery will exclusively be used for the end use (sponge iron production) as approved by the Central Government and not for commerce or otherwise. Tailings, middlings or rejects, as the case may be, shall be used for captive consumption only by the applicant as approved by the Central Government.
- (iv) The applicant company would furnish to this Ministry detailed plan for disposal of unusables containing carbon materials obtained during the process of mining or any process thereafter including washing etc. so as to avoid any need for disposal of the same through sale etc. at a later stage, within 30 days of receipt of this letter or submission of mining plan whichever is earlier.
- (v) No coal shall be sold, delivered, transferred or disposed of except for the stated captive mining purpose (sponge iron production) except with the previous approval of the Central Government in writing.
- (vi) There should be complete synchronization between the captive coal mining operations and the development of end-use plant so that no situation arises where the company is left with coal extracted from the captive block when the end-use plant is yet to be operational.
- (vii) Approval of mining plan shall be considered only after financial closure for the end use project is achieved.
- (viii) Existing coal linkage from CIL/SCCL, if any, would not be disturbed in any way with the coal mined from the allocated block.

- (ix) Expenses of Rs. 4.72 lakhs incurred by CMPDIL for the exercise of assessment of extractable reserves and associated survey work in the coal block would be paid by the applicant company in addition to the exploration cost. Further detailed exploration in the block, if required shall be carried out by CMPDIL or under its direct supervision, on payment basis by the applicant.
- (x) Violation of any of the conditions will render the reservation of the block/ grant of the lease as the case may be liable for cancellation.

4. The progress in the end use project and the development of the allocated block should be reported to this Ministry every 3 months from date of issuance of this letter.

5. The company may approach CIL for more detailed information, geological report etc. and contact the State Government authorities concerned for completing the necessary formalities for attaining mining lease rights and related matters. The company will be required to apply for mining lease within a period of six months after the block is firmly allocated to the company. The arrangement of transport of coal, if any, etc. will have to be worked out by the company in consultation with the Ministry of Railways / Ministry of Surface Transport depending on the mode of transport.

Yours faithfully,


(S. Galati)
Director

Copy to:-

1. Chairman, Coal India Ltd., 10-Netaji Subhas Road, Kolkata - 700 001.
2. Chairman-cum-Managing Director, CMPDIL, Gondwana Place, Kanke Road, Ranchi - 834 008.
3. Chairman-cum-Managing Director, Western Coalfields Ltd., Coal Estate, Nagpur.
4. Ministry of Railways, Railway Board (Sh. M.S. Mathur, Joint Director (TP)), Rail Bhawan, New Delhi.
5. Ministry of Steel (Dr. S.N.Dash, Joint Secretary), Udyog Bhavan, New Delhi.
6. Chief Secretary, Govt. of Maharashtra, Secretariat, Mumbai.
7. Directorate of Mines & Geology, Government of Maharashtra, Old Secretariat Building, Civil Lines, Opposite GPO, Nagpur.
8. Shri V.S.Dhumal, Principal Secretary (Industries), Government of Maharashtra, Secretariat, Mumbai.



(S.K.KAKKAR)

Under Secretary to the Govt. of India

SHOW CAUSE NOTICE

By Speed Post

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Ministry of Coal

New Delhi, dated 14th June, 2013

To,
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Ajni Square, Wardha Road, Nagpur - 440015,
Maharashtra.

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4. Under the above circumstances, you are hereby called upon to show cause, on each milestone separately to this Ministry within a period of **20 days** from the date of issue of show cause notice as to why the delay in the development of the coal block should not be held as violation of the terms and conditions of the allocation of **Majra** coal block, failing which it would be presumed that your company has no explanation to offer and action as appropriate would be taken against your company for de-allocation of said coal block.

5. You are also requested to furnish a detailed status note on the progress of end use plant(s) (EUPs) for which the above mentioned coal block was allocated to you.

Yours faithfully,



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Status Note

Sl. No.	Items	Remarks
1	Name of the Block	Majra Coal Block
2	Name of the allocatee	M/s Gondwana Ispat Ltd.
3	Date of allocation	29.10.2003
4	End Use Plant & Capacity	Coal requirement of 4.8 ltpa in proposed 1.20 ltpa Sponge Iron Plant at Warora Tehsil, Distt. Chandrapur, MH.
5	Important terms and conditions of allocation	Copy of allocation letter enclosed as Annexure-I
6	Milestones of allocation and slippages against milestone	Copy of status note from CCO enclosed as Annexure-II
7	History of Previous review / action	<p>In the review meeting held on 23.05.2006, it was observed that the company had not simultaneously initiated all related activities for setting up their associate end use plant to synchronize with the coal production and the progress of end use plant was not satisfactory. Hence, a show cause notice was issued to the allocatee. The reply of the show cause notice was examined and a decision was taken to review the progress in the next meeting, which had been fixed on 12.01.2007. The company had then assured this Ministry to commence coal production from their block by 2nd / 3rd quarter of 2008. In the review meeting held on 19.01.2007 and 29.01. 2007, the committee instructed the allocatee to speed up the progress of the allocated coal blocks as well as the linked end use plant. Subsequently, in order to expedite the development of the coal block, various review meetings were held from time to time with the representatives of M/s. Gondwana Ispat Limited. In the review meeting held on 22nd and 23rd June, 2009 the company again rescheduled the Production dates and assured to start production by Dec., 2009 and EUP commissioning by May / June, 2010. However, in the review meeting held on 20/21.07.2010, it was noticed that no serious efforts have been made by the company to develop the coal block, even after repeated assurances tendered by the Company during the period. Accordingly, a show cause notice was issued.</p> <p>In the review meeting held on 11/12.01.2012, it was noticed that MP approval, FC, EMP, ML & LA were pending. Committee noticed that the progress was not satisfactory and advised to expedite the development of the coal block and be cautioned to be careful in future w.r.t. the milestones stipulated.</p>

		The progress of the block has been further reviewed by IMG in its meeting held on 01.05.2013. The IMG noted that grant of previous approval, grant of forest clearance, grant of EMP clearance & grant of land acquisition, mining lease are still pending. Keeping in view the unsatisfactory progress, IMG recommended issuing show cause notice (SCN) for delay in development of coal block. Accordingly, the company was issued SCN on 14.6.2013.
8	Condonation of delay or extension of Zero date granted if any and permissible grace period if any whether any request for Condonation is pending with the Ministry	No
9	Litigation any orders of the court , if any	No
10	Summary of reply of the company including reasons for delay	<p>The company in its reply has stated that Show cause notice is based on status report of CCO dated 31.12.2012 and not on the submissions in Qtr ending March, 2013 and For completion of land acquisition State Govt. approval obtained. Land acquisition under process. Company has stated there is substantial progress made in most of the milestones that were particularly complained about not having been accomplished in the show cause notice. A copy of the reply is at Annexure-III.</p> <p>A copy of the reply was sent to State Govt. of Maharashtra for comments.</p>
11	Comments of State Govt. on reply of the allocattee on SCN	Comments of State Govt. have not been received.
12	Comments of MOC with the respect to issue pertaining to delay in purchase of GR, transfer of surface rights by coal companies, sanction of mining plan etc.	Mining Lease was executed on 16.09.2009 after delay of three years and seven months from the date of application for mining lease was submitted to State Govt. of Maharashtra. Land acquisition is pending as forest land is involved. Stage-II EC clearance is pending.

Coal Controller Office, Kolkata
Updated Status of Coal Block as on June 2013
(As per Status report submitted by the company)

1. Name of Company:- M/s. Gondwana Ispat Ltd.
2. Name of Coal Block:- Majra (Explored)/Pvt
3. Name of Owner/Address:- C.E. Majra coal block, Village Kondhala, Warora, Distt Chandrapur, Maharashtra.
4. Date of Allocation:- 29.10.2003
5. Location: Wardha, Maharashtra
6. Project cost:- Rs. 45 Cr.
7. Total investment made Cr (As per CA report):- Rs.11.58 Cr. (Upto June'13)
8. Reserve (Mill tonnes):- 12.03
9. Mineable Reserve:- 12.03 MT
10. Yearly rated capacity (MTPA):- 0.48
11. Grade of coal:- C to E
12. Cost of GR:- Rs. 5.4Cr.
13. BG Amount :- Not applicable (BG was introduced in March.2005).
14. Type of EUP:- SIP
15. Location of Project:- Chandrapur, MH
16. Capacity of Project:- 1.2 LTPA SIP
17. Explored/Un explored:- Explored
18. Type of Mine:- Mixed Mine (OC+UG)
19. Zero Date:- 29.10.03((As per block allocation letter)
20. Previous Recommendation, if any:- Caution notice issued by MOC as per decision of review meeting dated 11/12.1.2012. Again in 18th IMG held on 01.05.2013 advised to issue show cause notice.

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Observation of Field Office of CCO during inspection of the block	
Date of Inspection	20.11.12
Infrastructure development	As per site inspection carried out by OSD Office, Nagpur, it was reported that no infrastructure development was done.
Activities related to coal transportation	• NO
Presence of mining equipment.	• No.
Any sign of mining activities.	• No
Escrow A/c for mine closure	• No
Other activities	• No physical structure has been erected.
Engagement of MDO	• No information is available

Other details and constraint faced by the block allocates

FC: Stage I clearance granted in Jan.2011.. Stg-II is pending and under process.

LA: MTAL Permission for acquisition of land obtained from State Govt for direct purchase.

Total land:- 210 Ha Pvt land :- 171.25 Ha Forest land: 50.74 Ha

Transfer of land is under process.

Gram sabha completed in 19.3.2012.

EUP:- 350 TPD Sponge Iron plant and 10 MW CPP at Chandrapur , Commissioning schedule:- June/July.14

Project cost:- Rs. 80.38 Cr.

- **Investment made (As per June'13):-** 16.12 Cr. (As per CA report)