

Government of Jammu and Kashmir(UT)
Department of Geology and Mining, Jammu

M/S Gammon Engineers & Contractors Pvt; Ltd
Harog Post-Dharamkund, Ramban.

No.1109/MCC/DGM/QL/GE/2021/8504-12

Dated: 27.10.2021

Subject:- Minor Mineral Block in District, Ramban - Letter of Intent (LoI) for grant of Quarry License for Minor Minerals under the Jammu and Kashmir Minor Mineral Concession, Storage, Transportation of Minerals and Prevention of Illegal Mining Rules, 2016.

Whereas, M/S Gammon Engineers & Contractors Pvt; Ltd; applied for grant of Quarry License on 30.01.2021 at Village Sumber Tehsil & District, Ramban; and

Whereas, the Joint Director(J) Geology and Mining Department, Jammu vide letter No.JDJ/Gammon/Rbn/3/2018-19/55-56 dated 03.04.2021 informed that M/S Gammon Engineers & Contractors Pvt; Ltd. has applied for grant of Short Term Permit over an area of 0.465 ha duly recommended by District Mineral Officer, Ramban vide No. DMO/ RBN/ 2020-21/Gammon-T-48/148-49 dated 6.3.2021; and

Whereas, the proposal vide No. JDJ/Gammon/Rbn/3/2018-19/55-56 dated 3.4.2021 of Joint Director(J) Geology and Mining Department, Jammu was submitted to Administrative Department(Mining) vide this office letter No. 1109/MCC/DGM/QL/GE/2021/802 dated 7.4.2021 for accord of necessary approval for consideration of the case over an area of 0.465 hectares at Village Jawari Sumber, Harog Ramban under Rule-56 of SRO-105 dated 31.03.2021 amended vide S.O No.345 dated 13.11.2020 read with S.O No. 391 dated 22.12.2020 for Short Term Permit in favour of the Principal Executing Agency of M/S Ircan International Ltd., i.e M/s Gammon Engineers & Contractors Pvt; Ltd; and approval was conveyed by Administrative Department (Mining) vide No. IND/MNG/47/2020 dated 9.4.2021 ; and

Whereas, the Short Term Permit was issued by Joint Director(J) Geology and Mining Department for the said area in favour of M/s Gammon

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Engineers & Contractors Pvt; Ltd vide No. JDJ/Gammon/Rbn/2018-19/125-31 dated 9.4.2021 and the firm was working on Short Term Permit on the said area; and

Whereas, the Geo-referenced Site Plan of the above applied area of 0.465 hectares with corner points "A,B,C,D,E,F,A" falls in Forest land and sanction has been granted by the Department of Forest, Environment & Ecology, Civil Secretariat, J&K(UT) vide Government Order No. 269-FST of 2019 dated 19.09.2019 for use of the said area 0.465 hectares for construction of balance work to Tunnel T-48 (between Km 100.00 to 110.200 approx) for quarry purpose on Katra-Banihal Section of USBRL Project in Mahore Forest Division; and

Whereas, M/S Gammon Engineers & Contractors Pvt; Ltd. requested vide letter No.GECPL/T-48/P&A/Oct/04 dated 08.10.2021 for grant of Quarry License.

Now, therefore in view of the above and as per Chapter-V, Rule 43 & 55(9) of the Jammu and Kashmir Minor Mineral Concession, Storage, Transportation of Minerals and Prevention of Illegal Mining Rules, 2016, the Letter of Intent (LoI) is hereby issued with the direction to submit an application for grant of Quarry License in the prescribed application Form-QL1, Approved Mining Plan, Environmental Clearance besides, deposition of Application fees of Rs. 5,000/-(Demand Draft), Security Deposit amounting to Rs. 50,000/- (CDR), Quarterly Dead Rent of Rs. 3500/-(CDR), Financial Assurance amounting to Rs.1.00 lacs in the shape of Bank Guarantee and Consent to Operate from J&K Pollution Control Committee within a period of 01 Year, enabling this office to grant Quarry License in your favour for extraction of minor minerals from the above said block. You shall not extract or allow extraction till the Quarry License under rules is granted.

This Letter of Intent (LoI) is provisional. This shall be further subject to obtaining NOC from Stake holder departments/any other requirement/statutory clearance under any Law/Rules governing the subject.

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Dated:-27.10.2021

Director
Geology & Mining
J&K, Jammu.
27/10/2021

Copy to:-

- 1) The Commissioner/Secretary to Government, Industries and Commerce Department, Civil Secretariat, Jammu/Srinagar for kind information.
- 2) The Commissioner/Secretary to Government, Forest, Environment & Ecology Department Civil Secretariat, Jammu/Srinagar for kind information.
- 3) The Deputy Commissioner, Ramban for information .
- 4) The Executive Director, IRCON International Ltd; for information and n/a.
- 5) The Joint Director(J) Geology and Mining Deptt; Jammu for inf. and n/a.
- 6) The Officer I/C Website, Geology and Mining Deptt; Jammu for inf. & n/a.
- 7) The District Mineral Officer, Geology and Mining Deptt; Ramban for information and necessary action
- 8) M/S Gammon Engineers & Contractors Pvt; Ltd. At Narog Post-Dharamkund District, Ramban-182144 for information and necessary action.