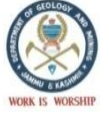




**Government of Jammu and Kashmir
Department of Geology and Mining, Jammu.**



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ORDER

Subject:- Jammu and Kashmir Minor Mineral Exploitation and Processing Rules, 2017 Notified vide SRO-302 of 2017 Dated 19th of July, 2017.

Whereas, Earlier there were no rules for registration and operation of Stone Crushers and Hot/wet mix plants in the state of J&K. However, in the year 2015 Government issued guidelines for registration and operation of stone crushers and Hot/Wet mix plants vide its order No. 104-IND of 2015 dated 14-07-2015.

Whereas, subsequently Government notified J&K Minor Mineral Exploitation and Processing Rules 2017 vide SRO- 302 dated 19-07-2017 for regulation of minor mineral based Units/Stone Crushers, Hot/Wet Mix Plants, whereunder a license from Directorate of Geology and Mining for establishing/operating these plants has been made mandatory. These rules apart from having been uploaded on the Departmental Website www.geominjk.nic.in were also published in Print Media for information of public in general and all Unit holders in particular to inform them to obtain License under rules within the stipulated time.

Whereas, this office vide letter No. 449/MCC/ DGM/ MME&PR/ 17/2699-2700 dated 28.07.2017 issued directions to the regional offices that the operation/functioning of all such minor mineral based units like Crusher/Hot & Wet mixing Plants/Marble & Granite cutting polishing/POP etc Units shall be regulated under these rules.

Whereas, this office vide letter No.449/MCC/ DGM/ MME&PR/ 17/3512-13 dated 22.08.2017 again issued directions to the regional offices that every operational minor mineral based plant shall obtain License within the stipulated time as notified vide SRO-302 of 2017 dated 19th July, 2017.

Now, therefore final opportunity is given to all the existing minor mineral based Units/Stone Crusher, Hot Wet Mix Plants to apply and obtain the License under rules from Director, Geology & Mining by or before 31.12.2017 failing which operation/functioning of all such Units shall not be allowed and action under law shall be initiated against the defaulters.

No.449/MCC/DGM/MME&PR/17/5314-63
Dated:- 21.11.2017

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Director
Geology & Mining
J&K Govt; Jammu.

Copy for information and necessary action to:-

1. The Commissioner/Secretary to Govt. Industries & Commerce Department Civil Secretariat, Jammu for information.
2. All Dy. Commissioner's of Jammu and Kashmir State for information, District,_____.
3. The Director, Industries Kashmir } for information and
4. The Director, Industries Jammu } necessary action.
5. The Joint Director(K)Geology & Mining, Srinagar } for information &
6. The Dy. Director(MS) Geology & Mining, Jammu } implementation.
7. All District Mineral Officers, Geology & Mining Deptt. for information. They shall prevail upon all such Unit holders for applying/obtaining the License besides, facilitating them with the requisite application format.
8. Incharge Web Site, Geology & Mining Deptt. Jammu for uploading the Order on Departmental Web site and getting it published in Print Media through Information Department.

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Director
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