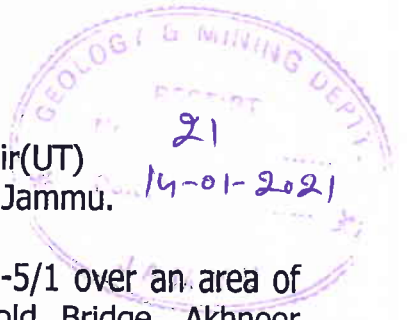


Government of Jammu and Kashmir(UT)
Department of Geology and Mining, Jammu.



Subject:- Grant of Mining Lease of Minor Mineral Block No-5/1 over an area of 9.57 hectares at Chenab River Downstream old Bridge, Akhnoor District, Jammu in favour of M/S J&K Minerals Ltd

Reference:- Rule -91 of J&K Minor Mineral Concession, Storage, Transportation of Minerals and Prevention of Illegal Mining Rules, 2016.

Order No: 38-DGM of 2021
Dated : 12.01.2021

Whereas, the Adm. Department (I&C) scrapped the open auction process vide communication No. IND/Legal/239/2018 dated 26.02.2019 & subsequently various Writ Petitions challenging the said scrapping were dismissed by the Hon'ble High court in its judgment dated 01.05.2020 & 30.09.2020;

Whereas, subsequently Government vide its Order No. 95-IND of 2020 dated 27.05.2020 has allotted/reserved Minor Mineral Block No-5/1 over an area of 9.57 hectares at Chenab River Downstream old Bridge, Akhnoor District, Jammu in favour of M/S J&K Minerals Ltd.

Whereas, the Corporation submitted the approved Mining Plan duly approved by Competent Authority vide No.DGM/DD(MS)/MP/Jmu/222-23 dated 23.06.2020;

Whereas, the Corporation submitted the Environmental Clearance granted by J&KEIAA vide No. JKEIAA/2020/284/10-23 dated 04.01.2021;

Whereas, the Corporation submitted Consent to Establish/Operate issued by J&K Pollution Control Board vide No. PCB/Digital/21011830076 of 2021 dated 11.01.2021;

Whereas, the Corporation submitted Memorandum and Article of Association on 12.01.2021;


Whereas, the successful bidder submitted NOC/Distance Certificate from the Forest Department issued by DFO vide No. DFO-J/5124-25 Dated 02.01.2021, NOC from Irrigation and Flood Control Department vide No. ID/AKH/2332-34 dated 10.11.2020 and NOC from Fisheries Department issued vide No. DOF/Tech/2021/05-12 dated 02.01.2021.

Whereas, the Corporation submitted Security Deposit vide CDR No. 742308 dated 07.01.2021 amounting Rs. 9.57 lacs, Quarterly Dead Rent vide CDR No. 742307 dated 07.01.2021 amounting Rs.11,963/-, Bank Guarantee No. 0022IPBG2101004 dated 07.01.2021 amounting to Rs. 2.50 Lacs on account of Financial Assurance & Bank Guarantee having No. 0022IPBG2101005 dated 07.01.2021 amounting to Rs. 5.9232 Lacs under CER/EMP;

Now, therefore, in exercise of the powers vested with Director Geology & Mining under Rule 42 of the J&K Minor Mineral Concession, Storage, Transportation of Minerals and Prevention of Illegal Mining Rules, 2016 sanction is hereby accorded to grant of Mining lease of Minor Mineral Block No-5/1 over an area of 9.57 hectares at Chenab River Downstream old Bridge, Akhnoor District, Jammu in favour of M/S J&K Minerals Ltd., for a period of 05 years subject to the following terms and conditions that :-

- 1) The lessee shall have no objection to the conducting of exploration in the leased area as and when required by the Department.
- 2) The lessee shall abide by the provisions of Mines & Minerals (Development & Regulation) Act 1957, Rules made there under and the Mines Act 1952, rules and regulations there under and regulations there under, Forest (Conservation) Act 1980, Environment Protection Act 1986, Jammu and Kashmir Water Resources (Regulation and Management) Act 2010 & J&K State Fisheries Act, 1960 and the rules made thereunder.
- 3) The lessee shall execute, register the lease deed as per Rule, 40 of the J&K Minor Mineral Concession, Storage, Transportation of Minerals and Prevention of Illegal Mining Rules, 2016 with the conditions laid down in Rule 38 of the said Rules.
- 4) The lessee shall commence the mining operation only after demarcation of the lease area by the Department.
- 5) The Lessee shall work strictly as per approved Mining Plan and guidelines/ Conditions of Environmental Clearance/CTO/NOCs of Stake Holding Departments etc.
- 6) The Extraction limits of minor minerals shall be restricted to the approved quantity in the Mining Plan/Environmental Clearance/Consent to operate, whichever is lesser.
- 7) The lessee shall adhere the instructions/orders/guidelines of MoEF&CC, NGT, Stake Holder Departments & District Administration etc. issued from time to time.
- 8) The Lessee shall indemnify the department against any revision/ modification of any document connected to the said Mining Lease.
- 09) The Lease shall be further subject to outcome of any Writ Petition pending before Hon'ble Court of J&K or any other Court of Law if any, as may be applicable to this Mineral Concession.
- 10) The Lessee shall not further sublet the Mining Lease.
- 11) The Lessee shall work as per mandate prescribed in Govt; Order No. 95 IND of 2020 dated 27.05.2020.
- 12) The Lessee shall be personally responsible for any adverse decision by any Court of Competent Jurisdiction/Tribunal in this regard besides, any third party dispute in the matter.

No. 1009/MCC/DGM/B-5/1/AKH/20/ 9016-25
Dated: -/12.1.2021


Director
Geology & Mining
J&K, Jammu
12/01/2021

Copy to the:-

- 1.) The Commissioner/Secretary to Govt. Mining Department, Civil Secretariat, Jammu for kind information.
- 2.) The Commissioner/Secretary to Govt. Department of Forest, Ecology & Environment, Civil Secretariat, Jammu for kind information.
- 3.) The Chairman, J&K Pollution Control Board, Jammu for kind information.
- 4.) The Director Ecology, Environment & Remote Sensing Department/ Member Secretary (JKEIAA) Jammu for information.
- 5.) The Deputy Commissioner, Jammu for information.
- 6.) The Managing Director, J&K Minerals Ltd; for information and n/a.
- 6.) The Joint Director (J), Geology & Mining Deptt; Jammu for inf. & n/a.
- 7.) The Officer I/C Website, Geology & Mining Deptt; Jammu for inf. & n/a.
- 8.) The Accounts Officer(C) Geology & Mining Deptt; Jammu alongwith Security Deposit vide CDR No. 742308 dated 07.01.2021 amounting Rs. 9.57 lacs, Quarterly Dead Rent vide CDR No. 742307 dated 07.01.2021 amounting Rs.11,963/-, Bank Guarantee No. 0022IPBG2101004 dated 07.01.2021 amounting to Rs. 2.50 Lacs on account of Financial Assurance & Bank Guarantee having No. 0022IPBG2101005 dated 07.01.2021 amounting to Rs. 5.9232 Lacs under CER/EMP for information, necessary action and safe custody.
- 9.) The District Mineral Officer, Geology & Mining Deptt. Jammu for inf. & n/a.