

Preparedness of auction able mineral blocks in the state of Jharkhand

Month - September 2017

1) Details of Mineral Blocks ready for auction:

Sl. No.	Name of the block/District	Mineral	Area (in Hectares)	Estimated Reserve (in MT)*	Level of Exploration	ML/ PL Cum ML	Update Position of Auction
1	Parasi/Ranchi	Gold	75	9.894	G-2	ML	Auction process is going on
2	Sons, Koiri Pathra/ Palamu	Graphite	96	0.67	G-2	ML	Tender Document is to be prepared
3	Babhane/Ranchi	Limestone	80	28000 Tone	G-3	PL Cum ML	Letter sent to MoM, GoI for relaxation under Rule 16 of Mineral (Auction) Rule, 2015
4	Churi /Ranchi	Limestone	40	0.20	G-3	PL Cum ML	
5	Hariyan, Barunmuti, Thurkubera/ Singhbhum East	Emerald	0.831 Sq Km	51557.00 kg	G-3	PL Cum ML	Letter sent to MoM, GoI for relaxation and reserve price
6	Bahutiya/ Singhbhum East	Emerald	0.0559 Sq Km	9200.00 kg	G-3	PL Cum ML	
7	Bhangaon/ Singhbhum West	Iron ore	118 Hec.	43.74 MT	G-2	ML	Report submitted to Directorate of Mines

1.1) Details of Mineral Blocks in pipeline:

Sl. No.	Name of the block	Mineral	Area (in Hectares)	Estimated Reserve (in MT)*	Level of Exploration	Status of work
1	Dudhapat	Bauxite	130	10 (On the basis of Interim Report)	G-2	Final Geological Report is under preparation. This block is likely to be available for auction in the month of October 2017.
2	Dulsulma	Graphite	36	N/A	G-2	DGPS/ Total Station Survey work is going on. These blocks will be available for auction in the month of November 2017*
3	Ponchi	Graphite	10	N/A	G-2	
4	Khutiya (Dhurki)	Dolomite/ Limestone	100	N/A	G-2	DGPS/ Total Station Survey work is started in this month. This block will be available for auction in the month of Dec 2017.

**Exploration team is engaged in preparing geological report of the surrendered lease area of M/s. SAIL situated in Bhawnathpur of Garhwa District on priority basis.*

1.2 Mineral Blocks taken for G2 exploration to prepare auction able mineral block in 2017-18

Sl. No.	Mineral	Area	District	Proposed Level of Exploration	Status of work
1	Graphite	Rewaratu	Palamu	G2	Mapping and drilling work completed. DGPS Survey will be carried out after submission of proposal by exploration team.
2	Limestone	Ramsai Sosopi	West Singhbhum	G2	Drilling work stopped due to some boundary problem. Letter send to District Mining Officer.
3	Limestone	Piyartand	Ranchi	G2	Geological Mapping work complete. Drilling work is going on.
4	Limestone	Indikuri, Nakahasa	West Singhbhum	G2	Geological mapping work is in progress.
5	Bauxite	Lodhapat	Gumla	G2	Geological mapping work complete. Drilling work started in this week.
6	Bauxite	Chiropat	Gumla	G2	This work will be started in this month.
7	Graphite	Bhusariya Tola	Palamu	G2	Geological mapping work will be started after completion of the work of Bhawnathpur Limestone mineral block.
8	Graphite	Chanpi	Palamu	G2	
9	Manganese	Paharpur	East Singhbhum	G3	This area falls under Eco-Sensitive zone hence Forest clearance has not been given for drilling.
10	Manganese	Dangdung	East Singhbhum	G3	
11	Granite	Bangru	Simdega	G2	Final geological report under preparation.
12	Limestone (Special Programme)	Bhawnathpur	Palamu	G2	M/s. SAIL is in the process of surrendering its three mining leases in Bhawnathpur. A Team of Directorate of Geology is re-assessing the mineral resource available in the surrendered lease area.

2) Status of preparedness of auction of mineral blocks emanating from lapsed application under Section 10 (a) 2 (c):

Sl. No.	Name of application & block details	Mineral	Area (in Hect.)	Estimated Reserve (In MT)*	Mineralization (G1 to G4: as per MEMCR, 2015)	Court case field if any		Month of auction/Remark
						Y/N	If any, stay from taking up for auction	
1.	M/s. Balaji Industries Products Ltd./ Bokna (W. Singhbhum)	Iron ore (ML)	420.96	N/A	G 4	N	-	Proposal sent to NMET for geological exploration as per decision taken on 06.09.2017 with Secretary Mines, GoI
2.	M/s. Niranjani Hitech Ltd. Iron / Bokna (W. Singhbhum)	Iron ore (ML)	144.14					
3.	M/s. AML Ltd./ Bokna (W. Singhbhum)	Iron ore (ML)	155.21					
4.	M/s. Sunflag Iron & Steel Co. Ltd./ Kodlibad (W. Singhbhum)	Iron ore (ML)	120.00	N/A	G 4	N	-	Area falls under critical biological Hotspot of Saranda Forest as per report of MOEF.
5.	M/s. Bihar Sponge Iron Ltd./ Ghatkuri (R.F.) (W. Singhbhum)	Iron ore (ML)	406.40	4 MT	G 4/G 3	N	-	
6.	M/s. Horizen Loha Udyog/ Ghatkuri (R.F.) (W. Singhbhum)	Iron ore (ML)	215.00	N/A	G 4	N	-	
7.	M/s. KYS Sponge Iron Ltd./ Silpunji etc. (W. Singhbhum)	Iron ore (ML)	139.50	N/A	G 4	N	-	Proposal sent to NMET for geological exploration as per decision taken on 06.09.2017 with Secretary Mines, GoI
8.	M/s. Nilanchal Iron & Power Ltd./ Silpunji etc. (W. Singhbhum)	Iron ore (ML)	437.00					
9.	M/s. Ispat Industries Ltd./ Megahataburu (W. Singhbhum)	Iron ore (ML)	520.00	N/A	G 4	N	-	Geological exploration will be taken by DIMG, Jharkhand
10.	M/s. Balmukund Sponge & Iron Ltd./ Lapunga etc. (W. Singhbhum)	Iron ore (ML)	373.25	N/A	G 4	N	-	Geological exploration will be taken by DIMG, Jharkhand
11.	Gopal Prasad Shah/ Amtipani (Gumla)	Bauxite (ML)	253.00	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Geological exploration will be done by MECL for DIMG, Jharkhand.
12.	Smt. Veenapani Agarwal/ Ganeshpur (Lohardaga)	Bauxite (ML)	64.79	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
13.	Shri Arunjay Narayan Singh/ Kukund (Latehar)	Bauxite (ML)	109.099	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
14.	Shri Narendra Pd. Mittal/ Harup (Gumla)	Bauxite (ML)	59.08	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	

15.	Shri Bolwa Oraon/ Dokapaat (Gumla)	Bauxite (ML)	153.35	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	M/s. MECL has notified for geological exploration in the State of Jharkhand as per decision taken on 06.09.2017 with Secretary Mines, GoI
16.	Shivajee Tiwari/ Kujam (Gumla)	Bauxite (ML)	51.67	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
17.	M/s. Anand Refractories/ Anabiri Nawhatta (Gumla)	Bauxite (ML)	90.50	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
18.	M/s. Shiv Sakti Enterprises/ Serengdag Salangi (Gumla)	Bauxite (ML)	126.81	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
19.	Shri Ravindra Kumar/ Kita hatu (W. Singhbhum)	Limestone	11.51	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	
20.	M/s. Electro Steel Casting/ Kodligad (W. Singhbhum)	Iron & Manganese (ML)	192.5	N/A	N/A	Yes	W.P.(C) 140/2017 Delhi HC	Matter Under Litigation
21.	M/s. Bhusan Power & Steel Ltd./ Chatuburu (W. Singhbhum)	Iron & Manganese (ML)	422.75	N/A	N/A	Yes	W.P.(C) 183/2017 Delhi HC, W.P. (C) 2720/2017 Jharkhand HC	
22.	M/s. Rungta Mines Ltd./ Kodligad (W. Singhbhum)	Iron & Manganese (ML)	350.50	N/A	N/A	Yes	W.P.(C) 261/2017 Delhi HC	
23.	M/s. Rungta Mines Ltd./ Bokna (W. Singhbhum)	Iron & Manganese (ML)	343.00	N/A	N/A	Yes	W.P.(C) 260/2017 Delhi HC	
24.	Arcellor Mittal India Ltd./ Karampada (R.F) (W. Singhbhum)	Iron & Manganese (ML)	500.00 Acre	N/A	N/A	Yes	W.P.(C) 224/2017 Delhi HC, W.P. (C) 151/2017 Jharkhand HC	
25.	Jindal Steel & Power Ltd./ Jeraldaburu (W. Singhbhum)	Iron ore (ML)	537.00	N/A	N/A	Yes	W.P.(C) 230/2017 Delhi HC	
26.	Omiyo Ranjan Jaiswal/ Kujam Dokapaat (Gumla)	Bauxite (ML)	221.3 Acre	N/A	N/A	Yes	W.P.(C) 55/2017 Jharkhand HC pending due to non- disposal of case	
27.	Omiyo Ranjan Jaiswal/ Bahargarh (Gumla)	Bauxite (ML)	157.82 Acre	N/A	N/A	Yes	W.P.(C) 147/2017 Jharkhand HC pending due to non- disposal of case	
28.	S.S. Enterprises Prop- Safique Rahman/ Harup (Gumla)	Bauxite (ML)	144.00 Acre	N/A	N/A	Yes	W.P.(C) 4643/2017 Jharkhand HC pending due to non- disposal of case	

29.	M/s. K. K. Trading/ Tilaisud (W. Singhbhum)	Limestone	33.80 Acre	N/A	N/A	Yes	W.P.(C) 69/2017 Jharkhand HC pending due to non- disposal of case	Matter Under Litigation
30.	M/s. K. K. Trading/ Padampur Siringsia (W. Singhbhum)	Limestone	91.25	N/A	N/A	Yes	W.P.(C) 61/2017 Jharkhand HC pending due to non- disposal of case	
31.	M/s. Minerals & Minerals Ltd./ Amtipani Chirodih (Gumla)	Bauxite	164.30	N/A	N/A	Yes	Mining Lease granted vide order no. 59/M dated 10.01.2017	
32.	M/s. Manmohan Mineral Pvt. Ltd./ Lawa, Nimdih etc. (W. Singhbhum)	Gold (ML)	134.80 Acre	N/A	N/A	Yes	Mining Lease granted vide order no. 29/M dated 04.01.2017	

3) Steps to expedite auction process

1. Sixteen Geologists are appointed on contractual basis to speed up geological exploration.
2. MECL is notified on nomination basis for geological exploration in the State.
3. Nine drilling agencies are empanelled for drilling.
4. Eleven agencies are empanelled for demarcation of block boundary by DGPS/Total Station.
5. Directorate has empanelled 4 NABL Laboratories for Chemical Analysis.
6. Simultaneously process of recruitment of 15 Geological Analyst on temporary basis is also under process.
7. One agency has been engaged to prepare tender documents for mineral auction as Transaction Advisor.
8. Meeting with MECL and GSI officials are organized on regular basis.
9. Meeting with stake holders and road show are organized to provide information about the progress of geological exploration and availability of mineral blocks.
10. Apart from major minerals our geological teams are also engaged in minor minerals investigation work and in preparation of DSR (District Survey Report).

4) Submission of monthly reports

Monthly reports submitted regularly.