Half Yearly Compliance Report 2024 01 Dec(01 Apr - 30 Sep)

Acknowledgement

Padmavati Khani No.5 Incline Underground Mine project
G.VENKATESWARA REDDY
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District BHADRADRI • KOTHAGUDEM

Proposal No.	IA/TG/CMIN/194659/1991
Plot / Survey / Khasra No.	N/A
State	TELANGANA
MoEF File No.	J-11015/27/88-IA-II(M)

Category	Coal Mining
Sub-District	N/A
Entity's PAN	****8873F
Entity name as per PAN	THE SINGARENI COLLIERIES COMPANY LIMITED

Compliance Reporting Details

Reporting Year 2024

Half-Yearly EC

compliance of Padmavti Khani NO.5 INCLINE

Remarks (if any)

Underground Mine Project

from 1st October 2023 to

31st March 2024.

Reporting Period 01 Dec(01 Apr - 30 Sep)

Details of Production and Project Area

Name of Entity / Corporate Office

G.VENKATESWARA REDDY

	Project Area as per EC Granted	Actual Project Area in Possession
Private	0	0
Revenue Land	0	0
Forest	768.99	768.99
Others	146.37	146.372
Total	915.36	915.3620000000001

Production Capacity

Sr. no	Product Name	units	Valid Upto	Capacity	Production last year	Capacity as per CTO
1	COAL	Million Tons per Annum (MTPA)	01/03/2026	0.825	0.0725	0.825

Conditions

Specific Conditions

Sr.No.	Condition Type	Condition Details
1	AIR QUALITY MONITORING AND PRESERVATION	I) Effective safeguard measures for prevention of dust generation and subsequent suppression like regular water sprinkling shall be carried out in areas prone to air pollution. The Fugitive dust emission from all sources shall be regularly controlled by installation of required equipment's. It should be ensured that air pollution level confirm to the standards prescribed by the MoEFCC/CPCB.

PPs Submission: Complied

Complied Water spraying is being carried out for dust suppression at working places, internal approach roads and in the other parts of the mining lease to arrest the fugitive dust emission. Monitoring of air pollution is being carried out through an external agency viz., M/s Environment Protection Training and Research Institute (EPTRI), Hyderabad, a MoEFCC/CPCB recognized and NABL accredited laboratory, the results are well within the standards and the monitored data is being submitted to regulatory authorities, MoEFCC and TSPCB along with the half yearly reports.

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2 MISCELLANEOUS

VIII)Fund allocated in Wildlife Conservation Plan for schedule-I species shall be deposited within six months of issue of EC letter. A copy of action plan shall be submitted to the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change and its Regional Office.

PPs Submission: Partially Complied

Partially Complied. A Wildlife Conservation Plan for Schedule-I species was approved by the Principal Chief Conservator of Forest (HoFF) and Chief Wild life Warden (FAC), TS. for an amount of Rs. 478.60 Lakhs, vide Ltr No. Prl CCF (HoFF), TS, Hyderabad, Rc.No. 5694/2021/WL-1, Dt.12.10.2021. For implementation of the Wild life conservation plan, SCCL deposited Rs. 478.60 Lakhs on 24.03.2022 in favour of State Forest Department into Bio-diversity Conservation Society of Telangana (BIOSOT). District Forest Officer, Bhadradri Kothagudem has prepared an action plan for the period of 5 years (2024-25 to 2028-29) in co-ordination with the chief conservator of forests, Bhadradri Circle, Warangal for the proposed diversion of 649.3014 ha.with an amount of Rs.731.60 Lakhs. (Appendix PVK-4).

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IX) Transportation of coal shall by closed conveyor belts in mine pit to siding through Rudrampur Coal Handling Plant (RCHP).

PPs Submission: Complied

Complied Coal transportation from mine to Rudrampur Coal Handling Plant (RCHP) is being carried out by closed conveyor belts.

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4 Human Health Environment

X) Continuous monitoring of occupational safety and other health hazards, and the corrective actions need to be ensured.

PPs Submission: Complied

Complied Continuous monitoring of occupational safety and other health hazards is being carried out and the corrective measures are being taken. All the workmen are trained in vocational training centers for improving safety in the work places and are undergo periodical medical examinations at regular intervals to monitor health hazards.

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5 MISCELLANEOUS

XI) Effective mitigation measures shall be implement to prevent any subsidence studied by Anna University.

PPs Submission: Complied

Complied De- pillaring with stowing is being practiced to prevent the subsidence and regular

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subsidence monitoring is also being carried out as per the recommendations of the subsidence studied by Anna University. At present only development operations are being carried out. WATER QUALITY XII) No untreated mine water shall be discharged in nearby tanks 6 MONITORING AND and online monitoring of water quality shall be installed. **PRESERVATION** PPs Submission: Complied Complied The discharged mine water is being treated in slow sand filter beds and is being monitored Date: by third party agency viz., Environment Protection Training and Research Institute (EPTRI), 27/11/2024 Hyderabad, a MoEFCC/CPCB recognized and NABL accredited laboratory and the monitored data is within the standards. The monitored data is being submitted to regulatory authorities, MoEFCC and TSPCB on regular basis along with the half yearly monitoring report. The latest effluents monitoring reports are enclosed at Appendix PVK-5. XIII) Effect to mining under Tella Vagu shall be studied in six 7 **MISCELLANEOUS** months and accordingly its report including mitigation measures shall be submitted to Ministry's Regional Office. **PPs Submission:** Complied Date: Complied Study on effect to mining under Tella Vagu was carried out by M/s Indian institute of 27/11/2024 Technology(BHU) and mitigation measures suggested in the report are being implemented. The study report is enclosed at Appendix PVK-6. AIR QUALITY XIV) Continuous monitoring of gaseous concentration shall be 8 MONITORING AND monitored in outgoing ventilation. **PRESERVATION** Date: PPs Submission: Complied 27/11/2024 Complied Regular monitoring of gaseous concentration is in the mine return air is being carried out as per DGMS guidelines. The return air monitoring report is enclosed at Appendix PVK-7. XV) Project proponent shall supply clean drinking water and for 9 **PUBLIC HEARING** domestic purpose for the people coming under the zone of influence of this mining activity. Date: PPs Submission: Complied 27/11/2024 Complied SCCL is supplying clean drinking water to its residential colonies and surrounding needy villages as per the requirement besides Govt of Telangana water supply scheme mission Bhagirath XVI) Proponent shall appoint an Occupational Health Specialist for Regular and Periodical medical examination of the workers engaged in the Project and maintain records accordingly; also, Occupational health check-ups for workers having some ailments like BP, diabetes, habitual smoking, etc. shall be undertaken once in six months and 10 necessary remedial/preventive measures taken accordingly. The **Human Health Environment** Recommendations of National Institute for ensuring good occupational environment for mine workers shall be implemented; The prevention measure for burns, malaria and provision of antisnake venom including all other paramedical safeguards may be ensured before initiating the mining activities. PPs Submission: Complied Complied SCCL is providing free medical treatment to all the workmen and their family members in Date: the 7 area hospital (with a total of 821 beds) and 21 dispensaries established in all the workings areas 27/11/2024 of the company. SCCL is also conducting regular health camps in villages located in the vicinity of project to study the health status of the people and is providing free treatment in SCCL hospitals. In addition, SCCL established eleven Initial Medical Examination (IME) / Periodical Medical Examination (PME) centres in the company, i.e., at Kothagudem, Manuguru, Yellandu,

Godavarikhani, Sector - III Colony (Godavarikhani), Bellampalli, Ramakrishnapur, Mandamarri, Srirampur Bhupalpally and Sathupalli for conducting IME/PME of the employees including contract employees. All the PME Centers are equipped with necessary infrastructure for carrying out IME/PME and maintenance of data base. Every PME centre is provided with the facility for chest radiographs as per ILO guidelines with a set of ILO standard chest radiographs on Pneumoconiosis, lung function tests with computerized Spirometres of RMS make, and facilities for Audiometry with pure tone Audiometry equipment. All the Chest radiographs of the Initial and Periodical Medical examinations are being classified for detection, diagnosis and documentation of Pneumoconiosis in accordance with the ILO classification for Pneumoconiosis according to DGMS guidelines. All the PME Doctors employed except gynecologists, pediatricians, surgeons and ortho surgeons are trained to read PME X-Rays in accordance with ILO classification of Pneumoconiosis. Out of a total of 209 Doctors on roll as on date, 123 Doctors are trained in reading the chest radiographs as per the ILO guide lines. SCCL has one Occupational Diseases Board (Pneumoconiosis Board) in existence since 1965. Chief of Medical Services, Radiologist constituted the Occupational Diseases Board, Physician and Occupational Health Physician together. In SCCL, Every employee above 45 years age is examined at an interval of once in three years and employees of below 45 years age are examined once in five years under PME. If, on examination his health status is found to be normal, he will be reviewed after completion of 5/3 years period.

11 PUBLIC HEARING

XVII) Persons of nearby villages shall be given training on livelihood and skill development to make them employable.

PPs Submission: Complied

Complied Persons of nearby villages are given training on livelihood and skill development to make them employable through VTC under CSR scheme. So far 7150 no un employed youth were given training and about 2856 unemployed were given employment in the different contract works.

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II) PP to install 2 continuous ambient air quality monitoring station at suitable location preferably one village side and with consultation of SPCB. The real time data so generated shall be uploaded on company website. In addition, data should also be displayed digitally at entry and exit gate of mine lease area for public display.

PPs Submission: Complied

Complied One CAAQMS is installed in the core zone of the project and another CAAQMS installed in buffer zone in consultation with TSPCB and real time data for the installed CAAQMS is being uploaded on TSPCB website. The CAAQMS data is being submitted along with half yearly reports to the ministry and its regional office of MoEFCC. Last 6 months data of core zone and buffer zone values are enclosed as Appendix PVK-1A.

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Statutory compliance

III) No CTO shall be granted without taking permission from Ground Water Authority in case of using ground water.

PPs Submission: Complied

Complied Ground water clearance was obtained from State Ground Water Department Vide Memo No.258/T/SCCL/2018-2, Dt. 25.05.2021 and is valid up to 24.05.2026.(Appendix PVK-1) After obtaining ground water clearance CTO was granted by TSPCB vide consent order NO.220523307889, dt. 15.02.2022 and valid up to 30.09.2026.(Appendix PVK-2).

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AIR QUALITY MONITORING AND PRESERVATION

IV) 5 nos. of Fog canon (mist sprayer) shall be installed to reduce the impact of air pollution.

PPs Submission: Complied

Complied Fog canons installed at the Rudrampur CHP to reduce the impact of air pollution.

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Human Health Environment

XVIII)The illumination and sound at night at project sites disturb the villages in respect of both human and animal population. Consequent sleeping disorders and stress may affect the health in the villages located close to mining operations. Habitations have a right

		for darkness and minimal noise levels at night. PPs mu the biological clock of the villages is not disturbed; by floodlights/ masks away from the villagers and keeping levels well within the prescribed limits for day light/night	orienting the g the noise
Compl workin effect of	g as per the DGMS guidelines and on the surrounding villages. Moreo	oal mine and illumination is provided in the underground the underground illumination and noise does not have any ver, there is no village within 2 km radius of the mine my effect of illumination and noise on the surroundings.	Date: 27/11/2024
16	WATER QUALITY MONITORING AND PRESERVATION	XIX)PP shall implement rain water harvesting mecha recharge the ground water or as water conservation me addition to the proposed structure. PP shall carry out re monitoring of Ground water level and quality.	asure in
Complethe gro	undwater. Regular monitoring of C	0 were constructed around the project in order to recharge fround water level and quality is being carried out as per y monitoring report is enclosed at Appendix PVK-8 9.	Date: 27/11/2024
17	PUBLIC HEARING	XX) The PP shall submit time bound action plan to the Regional Office of Ministry within 6 months from the issuance of EC for undertaking the activities committed Public Consultation.	date of
Compl to region		ne commitments during the public hearing were submitted at the Half yearly reports. The following works were carried s.	Date: 27/11/2024
18	Statutory compliance	XXI) The Project Proponent shall complies with all trequirements and judgment of Hon'ble Supreme Court August 2017 in Writ Petition (Civil) No. 114 of 2014 i Common Cause versus Union of India and Ors. State C shall ensure that the entire compensation levied, if any mining paid by the Project Proponent through their respondent in strict compliance of judgment of Hon'bl Court dated the 2nd August 2017 in Writ Petition (Civil 20 14 in the matter of Common Cause versus Union of	dated the 2nd not the matter of Government, for illegal pective le Supreme il) No. 114 of
	Submission: Complied plicable No illegal mining was don	e in this project. Hence, it is not applicable.	Date: 27/11/2024
19	AIR QUALITY MONITORING AND PRESERVATION	V) Adequate effectiveness of EMP should be analyzed offset/hike of air pollution data from continuous monit and quarterly report shall be generated and submitted we compliance report to RO, MoEF&CC.	oring stations
Compl genera	ted, all the air quality monitoring reted to regional office of MoEFCC of	itoring is being carried out and quarterly report is esults are within the standards. The monitored data is being once in every 6 months through six- month compliance	Date: 27/11/2024
	on Parivesh portal.		

Agreed to comply Self environmental audit is being conducted annually and third-party environment audit was conducted by ICFRE, Dehradun in 2023 and the report is enclosed at Appendix PVK-3.

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General Conditions

	Condition Type	Condition Details	
1	MISCELLANEOUS	X) Concealing factual data or submission of false/fab may result in revocation of this environmental clearand action under the provisions of Environment (Protection	ce and attract
	ubmission: Agreed to Comply to comply		Date: 27/11/2024
2	WATER QUALITY MONITORING AND PRESERVATION	XI) The surface drainage plan including surface water plan for the area of influence affected by the said mining shall be prepared, considering the presence of any river/rivulet/pond/lake etc., with impact of mining acti implemented by the project proponent. The surface dra and/or any diversion of natural water courses shall be a provisions of the approved Mining Plan/ EIA-EMP sub Ministry and the same should be done with due approved concerned State/GoI Authority. The construction of emprevent any danger against inrush of surface water into should be as per the approved mining plan and as per to DGMS.	ng operations vities on it, an ainage plan as per the comitted to this val of the abankment to the mine
Complie the area impleme	affected by the mining operations, prented. There are no diversions of natur	face water conservation plan was prepared considering esence of water bodies in the area and being ral water courses involved for the project. Therefore, kment and there is no of any inrush of water.	Date: 27/11/2024
		XII) The project proponent shall take all precautiona	
3	WATER QUALITY MONITORING AND PRESERVATION	ensure reverian/ riparian ecosystem in and around the cardistance of 5 km. A reverian/riparian ecosystem commanagement plan should be prepared and implemented consultation with the irrigation/water resource departments.	coal mine upto servation and l in
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prescribed norms and guidelines in this regard. Adequate awareness programme for users is being

		II) The mains level	tha a 1
5	Noise Monitoring & Prevention	II) The noise level survey shall be carried out as per to guidelines to assess noise exposure of the workmen at points in the mine premises, and report in this regard structure to the Ministry/RO on six-monthly basis.	vulnerable
Compl	a being submitted along with half year	out as per the prescribed guidelines and the monitored ly reports to the ministry and its regional office of	Date: 27/11/2024
6	MINING PLAN	I) Mining shall be carried out under strict adherence of the Mines Act 1952 and subordinate legislations may as applicable.	
Compl	Submission: Complied ied Mining operations were carried out nd subordinate legislations made there-	under strict adherence to provisions of the Mines Act under as applicable.	Date: 27/11/202
7	MINING PLAN	II) No change in mining method i.e. UG to OC, caler programme and scope of work shall be made without capproval of the Ministry of Environment, Forests and Change (MoEFCC).	btaining pri
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Azadirachta indica, Limonia acidissima, Ficus bengalensis, Aegle marmelos, Mitragyna parvifolia, Dalbergia latifolia, Pterocarpus marsupium, Syzygium cumini, Albizzia procera, Terminalia bellarica, Pongamia pinnata, Madhuka indica, Tamarindus indica, Pithecelobium dulci, Sterculia urens, Dalbergia sissoo, Bombax ceiba, Albizzia lebbek. I) Adequate illumination shall be ensured in all mine locations (as 11 **PUBLIC HEARING** per DGMS standards) and monitored. Date: **PPs Submission:** Complied 27/11/2024 Complied Adequate illumination is being ensured in all mine locations (as per DGMS standards) and monitored. II) The Project Proponent shall undertake Occupational Health survey for initial and Periodical medical examination of the workers engaged in the Project and maintain records accordingly as per the provisions of the Mines Rules, 1955 and DGMS Circulars. Besides 12 **PUBLIC HEARING** carrying out regular periodic health check-up of their workers, 20% of the workers engaged in active mining operations shall be subjected to health check-up for occupational diseases and hearing impairment, if any. PPs Submission: Complied Complied SCCL is providing free medical treatment to all the workmen and their family members in the 7 area hospital (with a total of 821 beds) and 21 dispensaries established in all the workings areas of the company. SCCL is also conducting regular health camps in villages located in the vicinity of project to study the health status of the people and is providing free treatment in SCCL hospitals. In addition, SCCL established eleven Initial Medical Examination (IME) /Periodical Medical Examination (PME) centres in the company, i.e., atKothagudem, Manuguru, Yellandu, Godavarikhani, Sector - III Colony (Godavarikhani), Bellampalli, Ramakrishnapur, Mandamarri, Date: Srirampur Bhupalpally and Sathupalli for conducting IME/PME of the employees including contract 27/11/2024 employees. All the PME Centers are equipped with necessary infrastructure for carrying out IME/PME and maintenance of data base. Every PME centre is provided with the facility for chest radiographs as per ILO guidelines with a set of ILO standard chest radiographs on Pneumoconiosis, lung function tests with computerized Spirometres of RMS make, and facilities for Audiometry with pure tone Audiometry equipment. All the Chest radiographs of the Initial and Periodical Medical examinations are being classified for detection, diagnosis and documentation of Pneumoconiosis in accordance with the ILO classification for Pneumoconiosis according to DGMS guidelines. All the PME Doctors employed except gynaecologists, paediatricians, surgeons and ortho surgeons are trained to read PME X-Rays in accordance with ILO classification of Pneumoconiosis. III) Personnel (including outsourcing employees) working in dusty areas shall wear protective respiratory devices and shall also be 13 **PUBLIC HEARING** provided with adequate training and information on safety and health aspects. **PPs Submission:** Complied Date: Complied All the Persons deployed in dusty atmosphere are being provided with dust masks and 27/11/2024 adequate training is being provided in the mine vocational training centers on safety and health aspects. IV) Skill training as per safety norms specified by DGMS shall be

PPs Submission: Complied

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Complied Skill training as per safety norms specified by DGMS are being provided to all workmen including the outsourcing employees in the Mine Vocational training center Kothagudem to ensure high safety standards in mines.

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15 PUBLIC HEARING V) Effective arrangement shall be made to provide and maintain at

ensure high safety standards in mines.

provided to all workmen including the outsourcing employees to

suitable points conveniently situated, a sufficient supply of drinking water for all the persons employed. Date: PPs Submission: Complied 27/11/2024 Complied Supply of drinking 2 liters per person engaged in the shift as per Coal mine Rules-1955 is being provided at suitable location in the mine. VI) Implementation of Action Plan on the issues raised during the Public Hearing shall be ensured. The Project Proponent shall undertake all the tasks as per the Action Plan submitted with 16 PUBLIC HEARING budgetary provisions during the Public Hearing. Land oustees shall be compensated as per the norms laid out R&R Policy of the Company/ or the National R&R Policy/ R&R Policy of the State Government, as applicable. **PPs Submission:** Complied Date: Complied Action plan on the issues raised during the public hearing is formulated and 27/11/2024 implementation is being done. All the tasks measures as per the action plan with budgetary provision submitted during the public hearing are being undertaken. There are no RR involved in the project. VII) The project proponent shall follow the mitigation measures provided in this Ministry's OM No. Z-11013/5712014-IA.II (M) dated 29th October, 2014, titled 'Impact of mining activities on 17 PUBLIC HEARING habitations-issues related to the mining projects wherein habitations and villages are the part of mine lease areas or habitations and villages are surrounded by the mine lease area. Date: PPs Submission: Complied 27/11/2024 Agreed to Comply All the mitigation measures provided in Ministry OM No.Z-110135712014-IA.II M dated 29th October, 2014 are being implemented I) Adequate ambient air quality monitoring stations shall be established in the core zone as well as in the buffer zone for monitoring of pollutants, namely particulates, So2 and NOx. Location of the stations shall be decided based on the meteorological data, AIR QUALITY topographical features and environmentally and ecologically sensitive 18 MONITORING AND receptors in consultation with the State Pollution Control Board. **PRESERVATION** Monitoring of heavy metals such as Hg, As, Ni, Cd, Cr, etc. to be carried out at least once in six months. Online ambient air quality monitoring station/stations may also be installed in addition to the regular air monitoring stations as per the requirement and/or in consultation with the SPCB. **PPs Submission:** Complied Complied Ambient Air Quality Monitoring Station as prescribed in the statute were established in the core zone as well as in the buffer zone for monitoring of pollutants, namely PM10, PM2.5, SO2 Date: and NOx. The latest air quality monitoring report is enclosed at Appendix PVK-12. Location of the 27/11/2024 stations was decided in consultation with the State Pollution Control Board by considering meteorological data, topographical features and environmentally and ecologically sensitive targets. Monitoring of heavy metals such as Hg, As, Ni, Cd, Cr, etc are being carried out once in six months and the results and data being submitted along with half yearly reports to the ministry and its regional office of MoEFCC.ministry and its regional office of MoEFCC. II) The Ambient Air Quality monitoring in the core zone shall be carried out to ensure the Coal Industry Standards notified vide GSR AIR QUALITY 742 (E) dated 25.9.2000 and as amended from time to time by the MONITORING AND 19 Central Pollution Control Board. Data on ambient air quality and **PRESERVATION** heavy metals such as Hg, As, Ni, Cd, Cr and other monitoring data shall be regularly reported to the Ministry/Regional Office and to the CPCB/SPCB.

Complied Ambient air quality monitoring in the core zone as well as in the buffer zone is being carried out through external agency M/s. Environment Protection Training and Research Institute (EPTRI), Hyderabad, which is a CPCB, recognized and NABL accredited laboratory. A Regional Laboratory has been established by EPTRI at Kothagudem for analysis of critical parameters in the field. The data on ambient air quality and heavy metals are being submitted along with half yearly reports to the ministry and its regional office of MoEFCC. The latest heavy metals monitoring data is enclosed at Appendix PVK-13.

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III) Transportation of coal, to the extent permitted by road, shall be carried out by covered trucks/conveyors. Effective control measures such as regular water sprinkling/rain gun/ mist sprinkling etc., shall be carried out in critical areas prone to air pollution with higher level of particulate matter all through the coal transport roads, loading/unloading and transfer points. Fugitive dust emissions from all sources shall be controlled regularly. It shall be ensured that the ambient air quality parameters conform to the norms prescribed by the Central/State Pollution Control Board.

PPs Submission: Complied

Complied Transportation of coal from the working face to the RCHP is being done by covered conveyors. Regular water sprinkling/mist spraying are being carried out at transfer points, loading and un loading points to arrest fugitive dust emissions. The Ambient Air Quality parameters are within the prescribed norms by the Central/State pollution Control Board. The latest air quality monitoring report is enclosed at Appendix PVK-12.

Date: 27/11/2024

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MONITORING AND
PRESERVATION

IV) Major approach roads shall be black topped and properly maintained.

PPs Submission: Complied

Complied All major approach roads of this mine were black topped.

Date: 27/11/2024

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MONITORING AND
PRESERVATION

V) The transportation of coal shall be carried out as per the provisions and route proposed in the approved mining plan. Transportation of the coal through the existing road passing through any village shall be avoided. In case, it is proposed to construct a 'bypass' road, it should be so constructed that the impact of sound, dust and accidents could be appropriately mitigated.

PPs Submission: Agreed to Comply

Agreed to Comply The transportation of coal is being carried out as per the provisions and route envisaged in the approved Mining Plan or environment monitoring plan. Transportation of coal is being done by covered conveyor only. The copy of the approved mining plan is at Appendix PVK-14.

Date: 27/11/2024

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PRESERVATION

VI) Vehicular emissions shall be kept under control and regularly monitored. All the vehicles engaged in mining and allied activities shall operate only after obtaining 'PUC' certificate from the authorized pollution testing centres.

PPs Submission: Not Complied

Not applicable. The coal from the working face to RCHP is transported through the conveyor belts only, hence no vehicles are used or transportation and on vehicular emission.

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VII) Coal stock pile/crusher/feeder and breaker material transfer points shall invariably be provided with dust suppression system. Belt-conveyors shall be fully covered to avoid air borne dust. Side cladding all along the conveyor gantry should be made to avoid air borne dust. Drills shall be wet operated or fitted with dust extractors.

Complied Coal stock yard, crusher and feeder breakers at RCHP are provided with water/mist spray arrangements. Belt-conveyors were fully covered to avoid air borne dust. Side cladding all along the conveyor gantry was made to avoid air borne dust.

Date: 27/11/2024

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AIR QUALITY MONITORING AND PRESERVATION VIII) Coal handling plant shall be operated with effective control measures w.r.t. various environmental parameters. Environmental friendly sustainable technology should be implemented for mitigating such parameters.

PPs Submission: Complied

Complied Coal Handling Plant at RCHP is provided with mist sprayers and Belt conveyors were provided with water spraying arrangements along the belt conveyor.

Date: 27/11/2024

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WATER QUALITY MONITORING AND PRESERVATION I) The effluent discharge (mine waste water, workshop effluent) shall be monitored in terms of the parameters notified under the Water Act, 1974 Coal Industry Standards vide GSR 742 (E) dated 25.9.2000 and as amended from time to time by the Central Pollution Control Board.

PPs Submission: Complied

Complied The effluent discharge (mine discharged water) is being monitored in terms of the parameters notified under the Water Act, 1974 Coal Industry Standards vide GSR 742 (E) dated 25th September, 2000 and as amended from time to time by the Telangana State Pollution Control Board. The latest effluent monitoring report is enclosed at Appendix PVK-5.

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WATER QUALITY MONITORING AND PRESERVATION II) The monitoring data shall be uploaded on the company's website and displayed at the project site at a suitable location. The circular No.J-20012/1/2006-1A.ll(M) dated 27th May, 2009 issued by Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change shall also be referred in this regard for its compliance.

PPs Submission: Complied

Complied The monitoring data is being uploaded on the company website httpsscclminescomenv frmEnvComplianceaspxand displayed at the project site at a suitable location. The circular No.J-20012/1/2006-IA.11 (M) dated 27th May, 2009 issued by Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change is being complied.

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WATER QUALITY MONITORING AND PRESERVATION III) Regular monitoring of ground water level and quality shall be carried out in and around the mine lease area by establishing a network of existing wells and constructing new piezometers during the mining operations. The monitoring of ground water levels shall be carried out four times a year i.e. pre-monsoon, monsoon, post-monsoon and winter. The ground water quality shall be monitored once a year, and the data thus collected shall be sent regularly to MoEFCC/RO.

PPs Submission: Complied

Regular monitoring of ground water levels and ground water quality of the existing mines are being carried out by establishing a network of nineteen 13 existing wells and seven 03 piezometers. The ground water levels and ground water quality monitoring report is encloses at Appendix PVK-8 9

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WATER QUALITY MONITORING AND PRESERVATION IV) Monitoring of water quality upstream and downstream of water bodies shall be carried out once in six months and record of monitoring data shall be maintained and submitted to the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change/Regional Office.

PPs Submission: Complied

Complied Monitoring of water quality upstream and downstream of water bodies are being carried

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out once in three months and record of monitoring data is being maintained and submitted to the Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change/Regional Office once in six months. WATER QUALITY V) Ground water, excluding mine water, shall not be used for 30 MONITORING AND mining operations. Rainwater harvesting shall be implemented for **PRESERVATION** conservation and augmentation of ground water resources. PPs Submission: Complied Date: Complied Only seepage water pumped out of the project is being utilized for mining operations. 27/11/2024 Desilting of nearby tanks were taken up for augmentation of ground water resources. 20 Nos rain water harvesting pits were constructed around the project for augmentation of ground water VI) The project proponent shall not alter major water channels around the site. Appropriate embankment shall be provided along the side of the river/nallah flowing near or adjacent to the mine. The **WATER QUALITY** embankment constructed along the river/nallah boundary shall be of 31 MONITORING AND suitable dimensions and critical patches shall be strengthened by **PRESERVATION** stone pitching on the river front side, stabilized with plantation so as to withstand the peak water pressure preventing any chance of mine inundation. Date: PPs Submission: Not Complied 27/11/2024 Not applicable. There is no alteration of water channels proposed for this project. VII) Garland drains (of suitable size, gradient and length) around the critical areas i.e. mine shaft and low lying areas, shall be designed **WATER QUALITY** keeping at least 50% safety margin over and above the peak sudden 32 MONITORING AND rainfall and maximum discharge in the area adjoining the mine sites. **PRESERVATION** The sump capacity shall also provide adequate retention period to allow proper settling of silt material of the surface runoff. **PPs Submission:** Not Complied Date: Complied CC drains of adequate size, gradient and length were constructed around the mine shaft, 27/11/2024 Inclines and other areas. In underground workings sufficient sump capacity is provide for proper settling of silt material before discharging to surface streams. VIII) The water pumped out from the mine, after siltation, shall be WATER QUALITY utilized for industrial purpose viz. watering the mine area, roads, 33 MONITORING AND green belt development etc. The drains shall be regularly desilted **PRESERVATION** particularly after monsoon and maintained properly **PPs Submission:** Not Complied Date: Complied CC drains of adequate size, gradient and length were constructed around the mine shaft, 27/11/2024 Inclines and other areas. In underground workings sufficient sump capacity is provide for proper settling of silt material before discharging to surface streams. X) Adequate groundwater recharge measures shall be taken up for WATER QUALITY augmentation of ground water. The project authorities shall meet 34 MONITORING AND water requirement of nearby village(s) in case the village wells go dry **PRESERVATION** due to dewatering of mine. **PPs Submission:** Complied Complied Seepage water from the mine is collected in a sump where the suspended solids settle Date: down to a large extent. Excess water is discharged out into local drainage which reaches the nearby 27/11/2024 Nallah Tellavagu which helps in augmentation of groundwater. Further 20 Nos Rain Water Harvesting Pits with a cost of Rs. 40 Lakhs were constructed around the project boundary. The project authorities will meet water requirement of nearby village(s) in case the village wells go dry

due to de-watering of the mine..

35	MISCELLANEOUS	XII) The Ministry reserves the right to stipulate addit conditions if found necessary. The Company in a time shall implement these conditions.	
	ubmission: Agreed to Comply to comply		Date: 27/11/2024
36	Statutory compliance	I) The Environmental clearance shall be subject to or Supreme Court of India, Hon'ble High Courts, NGT an Court of Law, from time to time, and as applicable to the	d any other
	ubmission: Agreed to Comply agreed to comply.		Date: 27/11/2024
37	Statutory compliance	II) The project proponent shall obtain forest clearance provisions of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1986, in case diversion of forest land for non-forest purpose involved	of the
Complication Complication Complication Complete Complete Complete Complete Complete Complete Complete Complication Complete Comple	vas obtained vide F.No.8-277/85-F I with surface rights vide F.No-8-2	project is 768.99 ha for which diversion with underground CD Dt. 17-02.2009. Out of 768.99 ha, 0.90 ha of FL was 277/1985FC (Vol.I) dated: 15.10.2019 and 2.85 ha of FL p-8-277/1985FC (Vol) dated 11.07.2024. The forest a PVK-10.	Date: 27/11/2024
38	Statutory compliance	III) The project proponent shall obtain clearance from Board for Wildlife, if applicable.	n the Nationa
	ubmission: Not Complied plicable. There are no Wildlife san	actuaries within 10 km from the project.	Date: 27/11/2024
39	Statutory compliance	IV) The project proponent shall prepare a Site-Specific Conservation Plan/Wildlife Management Plan and appropriate Chief Wildlife Warden. The recommendations of the a Specific Conservation Plan/Wildlife Management Plan implemented in consultation with the State Forest Depaimplementation report shall be furnished along with the compliance report. (In case of the presence of Schedule the study area).	roved by the pproved Site shall be artment. The e six-monthly
Partially Principa of Rs. 4 Dt.12.19 Lakhs in Telanga the peri	al Chief Conservator of Forest (Ho 78.60 Lakhs, vide Ltr No. Prl CCI 0.2021. For implementation of the n favour of State Forest Departmental ana(BIOSOT). District Forest Office od of 5 years (2024-25 to 2028-29)	on Plan for Schedule-I species was approved by the oFF) and Chief Wild life Warden (FAC), TS. for an amount F (HoFF), TS, Hyderabad, Rc.No. 5694/2021/WL-1, Wildlife conservation plan, SCCL deposited Rs. 478.60 nt into Bio-diversity Conservation Society of cer, Bhadradri Kothagudem has prepared an action plan for in co-ordination with the chief conservator of forests, sed diversion of 649.3014 ha.with an amount of Rs.731.60	Date: 27/11/2024
40	Statutory compliance	V) The project proponent shall obtain Consent to Estunder the provisions of Air (Prevention & Control of P 1981 and the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution from the concerned State Pollution Control Board/ Cor	ollution) Act Act, 1974
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KGM/HO/2021, dt. 23.11.2021(Appendix PVK-11) and also obtained Consent to Operate vide order No.220523307889, Dt.15.02.2022 and valid up to 30.09.2026. (Appendix PVK-2) VI) The project proponent shall obtain the necessary permission 41 Statutory compliance from the Central Ground Water Authority. PPs Submission: Complied Date: Complied Ground Water clearance was obtained from State Ground Water Department Vide Memo 27/11/2024 No.258/T/SCCL/2018-2, Dt. 25.05.2021 for drawing ground water for project activities and is valid up to 25.05.2026.(Appendix PVK-1) VII) Solid waste/hazardous waste generated in the mines needs to 42 addressed in accordance to the Solid Waste Management Rules, Statutory compliance 2016/ Hazardous & Other Waste Management Rules, 2016. PPs Submission: Complied Complied Solid/ hazardous waste generated in the mines are being disposed in accordance to the Solid Waste Management Rules, 2016/Hazardous Other Waste Management Rules, 2016. Hazardous Date: wastes like used oil with barrels, waste oil with barrels, used transformer oil with barrels, scrapped 27/11/2024 batteries, iron scrap, copper cables, scrapped cap lamp accumulators, empty oil and grease drums will be handled and disposed off in accordance with the procedure laid down in HWM Rules, 2016. Used oil, spent oil, batteries and copper cables shall be disposed off to the recyclers having valid registration from CPCBTSPCB for recycling or recovery, whereas the empty oil and grease barrels will be detoxified prior to their disposal to outside agencies. IX) Industrial waste water from coal handling plant and mine water shall be properly collected and treated so as to conform to the standards prescribed under the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986 WATER QUALITY MONITORING AND and the Rules made there under, and as amended from time to time. 43 **PRESERVATION** Oil and grease trap shall be installed before discharge of workshop effluent. Sewage treatment plant of adequate capacity shall be installed for treatment of domestic waste water. PPs Submission: Complied Date: Complied Water quality of mine discharge water is being monitored at regular intervals before 27/11/2024 discharging into natural water course and results are in prescribed standards. STP (1.5 MLD) is constructed at Rudrampur Colony, Kothagudem. The latest discharged water quality is enclosed at Appendix PVK-5. XIII) The Regional Office of this Ministry shall monitor compliance of the stipulated conditions. The project authorities 44 **MISCELLANEOUS** should extend full cooperation to the officer (s) of the Regional Office by furnishing the requisite data/information/monitoring reports. Date: **PPs Submission:** Agreed to Comply 27/11/2024 Agreed to comply XIV) The above conditions shall be enforced, inter-alia under the provisions of the Water (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1974, the Air (Prevention & Control of Pollution) Act, 1981, the Environment (Protection) Act, 1986, Hazardous and Other Wastes 45 **MISCELLANEOUS** (Management and Transboundary Movement) Rules, 2016 and the Public Liability Insurance Act, 1991 along with their amendments and Rules and any other orders passed by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India/ High Courts and any other Court of Law relating to the subject matter.

A Complied II the measures are being taken to avoid soil contamination, contamination of ground water surface water and occupational and other diseases due to the mining operations. CFE and CFO were obtained for the project under air and Water Acts. PLI policy is also being taken every year. The latest PLI policy was taken from National insurance Company bearing no. 550200492410000034, dt. 30.04.2024 and is valid up to 29.04.2025. The PLI copy is enclosed as Appendix PVK -22.

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XV) Any appeal against this EC shall lie with the National Green Tribunal, if preferred, within a period of 30 days as prescribed under Section 16 of the National Green Tribunal Act, 2010.

PPs Submission: Not Complied

Not applicable. No appeal against this environmental clearance made with the National Green Tribunal, within a period of 30 days.

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5) All other terms and conditions stipulated in the Environment clearance dated 23rd October, 1992, shall remain same.

PPs Submission: Agreed to Comply PP agreed to comply.

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MINING PLAN

V) No mining activity shall be carried out in forest land without obtaining Forestry Clearance as per Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and also adhering to The Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 read with provisions of Indian Forest Act, 1927.

PPs Submission: Complied

Complied The forest land involved in the project is 768.99 ha for which diversion with underground rights was obtained vide F.No.8-277/85-FC Dt. 17-02.2009. Out of 768.99 ha, 0.90 ha of FL was diverted with surface rights vide F.No-8-277/1985FC (Vol.I) dated: 15.10.2019 and 2.85 ha of FL was diverted with surface rights vide F.No-8-277/1985FC (Vol) dated 11.07.2024. The forest diversion letters are enclosed at Appendix PVK10.

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MINING PLAN

VI) Efforts should be made to reduce energy and fuel consumption by conservation, efficiency improvements and use of renewable energy.

PPs Submission: Complied

Agreed to Comply 1. Solar Power: Total Solar Power Installed in the SCCL is approximately 234 Mega Watt (MW), out of which installed capacity in Kothagudem Region is approximately 47.50 MW. The current generated by Solar panels are in DC form which are sent to assembly station from every single panels, from there they are sent to the inverter which converts the current to AC form and then it is sent to power up Transformer from where the power is stepped up and then the power is fed to the Transmission grid. 2 . Fixing of Energy Meters: 20000 No.s fixed in quarters of SCCL. Target fix in all 46,000 No. of SCCL quarters 3. Lighting: Incandescent lamps are banned in quarters. Advised to replace LED lamps in place of Incandescent lamps. Conventional street / yard lighting is replaced with LED lights. 4. Energy efficient appliances: Made mandatory to purchase 5 star rated. house hold appliances. Purchased 5 star rated Air conditioners, Refrigerators, Fans, Coolers etc., in SCCL and also made propaganda among the employees. 5. Others: In OC mines, proposed to procure mobile Solar Lighting Masts with energy saving LED lights with Battery backup in place of diesel operated DG Set with conventional high capacity lights. Arranged to fix transparent acrylic sheets on roof top to utilize day light. Using timers in street lighting in all areas.

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LAND RECLAMATION

I) Digital Survey of entire lease hold area/core zone using Satellite Remote Sensing survey shall be carried out at least once in three years for monitoring land use pattern and report in I:50,000 scale or as notified by Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change(MOEFCC) from time to time shall be submitted to

		MOEFCC/Regional Office (RO).	
Complice Enterprise of VK of	ise Solutions Private Ltd. Hyderabad a coal mine Amalgamation of GK OC Vaudy is being carried out by Greenc ind	buffer zone was carried out in 2019 by MS Geosys and by Ms EPTRI, Hyderabad in 2021 as part of BLD K7 And PVK5 Incline Further, latest land use land lia Private Ltd. New Delhi in August-2024. The report	Date: 27/11/2024
51	LAND RECLAMATION	II) Post-mining land be rendered usable for agricultur purposes and shall be handed over to the respective Sta Government, as specified in the Guidelines for Prepara Closure Plan, issued by the Ministry of Coal dated 27th and subsequent amendments.	tte tion of Mine
Complication mines us approve was issue Hearing will be to 2029 the GK PVK-5	nder the name of VK Coal Mine (Open do by MoC, GoI. Vide 38011/12/2017-ned by MoEFCC vide IA 23-78/2018-15 was conducted on 19.04.2022. In this converted into opencast and the PVK-3-30 later PVK-5 incline will also be cool OC project will be utilized for dumping	5 Incline with the adjacent VK-7 Incline and GK OCP neast cum Underground mine) for which MPMCP was PCA, dated 27.01.2020(Appendix PVK-16) and ToR IA (III) dated.27.10.2021(Appendix PVK-17), Public proposed amalgamation project initially VK-7 Incline incline underground operations will be continued up onverted into opencast mine and the existing voids of ag of the OB excavated form VK-7 incline area and e proposed VK Coal Mine the post-mining land use VK Coal Mine.	Date: 27/11/2024
52	LAND RECLAMATION	III) Regular monitoring of subsidence movement on over and around the working areas and its impact on na pattern, water bodies, vegetation, structure, roads and shall be continued till movement ceases completely. In observation of any high rate of subsidence beyond the prescribed, appropriate effective mitigation measures s to avoid loss of life and materials. Cracks should be eff plugged in with ballast and clay soil/suitable material.	ntural drainage curroundings case of limit hall be taken
Complice recently		out with stowing hence no subsidence is observed bsidence movement on the surface over and around the	Date: 27/11/2024
53	LAND RECLAMATION	IV) Fly ash shall be used for external dump of overbubackfilling or stowing of mine as per provisions containand (ii) of subparagraph (8) of fly ash notification issued 2804 (E) dated 3rd November, 2009 as amended from Efforts shall be made to utilize gypsum generated from Desulfurization (FGD), if any, along with fly ash for export of overburden, backfilling or stowing of mines. Complishall be submitted to Regional Office of MoEF&CC, CSPCB.	ned in clause(ed vide SO time to time. Flue Gas sternal dump iance report
Complie 20. At p		as utilized for stowing operation from 2015-16 to 2019- in progress and during de-pillaring operations stowing	Date: 27/11/2024
54	LAND RECLAMATION	V) A separate team for subsidence monitoring and su mitigation measures shall be constituted and continuou & implementation of mitigation measures shall be carr	s monitoring

Compl measur		monitoring subsidence and surface mitigation nitoring implementation of mitigation measures are	Date: 27/11/2024
55	LAND RECLAMATION	VI) Thorough inspection of the mine lease area for developed at the surface due to mining activities bel be carried out to prevent inrush of water in the mine	ow ground shall
Compl mining	activities below ground are being car	ease area for any cracks developed at the surface due to ried out to prevent inrush of water in. Till now no such were de-pillared with stowing operations	Date: 27/11/2024
56	LAND RECLAMATION	VII) Native tree species shall be selected and plan affected by subsidence.	ted over areas
Compl plantat followi Dendro acidiss Pteroca pinnata	ion carried out in the adjacent forest laing below mentioned native species wo calamus strictus, Ficus religiosa, Pterima, Ficus bengalensis, Aegle marmelarpus marsupium, Syzygium cumini, A	out within the project area in addition to the gap and. Plantation plan enclosed at Appendix PVK-18 The ere used for plantation. Hardwikia binata, ocarpus santalinus, Azadirachta indica, Limonia los, Mitragyna parvifolia, Dalbergia latifolia, Albizzia procera, Terminalia bellarica, Pongamia, Pithecelobium dulci, Sterculia urens, Dalbergia sissoo	Date: 27/11/2024
57	LAND RECLAMATION	VIII) The project proponent shall make necessary arrangements, if grazing land is involved in core zor with the State government to provide alternate areas grazing, if any. In this context, the project proponen the directions of Hon'ble Supreme Court with regard grazing land.	ne, in consultations for livestock t shall implemen
	Submission: Complied plicable. No grazing land is involved i	in the core zone of the project.	Date: 27/11/2024
58	GREENBELT	I) The project proponent shall take all precautiona during mining operation for conservation and protect endangered flora/fauna, if any, spotted/reported in the Action plan, in this regard, if any, shall be prepared in consultation with the State Forest and Wildlife December 2.	ction of the study area. The and implemented
Compl propon		ry minimum surface area was disturbed and project res during mining operation for conservation and	Date: 27/11/2024
59	MISCELLANEOUS	XI) The Ministry may revoke or suspend the clear implementation of any of the above conditions is no	
	Submission: Agreed to Comply I to comply		Date: 27/11/2024
60	Corporate Environmental Responsibility	I) The company shall have a well laid down environment duly approve by the Board of Directors. The environment should prescribe for standard operating procedures to checks and balances and to bring into focus any infringements/deviation/violation of the environment.	nmental policy to have proper

norms/ conditions. The company shall have defined system of reporting infringements/ deviation/ violation of the environmental/forest/wildlife norms/conditions and/ or shareholders/ stake holders. The copy of the board resolution in this regard shall be submitted to the MoEF&CC as a part of six-monthly report.

PPs Submission: Complied
Complied The company is having a well laid down environmental policy duly approved by the Board of Directors. The environmental policy is containing standard operating procedures to have proper checks and balances and to bring into focus any infringements deviation violation of the environmental/ forest wildlife norms conditions. The company is having a defined system of

Corporate Environmental Responsibility

andor shareholders stake holders.

II) A separate Environmental Cell both at the project and company head quarter level, with qualified personnel shall be set up under the control of senior Executive, who will directly to the head of the organization.

PPs Submission: Complied

Complied A company level environment cell with qualified personnel headed by General Manager (Environment) who is reportable to the Director of the Company is established to monitor and guide in implementation of the environmental safeguards. An area level environmental cell headed by qualified environmental officer is established and functioning under the control of area General Manager to monitor and guide in implementation of the environmental safeguards. Apart from this, a unit level Environmental Management Committee with multidisciplinary team has been constituted under the chairmanship of SO to GM. The committee has been constituted with following members.

1. SO to General Manager Chairman 2. Project Officer Member 3. Area Engineer (EM) Member 4. Area Civil Engineer Member 5. Area Forest Officer Member 6. Area Estates Officer Member 7. Project Manager Member 8. Project Engineer Member 9. Project Surveyor Member 10. Project Env. Officer Member 11. Area Env. Officer Secretary 12. Sr. Hydro Geologist Member 13. Area Survey Officer Member

reporting infringements deviation violation of the environmental forest wildlife norms conditions

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62 Corporate Environmental Responsibility

III) Action plan for implementing EMP and environmental conditions along with responsibility matrix of the company shall be prepared and shall be duly approved by competent authority. The year wise funds earmarked for environmental protection measures shall be kept in separate account and not to be diverted for any other purpose. Year wise progress of implementation of action plan shall be reported to the Ministry /Regional Office along with the Six Monthly Compliance Report.

PPs Submission: Complied

Complied The funds earmarked for environmental protection measures are not being diverted for any other purpose. For implementing EMP and environmental conditions, responsibilities are being assigned to the concerned unit level and area level officers. Till now about Rs. 2.15 Crore was spent as environment capital expenditure and about Rs. 28.99 Crores (2008-09 to 2023-24) spent as environmental revenue expenditure. Year wise progress of implementation of environmental protection measures is being reported to the Ministry/Regional Office along with the SixMonthly Compliance Report.

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Corporate Environmental Responsibility

IV) Self environmental audit shall be conducted annually. Every three years third party environmental audit shall be carried out.

PPs Submission: Complied

Complied Self environmental audit is being conducted annually and third-party environment audit was conducted by ICFRE, Dehradun in 2023 and the report is enclosed at Appendix PVK-3.

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I) The project proponent shall make public the environmental clearance granted for their project along with the environmental conditions and safeguards at their cost by prominently advertising it

		at least in two local newspapers of the District or State, shall be in the vernacular language within seven days a this shall also be displayed in the project proponent's w permanently.	nd in additio
Compli 11.06.2 daily N (httpssc	021 in daily News paper of vernacul ews paper Hans India And the same	on 07th June, 2021. Advertisement was given on ar language (Telugu) in Namasthe Telangan and English was displayed in the project proponent's website aspx) permanently. The paper advertisement is enclosed	Date: 27/11/2024
65	MISCELLANEOUS	II) The copies of the environmental clearance shall be the project proponents to the Heads of local bodies, Par Municipal Bodies in addition to the relevant offices of Government who in turn has to display the same for 30 date of receipt.	nchayats and the
Compli vide Lr	. No. KGM/ENV/402/2021/144 to 10 yats and Municipal Bodies in additio	nediately after obtaining EC from MoEFCC, New Delhi 67 dated 10th June, 2021 sent to heads of local bodies, on to the relevant offices of the Government (Appendix	Date: 27/11/2024
	MICCELLANTONIC	III) The project proponent shall upload the status of continuous the stipulated environment clearance conditions, include	ling results o
66	MISCELLANEOUS	monitored data on their website and update the same of basis.	n half-yearly
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1 1 5 Submission. Complete			Date: 27/11/2024
70	MISCELLANEOUS	VII) The project authorities must strictly adhere to the stipulations made by the State Pollution Control Board and the State Government	
	Submission: Agreed to Comply to comply		Date: 27/11/2024
71	MISCELLANEOUS	VIII) The project proponent shall abide by all the commitments and recommendations made in the EIA/EMP report, commitment made during Public Hearing and also that during their presentation to the Expert Appraisal Committee.	
Agreed	Hearing and also that during their pres	ommendations made in the EIA/EMP report, during entation to the Expert Appraisal Committee are being	Date: 27/11/2024
72	IX) No further expansion or modifications in the plant shall be carried out without prior approval of the Ministry of Environment, Forests and Climate Change (MoEF&CC).		
Complimines unapproved MoEFO	under the name of VK Coal Mine (Ope ed by MoC, GoI. Vide 38011/12/2017- CC vide IA 23-78/2018-IA (III) dated.2	25 Incline with the adjacent VK-7 Incline and GK OCP encast cum Underground mine) for which MPMCP was PCA, dated 27.01.2020 and ToR was issued by 27.10.2021, Public Hearing was conducted on mine from MOEFCC only expansion will be carried	Date: 27/11/2024

Visit Remarks				
Last Site Visit Report Date:	06/09/2024			
Additional Remarks:				

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Note: This acknowledgement is as per the details submitted by project proponent. In no way is this document to be considered as conclusion on any action on the compliance of the project. This is strictly for the project proponent's reference purpose.