

PREPAREDNESS OF AUCTION ABLE MINERAL BLOCKS IN THE STATE OF JHARKHAND

Month – January 2018

1. Details of Mineral Blocks ready for auction:

A. Geological exploration done by Directorate of Geology, DIMG, Jharkhand

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	Sons, Koiri Pathra/ Palamu	Graphite	96	0.67	G-2	ML	Tender for auction published on 05.01.2018.
2	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
3	Churi /Ranchi	Limestone	40	0.20	G-3	PL Cum ML	
4	Hariyan, Barunmuti, Thurkubera/ East Singhbhum	Emerald	83.1	51557.00 kg	G-3	PL Cum ML	
5	Bahutiya/ East Singhbhum	Emerald	05	9200.00 kg	G-3	PL Cum ML	Letter sent to MoM, GoI for relaxation and reserve price.
6	Bhangaon/ West Singhbhum	Iron ore	118	43.74 MT	G-2	ML	Tender for auction published on 05.01.2018.
7	Dudhapat/ Lohardaga	Bauxite	130	9.05 MT	G-2	ML	Bauxite rate is awaited from GoI after receiving the rate this block will be auction.
8	Dulsulma	Graphite	36	1.72 MT	G-2	ML	Geological report received on 10.01.2018 which is under scrutiny these blocks will be available for auction by the first week of February 2018.
9	Ponchi	Graphite	10	0.36 MT	G-2	ML	
10	Khutiya (Dhurki)	Dolomite/ Limestone	100	Limestone- 0.02 MT Dolomite- 1.13 MT	G-2	ML	

B. Geological exploration done by MECL

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 complete.
2	Nandup (East), Bayanbil (Combined Block) Geological Report of MECL	Copper	54	0.087 MT (0.5% Cu) 0.075 MT (0.2% Cu) in Nandup (East) 0.114 MT (0.2% Cu) in Bayanbil	G-2	ML	Geological report received on 16.01.2018.

2. Special Programme:-

Sl. No.	Mineral	Area	District	Proposed Level of Exploration	Status of work
1	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 has re-assessed the mineral resource available in the surrendered lease area. Geological Report (GR) prepared. M/s. SAIL is directed to submit boundary demarcation report.