MINUTES OF THE MEETING HELD ON 15.04.2011 AT 10.30 AM IN THE STEEL ROOM OF STEEL AND MINES DEPARTMENT UNDER THE CHAIRMANSHIP OF COMMISSIONER-CUM-SECRETARY, STEEL & MINES DEPARTMENT

The above meeting was held to implement the Mineral Conservation & Development (Amendment) Rules, 2011, published by Government of India, Ministry of Mines vide Notification No.G.S.R. 75 (E) Dt. 09.02.2011. The list of members attended the meeting is annexed. The following decisions were taken:

1) The owner, agent, mining engineer or manager of every mine or any person or company engaged in trading or storage or end-use or export of minerals mined in the country, shall cause himself to be registered with the Indian Bureau of Mines as per application specified in Form M and this shall be used for all purposed of reporting and correspondence connected therewith under Rule 45. The Steel and Mines Department shall incorporate the IBM Registration number in all TPs / statutory forms / applications etc

## (Action: Steel & Mines Deptt.)

2) For the purpose of regulation of transportation of minerals, all persons and companies owning trucks or any other motorized vehicle used for transportation of mineral by road or through water way shall be required to be registered with the Directorate of Mining & Geology or the Department handling mining matters.

The State Government and the lessee shall maintain trip-sheets (either in the form of written record or on computers) of the vehicles, the nature and weight or mineral and the approximate time on the trip and its destination. Steel & Mines Department to issue guidelines in this regard after consulting the Transport Department. As far as possible the registration process should be made online.

(Action: Steel & Mines Deptt.)

3) Besides, the Steel & Mines Department has issued a number of notification under the OMPTS Rules. Keeping the amendment of Rule 45 of MCDR, changes in the Act it is necessary to bring about amendments in the OMPTS Rules, 2007. Director of Mines may chair a Committee consisting of two DDMs each from the field and the Directorate and propose changes in the Rules. The report should be submitted within a month. The Committee may synchronise the reports / returns of OMPTS Rules to include Rule 45 of MCDR so that there is no duplication.

## (Action: Director of Mines, Orissa)

4) For traders, storage depots, exporters & end users, IBM should only provide registration numbers to valid holders under the OMPTS Rules, 2007.

(Action: IBM)

Commissioner-cum-Secretary to Govt.

Steel and Mines Department