



ABSTRACT

Industries – Mines and Minerals – Magnesite and Dunite – Mining lease granted to Tmt.P.Baladevie, Tiruppur – Over an extent of 3.63.5 Hectares of patta land in S.F.No.527/B2 in Pungandurai Village, Dharapuram Taluk, Tiruppur District – Non-operation for a period of more than two years – Declaring as deemed lapse – Orders – Issued.

Industries (MMA.2) Department

G.O.(Ms) No.3

Dated 07.01.2022

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Read:

1. Proceedings of Commissioner of Geology and Mining, Rc.No.16128/MM3/2008, dated 9.06.2009
2. From The District Collector, Tiruppur, Letter No.417/2020/Mines-1, dated 22.06.2020
3. From the Secretary (Mines), Ministry of Mines D.O. Letter No.7/39/2015-M.IV, dated 05.03.2020.
4. From the Director of Geology and Mining, Letter Rc.No.2921/MM5/2020, dated 07.07.2020.
5. Government letter No.4796/MMA.2/2020 dated 4.1.2021.
6. From Tmt. P.Baladevie, Tiruppur representation dated 04.01.2021.

ORDER:

In the Proceedings of Commissioner of Geology and Mining 1st read above, a mining lease was granted to Tmt. P. Baladevie, Tiruppur for mining Magnesite and Dunite over an extent of 3.63.5 Hectares of patta land in S.F.No.527/B2 in Pungandurai Village, Dharapuram Taluk, Tiruppur District for a period of 20 years. The validity of the lease was from 21.10.2009 to 20.10.2029.

2. In the letter 2nd read above, the District Collector, Tiruppur has sent a proposal to declare the lease as deemed lapse under Section 4A(4) of Mines and Minerals (Development & Regulation) Act, 1957 and in this regard he has observed that the lessee has stopped mining operation and there is no evidence for any recent mining operation in the existing mined out pit and the lessee has discontinued the mining operation in the above area for more than three years, etc.

3. In the letter 4th read above, the Director of Geology and Mining has recommended the Government to declare the mining lease granted to Tmt.P.Baladevie for mining Magnesite and Dunite over an extent of 3.63.5 hectares of patta lands in S.F.No.527/B2 in Pungandurai village, Dharapuram Taluk, Tiruppur District as 'deemed lapse' under section 4A(4) of Mines and Minerals (Development & Regulations) Act, 1957 and to issue order under Rule 20(2) of the Minerals (Other than Atomic and Hydrocarbons Energy Minerals) Concession Rules, 2016 subject to the following conditions:-

- i. The District Collector, Tiruppur shall collect the cost of the mineral of Rs.27,79,309/- from the lessee for removal of minerals without Environmental Clearance along with other dues, if any, and to report to the Government through Director of Geology and Mining.
- ii. As per rule 20(10) & 20(11) of Minerals(Other than Atomic and Hydrocarbons Energy Minerals) Concession Rules, 2016, the District Collector shall take necessary action to carry out protective, reclamation and rehabilitation measures in respect of the mining lease which has lapsed.

4. With reference to the proposal of the District Collector, Tiruppur and the recommendations of Director of Geology and Mining, a personal hearing was fixed on 20.01.2021 at 4.00 P.M. to Tmt.P.Baladevie, Tiruppur and the lessee Tmt.P.Baladevie attended the personal hearing and submitted a petition with a request to drop all further proceedings.

5. The Government have carefully examined the petition submitted by the lessee Tmt.P.Baladevie, Tiruppur, the proposal of the District Collector, Tiruppur and the recommendations of the Director of Geology and Mining along with relevant Acts and Rule provisions and the Government have decided to accept the proposal of the District Collector, Tiruppur as recommended by the Director of Geology and Mining. Accordingly, the Government hereby declare the mining lease granted to Tmt. P. Baladevie to mine Magnesite and Dunite over an extent of 3.63.5 hectares of patta lands in S.F.No.527/B2 in Pungandurai village, Dharapuram Taluk, Tiruppur District for a period of 20 years in Commissioner of Geology and Mining's Proceedings Rc.No.16128/ MM3/2008, dated 09.06.2009 as 'deemed lapse' under section 4A(4) of Mines and Minerals (Development & Regulations) Act, 1957 and to issue order under Rule 20(2) of the Minerals (Other than Atomic and Hydrocarbons Energy Minerals) Concession Rules, 2016 subject to the following conditions:-

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6. The District Collector, Tiruppur is directed to pursue necessary further action and to send a report to the Government.

(BY ORDER OF THE GOVERNOR)

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The District Collector, Tiruppur.

The Regional Controller of Mines,
Indian Bureau of Mines, Chennai – 600 090.

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