

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Mines & Minerals - Reservation of Silica Sand deposit in Survey No.314 of Kothapatnam (V), Kota (M) of SPSR Nellore District over an extent of 25.000 Hects for AP Mineral Development Corporation Ltd – orders - Issued.

INDUSTRIES AND COMMERCE (M.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.54

Dt:21.04.2017.

Read:

From the DMG File No.6392/P/2016, DT:17.03.2017 under single file system.

ORDER:

In the reference read above the DM&G, GoAP has stated that the Vice Chairman Managing Director of M/s APMDC Ltd., vide letter dated 05.12.2016 has requested to recommend to the Government for reservation of the Sy. 314 of Kothapatnam (V), Kota (M) of SPSR Nellore District over an extent of 25.00 Hects in favour of M/s. AP Mineral Development Corporation Ltd for Mining of the Silica Sand deposit to augment the production as well as revenue to the State exchequer.

2. It is also informed that the Vice Chairman & Managing Director of APMMDC developed expertise in the mining of Silica Sand through its operating mine located at Varagali H/o. Momidi (V), Chillakur (M) of SPSR Nellore District, it is imperative for APMDC to expand its silica sand production capacities through identifying and opening of new mines for silica sand around or near to the existing mines. Accordingly, a Silica Sand deposit has been identified in Sy. No. 314 of Kothapatnam (V) Kota (M) over an area of 25.000 Hects in revenue land in the same Nellore District, where it can add more to its economic viability even during market fluctuations.

3. The Asst. Director of Mines and Geology, Nellore submitted proposals duly informing that Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Amendment Act, 2015 after G.O. Ms. No. 56, dt. 30.04.2016. The Asst. Director of Mines and Geology, Nellore has received 3 Quarry lease application for Silica Sand in Sy. No. 314 of Kothapatnam (V) Kota (M) is as follows:

Sl. No	Name of the Applicant	Online Date of receipt of the application	Location	Extent (In Hects)	Remarks
1	Smt.M. Jayalakshmi	26.05.2016	Sy.No.314 of Kothapatnam (V) Kota (M)	10.526	
2	M/s.VKRR Constructions, Mg. P. Sri Manoj Kumar Reddy	27.05.2016		24.290	NOC received from the Tahsildar, Kota vide Rc. B. 795/2016, dt. 17.10.2016.
3	M/s Real Minerals (P) Ltd	27.05.2016		25.910	

4. The DM&G, has further informed that the Tahsildar, Kota, vide Rc. B. 795/2016, dt. 17.10.2016 has issued NOC in favour of M/s. VKRR Constructions and informed that

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as per village records, the total extent of the land in Sy. No. 314 is Acs 72.14, out of which an extent of Acs 22.25 was assigned to the land less poor, and an extent of Acs. 15.00 was allotted to APIIC, Nellore and also there is sonna Kaluva (Buffer) in an extent of Acs.4.89 which comes to total extent o Acs 42.14. As such, an extent of Acs. 30.00 cents is identified as vacant unassigned land. The balance area identified in an extent of Acs 30.00 is suitable for mining purpose.

5. While furnishing the proposal to Government in SFS, the DM&G, GoAP has, requested to reserve the area in an extent of 30.00 Acres in Sy.No. 314-A of Kothapatnam (Vill.), Kota (Mandal) of SPSR Nellore District in favour of M/s A.P Mineral Development Corporation Limited (APMDC), for the mineral Silica Sand, as per Section 17 of MMDR Act.

6. After careful examination of the matter, the Government hereby decide to reserve the area to an extent of 30.00 Acres in Sy.No. 314-A of Kothapatnam (Vill.), Kota (Mandal) of SPSR Nellore District in favour of M/s A.P Mineral Development Corporation Limited (APMDC), for the mineral, Silica Sand, as per Section 17 of MMDR Act., 1957 as amended through the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Amendment Act, 2015 read with Rule 9 (A) of APMMC Rules 1966.

7. Accordingly, the Government of Andhra Pradesh decided to publish the following Notification in the extra –ordinary issue of Andhra Pradesh Gazette, dt: .04.2017

NOTIFICATION

“In exercise of the powers conferred Under Section 17A (2) of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957, read with rule 9-A (1) of Andhra Pradesh Minor Mineral Concession Rules, 1966, the Government hereby reserve the area to an extent of 30.00 Acres in Sy.No. 314-A of Kothapatnam (Vill.), Kota (Mandal) of SPSR Nellore District in favour of M/s A.P Mineral Development Corporation Limited (APMDC), for the mineral Silica Sand.”

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

B. SREEDHAR
SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT (MINES)

To

The Commissioner of Printing, Stationary & Stores Purchase (Ptg. Wing), A.P., Vijayawada. (He is requested to publish the above Notification in the Extra-ordinary issue of Andhra Pradesh, and arrange to send 200 copies of the same to Government in Industries & Commerce (M.II) Department).

The Director of Mines & Geology, Andhra Pradesh, Ibrahempatnam.
The Vice Chairman & Managing Director, APMDC, Hyderabad.

Copy to:

The District Collector, SPSR Nellore District.

The Zonal Joint Director of Mines & Geology, Kadapa.

The Assistant Director of Mines & Geology, SPSR Nellore District .

The Secretary to Govt. of India, Ministry of Mines, Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi.

The Controller General, Indian Bureau of Mines, Nagpur.

The Director General, Mines Safety, Dhanbad, Bihar.

The Regional Controller of Mines, Koti, Hyderabad.

The P.S to Secretary (Mines)./P.S to Hon'ble Minister for Mines & Geology.

SF/SC(C.No.2389/M.II(1)/2017)

//FORWARDED :: BY ORDER//

SECTION OFFICER