

QUALITY COUNCIL OF INDIA

NATIONAL ACCREDITATION BOARD FOR EDUCATION AND TRAINING

6th Floor, ITPI Building, Ring Road, I.P. Estate, New Delhi

Accreditation Scheme for Exploration/Prospecting Agency (APA) & Mining Plan Preparing Agency (MPPA)

Accreditation Committee Meeting for Initial Accreditation held on 12/03/2021 and the following members were present during the meeting:

1.	Prof B B Dhar	Chairman
2.	Mr. Manindra Satyamurty	Member
3.	Dr. Dipankar Saha	Member
4.	Mr. B N Phuloria	Member
5.	Dr. Satya Prakash	Member
6.	Mr. Arun Kapoor	Member

Mr. V K Kaul- Member expressed his inability to attend the meeting.

From NABET Secretariat Mr. A.K Jha- Senior Director, Mr. Jagminder Kataria-Deputy Director, Ms. Manila Talwar Executive Officer Trainee, and Ms. Prachi Gupta-Junior Analyst were present during the meeting.

Case for Initial Accreditation: Following case was discussed and decisions taken thereof are-

Matrix Mining Solutions Private Limited, Gurgaon

PART – A: Exploration/Prospecting Agency

Matrix Mining Solutions Private Limited, Gurgaon has scored **63.50%**, and accredited as **APA** as per **APA/MPPA Accreditation Scheme**.

1. Scope Coverage:

APA	Preparation of Comprehensive Geological Report (GR)
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2. Number of Experts applied and approved:

S.No.	Human Resource (Number of experts Applied/Approved)	IH		EMP		TOTAL	
		Applied	Approved/ Accepted	Applied	Approved/ Accepted	Applied	Approved/ Accepted
1	Project Coordinator/s(PC)	1	1	0	0	1	1
2	Technical Area Expert/s(TAE)	1	1	4	4	5	5
	Total	2	2	4	4	6	6

2.1. Approved Project Coordinator/s (PC)

S.No.	Name	Approval status		Remarks
		Technical Area Approved	Status	
In-house				
1.	Gurjit Singh Bhatia	Geology (GEO)	Yes	-

2.2. Approved Technical Areas Expert/s (TAE)

S.No.	Name	Approval status		Remarks
		Technical Area Approved	Status	
In-house				
1.	Anand Vardhan Sahay	Geology (GEO)	Yes	-
Empanelled				
1.	Debdas Chattopadhyay	Surveying (SUR)	Yes	-
2.	James Nelson Arputharaj	Hydrogeology (HG)	Yes	-
3.	Narendra Prasad Shrivastav	Geophysics (GP)	Yes	-
4.	Narendra Pratap Singh	Remote Sensing & GIS (RS)	Yes	-

PART – B : Mining Plan Preparing Agency

Matrix Mining Solutions Private Limited, Gurgaon has scored 60.13%, and accredited as MPPA as per APA/MPPA Accreditation Scheme.

3. Scope Coverage:

MPPA	Preparation of Comprehensive Mining Plan/Mining Project Report (PR), Pre-feasibility Report (PFR) / Feasibility Report Preparation
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4. Status of Experts:

S.No.	Human Resource (Number of experts Applied/Approved)	IH		EMP		TOTAL	
		Applied	Approved/ Accepted	Applied	Approved/ Accepted	Applied	Approved/ Accepted
1	Project Coordinator/s(PC)	1	1	0	0	1	1
2	Technical Area Expert/s(TAE)	5	5	2	2	7	7
	Total	6	6	2	2	8	8

4.1. Approved Project Coordinator/s (PC):

S.No.	Name	Approval status		Remarks
		Technical Area Approved	Status	
In-house				
1.	Mahesh Kumar Thapar	Mining Engineering (ME)	Yes	-

4.2. Approved Technical Areas Expert/s (TAE):

S.No.	Name	Approval status		Remarks
		Technical Area Approved	Status	
In-house				
1.	Gurjit Singh Bhatia	Mining Geology (MG)	Yes	-
2.	Ramesh Khanna	Mining Engineering (ME)	Yes	-
3.	Naresh Mohan Sharma	Socio Economics (SE)	Yes	-
		Civil Electrical & Mechanical (CEM)- Civil	Yes	-
4.	Bal Krishna Sharma	Environment Health & Safety (EHS)	Yes	-
5.	Gundala Venkat Rao	Civil Electrical & Mechanical (CEM)- Electrical	Yes	-
Empanelled				
1.	Narendra Pratap Singh	Remote Sensing & GIS (RS)	Yes	-
2.	Sushil Kumar Behl	Marketing & Finance (M & F)	Yes	-

The meeting ended with a vote of thanks to the Chair.

Issued by
A K Jha
Senior Director
QCI-NABET

Abbreviations:

AO	Applicant Organization
ACO	Accredited Consultant Organization
IA	Initial Accreditation
PC	Project Coordinator
TAE	Technical Area Expert
TM	Team Member
NC	Non- Conformance
Obs	Observation
ToR	Terms of Reference
OFI	Opportunity for Improvement