

QUALITY COUNCIL OF INDIA

NATIONAL ACCREDITATION BOARD FOR EDUCATION AND TRAINING

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

Accreditation Committee Meeting for Initial Assessment held on 11/01/2023 and the following members were present during the meeting:

1.	Prof B B Dhar	Chairman
2.	Mr. V K Kaul	Member
3.	Mr. B N Phuloria	Member
4.	Dr. Satya Prakash	Member
5.	Mr. Manindra Satyamurty	Member

Dr. Dipankar Saha, Prof. T.N. Singh & Mr. Arun Kapoor - Members expressed their inability to attend the meeting.

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

1.0. Initial Accreditation: Following case was discussed and decisions taken thereof are-

1.1. Kartikay Exploration and Mining Services Private Limited, Nagpur

Kartikay Exploration and Mining Services Private Limited, Nagpur has scored 59%, and accredited as APA as per APA/MPPA Accreditation Scheme.

1.1.1. Marks obtained in various aspects of Initial Assessment

Sl. No.	Aspect	Marks Scored	Out of
1.	Quality and performance of personnel		
	i. Project Coordinator/s	07	10
	ii. Technical Area Expert/s	12 (Average)	20
2.	Infrastructure, P & M, adequate Software (SW) and Hardware (HW)	11	20
3.	Field investigations and laboratory systems to ensure data integrity	11	20
4.	Coverage and Quality of Geological Report (GR)/ Exploration Assignments	09	15
5.	Quality Management System	09	15
	Total	59	100
	Overall Score	59%	

1.1.2. Scope Coverage

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

S.No.	Human Resource (No.)	IH		EMP		TOTAL	
		Applied	Approved/ Accepted	Applied	Approved/ Accepted	Applied	Approved/ Accepted
1	Project Coordinator/s(PC)	2	1	0	0	2	1
2	Technical Area Expert/s(TAE)	1	1	5	4	6	5
3	Team Member (TM)	1	1	NA	NA	1	1
	Total	4	3	5	4	9	7

1.1.4. Approved Project Coordinator/s (PC)

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

1.1.5. Approved Technical Areas Expert/s (TAE)

S.No.	Name	Approval status		Remarks
		Technical Area Approved	Status	
In-house				
1.	Nitin Kohad	Geology (GEO)	Yes	-
		Hydrogeology (HG)	Yes	-
Empaneled				
2.	Arvind Kumar Dixit	Geology (GEO)	Yes	-
3.	Bommu Narasimha Rao	Geophysics (GP)	Yes	-
4.	Ritesh Ramesh Kakade	Remote Sensing & GIS (RS)	Yes	-
5.	Kashi Nath Bhaumik	Surveying (SUR)	Yes	-

1.1.6. Approved Team Member/s (TM)

S.No.	Name	Approval status		Remarks
		Technical Area Approved	Status	
In-house				
1.	Jadhav Dileep Kumar	Geology (GEO)	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 of Improvement