

## 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 Accreditation held on 18/11/2021 and the following members were present during the meeting:

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

Dr. Dipankar Saha & Mr. Manindra Satyamurty - Members expressed their inability to attend the meeting.

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

**1.0. Initial Accreditation:** Following cases were discussed and decisions taken thereof are-

#### 1.1. The Singareni Collieries Company Limited (A Government Company), Khamma

The Singareni Collieries Company Limited (A Government Company), Khamma has **scored 76.63%**, and **accredited as MPPA 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	8.10	10
	ii. Technical Area Expert/s	14.23 (Average)	20
2.	Infrastructure, P & M, adequate Software (SW) and Hardware (HW)	23.75	30
3.	Coverage and Quality of Mining Plan / Mining Assignments	11.75	15
4.	Quality Management System	18.80	25
	<b>Total</b>	<b>76.63</b>	<b>100</b>
	<b>Overall Score</b>	<b>76.63%</b>	

##### 1.1.2. Scope Coverage

##### 1.1.3. Number of Experts applied and approved:

MPPA	Preparation of Comprehensive Mining Plan/Mining Project Report (PR), Pre-feasibility Report (PFR) / Feasibility Report Preparation
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S.No.	Human Resource (No.)	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)	16	14	0	0	16	14
3	Team Member (TM)	10	8	NA	NA	10	8
	<b>Total</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>23</b>

#### 1.1.4. Approved Project Coordinator/s (PC)

S.No.	Name	Approval status		Remarks
		Technical Area Approved	Status	
<b>In-house</b>				
1.	Vasamsetty Srinivasa Rao	Mining Engineering (ME)	Yes	-

#### 1.1.5. Approved Technical Areas Expert/s (TAE)

S.No.	Name	Approval status		Remarks
		Technical Area Approved	Status	
<b>In-house</b>				
1.	Pala Srinivas	Mining Engineering (ME)	Yes	-
2.	P Surender Raju	Mining Engineering (ME)	Yes	-
3.	Bollam Veerraju	Mining Geology (MG)	Yes	-
4.	Rajeswar Vemula	Mining Geology (MG)	Yes	-
5.	Vinay Chand Kattagani	Remote Sensing & GIS (RS)	Yes	-
6.	Sarikonda Venkata Muralidhar Raju	Civil Electrical & Mechanical (CEM)- Mechanical	Yes	-
7.	Meda Venkateswarlu	Civil Electrical & Mechanical (CEM)- Civil	Yes	-
8.	A Guru Mohana Prasada Rao	Civil Electrical & Mechanical (CEM)- Electrical	Yes	-
9.	Kamireddy Hana Sumalatha	Marketing & Finance (M & F)	Yes	With Observation.
10.	Thota Sathyanarayana	Socio Economics (SE)	Yes	-
11.	Raghava KBVSS	Socio Economics (SE)	Yes	-
12.	Ch Venkatesh	Environment Health & Safety (EHS)	Yes	-
13.	Rajendar Garuvandula	Geotechnical (optional) (GT)	Yes	-
14.	Podicheti Ravi Kiran	Environment Health & Safety (EHS)	Yes	-

### 1.1.6. Team Member (TM)

S.No.	Name	Technical Area Approved	Status	Remarks
<b>In-house</b>				
1.	Praveen Vikram Kodam	Mining Engineering (ME)	Yes	-
2.	Mukthar Ahmed	Mining Engineering (ME)	Yes	-
3.	Hari Prasad Tangallapally	Mining Engineering (ME)	Yes	-
4.	M Gangadhar	Mining Engineering (ME)	Yes	-
5.	Chinadm Srinivas	Mining Engineering (ME)	Yes	-
6.	Paindla Siva Kumar	Mining Engineering (ME)	Yes	-
7.	M Suresh	Mining Engineering (ME)	Yes	-
8.	Miriyala Ravindranath	Mining Engineering (ME)	Yes	-

### 1.2. Mining Associates Private Limited , burdwan

Mining Associates Private Limited, burdwan has scored **63.95%**, and accredited as APA as per **APA/MPPA Accreditation Scheme**.

#### 1.2.1. Marks obtained in various aspects of Initial Assessment

Sl. No.	Aspect	Marks Scored	Out of
1.	Quality and performance of personnel		
	iii. Project Coordinator/s	6.0	10
	iv. Technical Area Expert/s	12.0 (Average)	20
2.	Infrastructure, P & M, adequate Software (SW) and Hardware (HW)	12.0	20
3.	Field investigations and laboratory systems to ensure data integrity	13.0	20
4.	Coverage and Quality of Geological Report (GR)/ Exploration Assignments	11.50	15
5.	Quality Management System	9.45	15
	<b>Total</b>	<b>63.95</b>	<b>100</b>
	<b>Overall Score</b>	<b>63.95%</b>	

#### 1.2.2. Scope Coverage

APA	Preparation of Comprehensive Geological Report (GR)
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### 1.2.3. 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)	1	1	0	0	1	1
2	Technical Area Expert/s(TAE)	3	2	7	6	10	8
3	Team Member (TM)	5	5	NA	NA	5	5
	<b>Total</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>14</b>

### 1.2.4. Approved Project Coordinator/s (PC)

S.No.	Name	Approval status		Remarks
		Technical Area Approved	Status	
<b>In-house</b>				
1.	Naba Kisor Dutta	Geology (GEO)	Yes	-

### 1.2.5. Approved Technical Areas Expert/s (TAE)

S.No.	Name	Approval status		Remarks
		Technical Area Approved	Status	
<b>In-house</b>				
1.	Rajesh Dey	Geology (GEO)	Yes	-
2.	Ramesh Singh	Geophysics (GP)	Yes	-
<b>Empanelled</b>				
1.	Arup Kumar Das	Geophysics (GP)	Yes	-
2.	Manish Kumar Jha	Remote Sensing & GIS (RS)	Yes	-
3.	Rajesh Dhiralal Shah	Geology (GEO)	Yes	-
4.	Sanjeev Kumar	Surveying (SUR)	Yes	-
5.	Shailendra Nath Sinha	Hydrogeology (HG)	Yes	-
6.	Subhojit - Sardar	Surveying (SUR)	Yes	-

### 1.2.6. Team Member (TM)

S.No.	Name	Technical Area Approved	Status	Remarks
<b>In-house</b>				
1.	Raj Niwas Mishra	Geology (GEO)	Yes	-
2.	Dheerendra Kumar Mishra	Geology (GEO)	Yes	-
3.	Joydeep Dutta	Geology (GEO)	Yes	-
4.	Arindam Roy	Geology (GEO)	Yes	-
5.	Subhayan Neogi	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