## Minutes held on 15-11-2021 in office of the Commissioner of Geology and Mining, Gandhinagar

## **Minutes of Meeting**

A meeting was held at 11:0 AM on 15/11/2021 in O/o the Commissioner of Geology & Mines, Gandhinagar to discuss the preparation of Asset Accounts of Minerals & Non-renewable Energy Resources of Gujarat State.

IA&AD members		O/o the CGM members	
SI. No.	Name & Post	SI. No.	Name & Post
1	Shri Saji Thomas, IAAS, Sr. Dy. A. G.	1	Shri D. M. Solanki, Additional Director (Development)
2	Smt. Annie Jeejo, Sr.A.O.	2	Shri H.P. Patel, Additional Director (Exploration)
3	Shri Amit Biswas, Sr.A.O.	3.	Shri M.R. Wala, Sr. Geologist &representative of IMD
4	Shri Kanishka Vyas, A.A.O.	4	Shri B.M. Jadhav, Accounts Officer
5	Shri Rajeet Kumar, A.A.O.(Audit- II)	5	Shri Yash Joshi, Asstt. Geologist
6	Shri Ravinder Kumar, Actt.	6	Shri Vipul Solanki, Asstt. Geologist

Following members participated in the above meeting:

The highlights of the meeting are as under:

- 1. The CGM office informed the availability of Opening Balance of Major & Minor Mineral for the year 2009 and assured to provide the same along with the Dispatch figures of the subsequent years (up to 2019-20) to enable this office to reach the opening balance as on 1/04/2020.
- 2. The CGM office also agreed to provide the bifurcation i.e. extraction by Government, Private or other sectors. Further, it was also informed that the end use of minerals may not be provided as they are only concerned with the revenue collection and end use is out of jurisdiction of their office.
- 3. The CGM office also informed that in cases of illegal mining, they charge the Royalty & Environmental Compensation. The data for the same shall be provided shortly.
- 4. It was informed that as per Mineral Development & Conservation Rules, Major Minerals are under the ambit of Indian Bureau of Mines while the CGM office covers

the minor Mineral of State. However, CGM office also monitors the Major Minerals for different purposes one being the prevention of illegal mining.

- It was informed that a well-established Integrated Lease Management System and Flying Squad under O/o the CGM is in operation for payment & production monitoring. A write up on the same shall be provided to this office.
- 6. It was informed that Gujarat Mineral Development Corporation has a limited role of extraction provided by CGM Office and for the purpose of data related to Asset Accounts; the CGM Office shall be a better choice.
- 7. The CGM office was requested to actively participate in Monthly virtual meetings conducted by GASAB.

Further, the Officers of CGM expressed their inconvenience caused by other engagements i.e. Vibrant Gujarat etc and assured to provide the required data within a period of one month.

Thereafter, Sr. D.A.G. and Sr.A.O. paid a courtesy visit to Shri Roopwant Singh, CGM. The CGM ensured full cooperation for the purpose and directed the offices of CGM Office to coordinate and furnish the required data.