

**MINUTES OF THE MEETING DATED: 09.08.2019 REGARDING COMPETITIVE /BLOCKS FOR EXPLORATION AND BLOCKS OF PLACER GOLD**

The meeting was held under chairmanship of Director General Mines & Minerals on 09.08.2019 at 02:00pm in GIS Lab of Directorate General Mines & Minerals. The chair welcomed all the participant. Following officers attended the meeting:

1. Mr. Hameed Ullah (Director General Mines & Minerals)
2. Engr. Fazal Wahid (Add. Director General Mines & Mineral)
3. Engr. Yaqoob Nawaz (Director Licensing North)
4. Engr. Irshad Afridi (Director Licensing South)
5. Engr. Aamir Muhammad (Director Exploration)
6. Dr. Muhammad Sajid (Assistant Professor, Deptt of Geology UOP)
7. Dr. Khan Muhammad (Assistant Professor/Mining, UET Peshawar)
8. Dr. Safi ur Rehman (Assistant Professor/Mining. KIU Gilgit)
9. Col (r) Muhammad Shahid (Member KP-BOIT)
10. Engr. Muhammad Asif Khan (Deputy Director, Federal BOI, Peshawar)
11. Mr. Attique Ahmed (Assistant Director Geologist)

The meeting was started with recitation of few verses from Holy Quran. Director Exploration delivered the detailed briefing to chair and all the attendees. After the briefing the chair invited all the participants to open discussion.

The legality & issues regarding the blocks in light of current law (i.e. Mineral Sector Governance Act-2017) was explained in detail by the Director Licensing. The members from academia inquired about all data on hand. The members were informed that DGMM have only stream sediment analysis data that was handed over to this department by then SDA. The data was collected under AustAid funded project. Later on same was further studied with consultant provided by world bank and these blocks were delineated after analysis of the available data.

Members from academia showed their concern regarding scarcity of data for even proposing the block for exploration. The members were informed that as these has been already showcased via print media in 2015, so now it's not possible to drop these blocks from consideration.

Members from Board of Investment (Federal & Provincial) also added that whenever they showcase these blocks, the interested investor demands some tangible pre-feasibility / feasibility report to study the potential of areas/blocks.

Members from academia afford a helping hand, free of cost to up grad the available reports and to put in some latest information that can be acquired through remote sensing and with the help of some new technological approaches. In order to make the reports more valuable and up to the standard of age. Auction of Placer Gold Blocks were also come in detail discussion and points of focus were to fix the reserve price and acreage for each block, already delineated by the department. In response to it, the Academia raised that, first they will look to the reports (already provided by National Centre of Excellence in Geology (NCEG)) in detail and then will be in position to fix any reserve price and feasible acreage for each block.

It was decided that DGMM will provide all available record to academia/ members, so that toP have a tangible informative feasibility report. Alongside with this all members will also give their views/ comments on the shared ToR's before next meeting is called. The meeting was ended with vote of thanks from and to the chair.

**Assistant Director Geologist  
For Director General**



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Dated 25/05/2019

## OFFICE ORDER

The Competent Authority/Director General Mines and Minerals has been pleased to constitute a committee comprising of the following:

1. Director General Mines and Minerals Chairman
2. Dr. Hamid School of Advance Geo-Mechanical Engineering NUST, Risalpur Member
3. Directors Licensing, North, South & Center, H/Q office Peshawar. Member(s)
4. Dr. Khan Muhammad, Assistant Professor, Mining Engineering Department UET Peshawar. Member
5. Dr. Muhammad Sajid, Assistant Professor, Geology Department, University of Peshawar. Member
6. Dr. Safi Ur Rehman, Assistant Professor, Head of Mining Engineering Department, Karakoram International University, Gilgit Baltistan. Member
7. Director Exploration, H/Q office Peshawar. Member
8. Atique Ahmad, Assistant Director (Geologist) Abbottabad office. Member -cum- Secretary

## TERMS OF REFERENCE

1. To review existing data /literature available with Directorate General Mines and Minerals pertaining to metallic minerals blocks reserved for competitive bidding in Hazara and Malakand division in order to:
  - a. devise a comprehensive mechanism for competitive bidding of these blocks.
  - b. to determine detail TORs for Competitive bidding.

2. To devise a comprehensive plan/strategy for auction of placer gold blocks already reserved for auction on the basis of studies, carried by National Center of Excellence in Geology, University of Peshawar in order to:
  - a. to give recommendations for fixation of reserve price of the placer gold blocks.
  - b. to provide guideline on the formulation of economical blocks of placer gold deposits in the study area.

The Committee shall submit its report within two months.

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**Director General Mines and Minerals  
Khyber Pakhtunkhwa**

Dated 23 /05/2019

Endst.No. 10272-75 DGMM/6/10/Admin

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1. PS to Minister for Minerals Development Khyber Pakhtunkhwa
2. PS to Secretary Minerals Development Department Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.
3. PA to Director General Mines and Minerals Khyber Pakhtunkhwa.
- ✓ 4. All members of the Committee.

  
**Assistant Director (Admin)  
For Director General**





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No. 20210-18/MDW/CDN-6(5)/2017 Placer Gold

Dated 16/09/2019

To,

1. Dr. Hamid, School of Advance Geo-Mechanical Engineering NUST, Risalpur
2. Director Licensing-North, South and, Center H/Q Office Peshawar
3. Dr. Khan Muhammad, Assistant Professor, Mining Engineering Department, UET, Peshawar
4. Dr. Muhammad Sajid, Assistant Professor, Geology Department, University of Peshawar.
5. Safi Ur Rehman Assistant Professor, Head of mining Engineering Department, Karakoram International University, Gilgit
6. Mr. Asif, Federal Board of Investment & Trade Islamabad, Peshawar Office.
7. Member, Khyber Pakhtunkhwa Board of Investment & Trade Peshawar.

Subject: - **MINUTES OF THE MEETING DATED 09-08-2019 REDARGING COMPETITIVE BIDDING BLOCKS FOR EXPLORATION LICENSE AND BLOCKS OF PLACER GOLD**

I am directed to encoded herewith minutes of the meeting dated 09-08-2019 (for information and further necessary action at your end please.

Note: The desired reports have already been forwarded to you via Email please.


  
Assistant Director (Geologist)  
For Director General

Endst No. \_\_\_\_\_/MDW/CDN-6(5)/2017 Placer Gold

Dated \_\_\_\_/09/2019

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- 1.P.A. to Director General Mines & Minerals, Peshawar.
2. Director Exploration, H/Q Office Peshawar.
3. Mr. Attique Ahmad, Assistant Director (Geologist) Abbottabad Office.

  
Assistant Director (Geologist)  
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31 October 2019

To: Mr. Dr. Noor Muhammad  
Dept. of Mining Engineering,  
UET Peshawar

Subject: Release of Consultancy Remuneration

Telecom conversation b/w GM (MEDO) & Dr. Khan Muhammad dated 30 October 2019 referred.

1. With reference to your letter no. 1075/Min dated 12 Jul 2019, the detail of payment is attached as per **Anx-A**.
2. Please Acknowledge.

  
Colonel (Retired)  
For Director General  
(Zaafir Nisar)

Copy to:-

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