

MOST URGENT

No-16/15/2021-Mines VI
Government of India
Ministry of Mines

Shastri Bhawan, New Delhi
dated, 12th August, 2021

To

- 1. Principal Secretaries / Commissioner/ Mining in-charge of all States/UTs**
- 2. Controller General, Indian Bureau of Mines**
- 3. DG, GSI**
- 4. Senior Director, QCI-NABET**

Sub: Guidelines for notification of accredited private exploration agencies under the second proviso to sub-section (1) of section 4 of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957.

Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith an order dated 12.08.2021 regarding guidelines for notification of accredited private exploration agencies under the second proviso to sub-section (1) of section (4) of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 for information and necessary action please.

2. In this context, it is requested that wide publicity to the above guidelines may be given through various communication medium in order to facilitate maximum participation from private exploration agencies.
3. This issue with the approval of COMPETENT AUTHORITY.

Encl: As above

Yours faithfully,



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Copy to:

- (i) Joint Secretary (Exploration), Ministry of Mines
- (ii) Director (Technical) / Director (NMET)
- (iii) Director (NIC), Ministry of Mines with the request to upload the same on the website of the Ministry of Mines.