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NOTIFICATION

No.MII-152(11)/62 - In exercise of the powers conferred by section 13 of the Mines and Minerals (Regulation and Development) Act, 1957 (67 of 1957), the Central Government hereby makes the following rules further to amend the Mineral Concession Rules, 1960, namely:-

1. These rules may be called the Mineral Concession (Fourth Amendment) Rules, 1963.
2. In the Mineral Concession Rules, 1960, after clause (n) of sub-rule (1) of rule 27, the following clause shall be inserted, namely:-

"(o) In respect of any mineral which in relation to its use for certain purposes is classified as a major mineral and in relation to its use for other purposes as a minor mineral, the lessee who holds a lease for extraction of such mineral under these rules whether or not it is specified as a major mineral in the lease deed, shall not use or sell the mineral or knowingly allow any one to use or sell the mineral or deal with it in whatsoever manner as a minor mineral."

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Provided that if on an application made to it in this behalf by the lessee, the State Government is satisfied that having regard to the inferior quality of such mineral, it cannot be used for any of the purposes by reason of which use it can be called a major mineral or that there is no market for such mineral as a major mineral, the State Government may by order permit the lessee to dispose of the mineral in such quantity and in such manner as may be specified therein as a minor mineral."

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