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Government of Orissa, Revenue & Disaster Management Department.

No.MM-17/11-

/RDM., Dated:

From

Shri R.K.Sharma, IAS,

Commissioner-cum-Secretary to Government.

To

All Collectors.

Sub:

Action to be taken for illegal / unauthorized

mining operation in the State.

Madam/Sir,

In inviting a reference to the subject cited above, I am desired to say that there have been reports of mines owners extending their quarry operation unauthorisedly over Government land not allotted to them in auction basis or other permissible mode. Such unauthorized mining operations cannot take place without negligence or collusion of the field revenue officials like Revenue Inspectors and Tahasildars. It is duty of these field revenue officials to protect Government property and detect any unauthorised quarrying.

Government have been pleased to direct that the local Tahasildar and Revenue Inspectors will be held accountable and responsible for any unauthorised/illegal quarrying operation. Stringent action including departmental proceedings should be taken against the Tahasildars and Revenue Inspectors in such cases.

This may be brought to the notice of all concerned.

Yours faithfully,

Commissioner-cum-Secretary to Government.

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Under Secretary to Government.

Memo No. /RDM., dt.

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