

Government of West Bengal  
Department of Industry, Commerce & Enterprises  
Mines Branch

4, Abanindra Nath Tagore Sarani (Canning Street), Kolkata-16

ORDER

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CO/MS/19/GEN-MS/16/2356Pt 1

Dated, Kolkata, the 7<sup>th</sup> February, 2018

Whereas the State Government observes that mining is going on in different categories / classification of land without obtaining the conversion certificate as required under section 4(C) of the West Bengal Land Reforms Act, 1955 (hereinafter referred to as the said Act) as amended up to date.

And whereas it is felt that precautionary steps are needed before allowing mining to be commenced / operative in future (areas);

Now, therefore, it is hereby ordered that no mining shall commence without obtaining conversion certificate under section 4(C) of the said Act;

Further, it is hereby also ordered that the mining that has already been commenced shall be required to apply for conversion order section 4(C) of the said Act within one month from issuance of this Order else, mining activities shall be suspended/ closed by the district authority concerned.

This order is issued in concurrence with the Land & Land Reforms and Refugee Relief & Rehabilitation Department and this will take immediate effect.

Principal Secretary to the Government of West Bengal

No. 78/324-C/O/MS/GEN-MS/16/2356Pt 1

Dated, Kolkata, the 7<sup>th</sup> February, 2018

Copy forwarded for information and necessary action to the:

1. District Magistrate & Collector (All)
2. ADM BELLUR, (A)
3. PS to the Principal Secretary, Department of L&LR and ER&R

A. DAI (LR)  
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Deputy Secretary