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To:

All Licensees for Possession and Use of Explosives.

Dear Sir,

It has come to the notice of this office that Shot firers/ blasters get explosives issued from magazines of licensees for possession for use of explosives and on some occasions shot firers store the explosives at un-authorized place. Keeping explosives at unauthorized place not only constitutes gross violation of provisions of Explosives Act and Rules but also poses serious threat to human life and property. Recently, in one such incident massive explosion had occurred which resulted in major loss of human life and property. In this matter following guidelines are given for strict compliance with immediate effect.

- 1. The licensee for possession for use of explosives shall generate "Pass for Use in RE-13" through PESO online Explosives Return System (ERS).
- 2. Licensee himself or his authorised person shall transport explosives as per RE-13 to the blasting site in licensed explosives van and safely use the explosives through the authorised shot firer/ blaster. The licensee or his authorised person shall be present during blasting operations at site and the left over explosives if any shall be brought back and deposited in the magazine before sunset as per Rule90(4) of the Explosives Rules 2008. Please note that during transportation of explosives detonators should not be transported with other explosives.
- 3. The explosives issued for blasting shall be accompanied with Pass for use (RE-13) during its transport.
- 4. In case of pilferage/diversion of explosives issued for blasting, total responsibility of the same shall rest with occupier and the authorised person/shot firer.
- 5. The licensee for possession and use of explosives shall maintain complete record of use of explosives.

- 6. All safety measures and provisions of Rules 89 to 98 of the above said Rules and conditions of licence in Form LE-3 shall be strictly complied with during use of explosives.
- 7. In no circumstances explosives shall be sold to the blaster/ shot firer.
- 8. Blasting operations in mines shall be carried out as per Mines Act, 1952.
- 9. Blasting operations in areas other that mines, shall be carried out by a shot firer holding valid certificate issued by PESO.
- 10. In no case a shot firer shall carry out blasting in mines area on the strength of certificate issued in form LE-10 by PESO.
- 11. Ammonium Nitrate shall not be used for blasting either alone or in combination with other ingredients unless permitted under the Explosives Rules, 2008.
- 12. Do's and Don'ts in respect of storage, use & transport of explosives is enclosed for ready reference.

Please acknowledge the receipt.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/[Dr. S. Kamal]
Chief Controller of Explosives

Copy to the

- 1. District Authorities.
- 2. Superintendent of Police.