

Guidelines/ Terms and Conditions for registration of Transport Contractors, Tipper trucks, Machineries and Barges for effective monitoring of mining traffic.

1. Transport Contractor has to be registered with the Directorate of Mines and Geology in terms of Rule 6 of the Goa (Prevention of Illegal Mining, Storage and Transportation of Mineral) Rules 2013.
 - a. A Transport Contractor has to pay Rs.50000/- towards registration to the Directorate of Mines and Geology, Institute Menezes Braganza Building, Ground Floor, Panaji-Goa.
 - b. A Transport Contractor shall be of a Goan Origin having minimum 15 years of residence in Goa, preferably from the mining areas.
 - c. In case a Partnership firm a minimum of 51% of Partners shall be of Goan Origin and have 15 years residence in Goa on the date of application.
 - d. In case of Limited companies minimum of 51% of the Directors shall be of Goan origin and should have 15 years of residence in Goa on date of application.
 - e. Only those trucks/tippers registered with the mines Department through Goa Electronic Ltd. and allotted a number by GEL shall be used by a Transport Contractor. .
 - f. The Transport Contractor shall ensure all Machineries/Tippers/Trucks registered with mining Department shall be fitted with Vehicle Tracking System (VTS) and that the service charges of VTS are borne by him. They will also ensure that registration fees as prescribed under Rule 20 of the said rules 2013 are paid to the mining Department.

- g. Transport Contractor either will register themselves either in North Goa District or South Goa District and not at both places. In case of inter-district transportation the Director of Mines and Geology will decide and permit the same upon application received for such transportation and upon such conditions imposed by Director of Mines and Geology.
- h. The Transport Contractor shall have minimum of 200 tippers/trucks under him and maximum of 1000 tipper/truck under him.
- i. For the limited purpose of e-auctioning of ore, no mining company/lessee/exporter/consumer/end-user shall be allowed to be registered as a transport contractor.
- j. Each transport contractor has to pay transportation charges as fixed by the Government to the Truck owner.
- k. The barges proposed to be used for transportation of ore shall be registered in terms of Rule 20 of the Goa (Prevention of Illegal Mining, Storage and transportation of Mineral) Rules 2013 on payment of Rs. 10000/- to the Directorate of Mines and Geology.
- l. Area of works for movement of e-auctioned ore shall be decided by the Government.
- m. Transport Contractor shall ensure equitable distribution of the business and ensure that the timing and other requirements as per the direction of Director of Mines and Geology or Director of Transport from time to time are complied with.
- n. The Transport Contractor should not have any criminal matter pending against him.
- o. The Transport Contractor who were part of illegal transport prior to the ban will not be registered.
- p. Department reserves the right to accept/register a contractor.