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To, CEO,

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Goa Investment Promotion and Facilitation Board (IPB), Panaji-Goa.

Madam,

With regards to the information sought regarding online services, details are submitted as under:-

Name of Service	Procedure to apply	Timeline
Issue of letter of intent in case of fresh lease (for environmental clearance category B2 –Less than 5 Acres)	- In Case of minor minerals applications in form A under Rule 5 which are complete in all respects, are scrutinized and sent to survey section to ascertain if the applied area is "FREE FOR GRANT" after inspection by geologists to ascertain presence of the minor mineral in applied area and approval of competent authority letter is issued to the applicant informing him to submit Environmental Clearance as per Rule 7(1) of Goa Minor Mineral Concession Rules, 1985.	There is no statutory timeline prescribed however applications under rule 5 complete in all respects are issued letter to obtain EC in 60 days from submission.

NOC for soil
excavation/Filling

- Permission for hill cutting/ land filling if any to be obtained from Town and Country planning department.
- Exemption may be sought under rule 53 of Goa Minor Mineral Concession Rules, 1985.
- 53. Exemption:- Nothing contained in these rules shall apply to the extraction of minor mineral or minerals which-may, be found in the course of building of any structure or road or opening wells by any person provided, :however, that royalty at the rates specified in Schedule I shall be payable on the minor mineral so extracted by him.

There is no statutory timeline prescribed however applications under rule 53 complete in all respects are disposed within 60 days of submission.

Thanking You,

Yours sincerely,

(Abhir Hede)

Dy. Director-II of Mines and Geology

