

Conference

# ODISHA MINERALS & METALS INDUSTRY

*- Exploring Opportunities & Addressing Concerns -*

09:00 AM | 18<sup>th</sup> November 2022 | Hotel Pal Heights, Bhubaneswar

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### INTRODUCTION

Mining is one of the core sectors that drive growth in an economy. Not only does it contribute to GDP but also acts as a catalyst for the growth of other core industries like power, steel, cement, etc., which, in turn, are critical for the overall development of the economy. The Government of India has taken various measures like which would have a major positive impact on development of India Mining Industry. These measures has resulted into simplification of procedures and avoidance of delay in the mining sector in the country and will provide an enabling environment for the investors and at the same time bring a balance by providing appropriate measures to address social and environmental concerns, also to ensure that the investors get social license to operate.

Odisha with its bountiful natural resources has always been the favourite investment destination for the mining industry. Odisha's rich mineral reserves constitute major minerals like Bauxite, Iron ore, coal, manganese, and Chromite. The Government of Orissa has been making several efforts for attracting investment in the sector by designing favourable policy and providing numerous incentives to the prospective investors in the State. These policy initiatives will no doubt have positive impact on social wellbeing of the adjoining population in the state by taking due care of the environmental issues.

However, state government also have an important role to track the adherence of time frame associated with various clearances of mineral block such as environmental & forests, mining plan, land acquisition etc.

To discuss the above and the related issues, **ASSOCHAM is organizing a Conference on 'Odisha Minerals & Metals Industry- Exploring Opportunities & Addressing Concerns' on 18<sup>th</sup> November 2022 in Hotel Pal Heights, Bhubaneswar.**

### OBJECTIVE

The objective of the conference is to discuss the opportunities in Minerals and Metals Industry and key issues affecting the Mines and Mineral sector in the state of Odisha and would be a platform for exchange of ideas by various stakeholders.

### PAST GLIMPSES





## KEY ISSUE

- Overview of Minerals & Metals Sector in Odisha
- Ease of doing business in Odisha and recent minerals sector amendments
- Mineral & Metal Sectors: Industrial Vision 2047 and Role of Odisha
- Creating Single Window Mechanism for acquiring approval and clearances to operationalize the mines post auction
- Sustainable cost competitive supply of minerals to the Metals Industry
- Analysis of Steel and Aluminum industry in the state
- Status of iron ore mining in Odisha
- Critical and rare earth minerals- Demand, Supply and Trade
- Use of digital tools and technological innovation of mineral sector growth
- Responsible Mining – For carbon neutral growth
- Critical review of bauxite mining
- Building Cost-effective and Efficient Mineral Logistics system: For first mile and last-mile connectivity
- Beneficiation of Low and Lean Grade Iron Ore Resources
- Success stories from promoting investments in mining sector in the State



## TARGET AUDIENCE

- Domestic & International Mining Companies
- Representatives from mineral rich states
- Government departments and agencies
- Managers from private and public sector
- Agencies engaged in geological surveys
- Mineral processors & consumers
- Heavy equipment suppliers
- Technology providers
- R & D institutions & Technology providers
- Project managers & Environment Engineers
- Environment engineers
- Logistics and Shipping Companies
- Consultants & Traders
- Banks & Financial institutions

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