

भारत सरकार  
Govt. of India  
श्रम एवं रोजगार मंत्रालय  
Ministry of Labour & Employment  
खान सुरक्षा महानिदेशालय  
Directorate-General of Mines Safety

No. S 66021/04/2011-Genl/ **RP-497** /Dhanbad, dated **20/05/2014**

From:  
The Director General of Mines Safety  
DGMS, Dhanbad

To  
M/s Prosafe International Pvt. Ltd.  
E-345, RIICO Industrial Area,  
Bhiwadi – 301019  
Rajasthan

Sub: **Renewal of Approval of Leather Safety footwear brand 'Black Steel' with PU sole (Direct injected process) of design 'A' and design 'B' manufactured by M/s Prosafe International Pvt. Ltd for use in mines.**

Dear Sir,

Please refer to your letter no. PIPL/DGMS/040714 dated 07.04.2014 on the above subject.

In view of the difficulties expressed by you, I, by virtue of powers conferred on me under Regulation 191 of the Coal Mines Regulations, 1957, Regulation 182 of the Metalliferous Mines Regulations, 1961 and Regulation 87 of Oil Mines Regulation, 1984 hereby grant renewal of approval of Leather Safety footwear brand 'Black Steel' with PU sole (Direct injected process) of design 'A' and design 'B' for a period of two years i.e., from **17.04.2014 to 16.04.2016** subject to compliance with the conditions stipulated vide this Directorate's letter No. S 66021/04/2011-Genl/1096 dated 17.04.2012 with the following additional conditions :

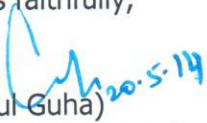
1. The approval holds good so long as a valid BIS License for the product for use of BIS certification mark as per latest amendments, if any, is held.
2. A statement of the supplies made to mines along with their addresses at the time of renewal of approval for obtaining performance report in prescribed format – VM shall be submitted along with fresh test report of the footwear in accordance with IS 15298 (Part-2): 2011 / ISO 20345: 2004 (amended in June, 2012).
3. Each boot shall be permanently marked with manufacturer's name/model, year & month of manufacture, relevant standard, safety or protective boot, any other statutory marking to be made inside of Tongue or at top outer face of the boot so that least damage during mining operation occurs.

4. Each pair of boot shall be supplied with information in English and Hindi as follows:

- (i) This footwear is not a GREEN footwear and is not BIO-DEGRADABLE.
- (ii) This footwear is not recommended for use in fire prone or in hot surface area.
- (iii) Name and full address of manufacturer
- (iv) Detail of customer care service provider
- (v) Instruction for storage and maintenance
- (vi) Drying procedure of wet Boots and cleaning of Boots for proper service
- (vii) Obsolescence dead line or period of obsolescence.

5. The product shall be tested at any Govt. approved laboratory whenever standard of testing regime changes and the approval is revalidated from this Directorate under the new/revised testing standard (s).

Yours faithfully,

  
(Rahul Guha)

Director General of Mines Safety  
DGMS, Dhanbad.