



**Subject:** Assessment report of Exploitation license granting process to Metal Mining UK Company.

**Introduction:**

This assessment report is prepared in the subject to evaluates the mining licensing process to the Metal Mining UK Company which were applied for contract of Chromite mine of Badam area, Maidan Wardak province to ensure that the exploitation licensing process to the mentioned company has been carried out in accordance with applicable laws and regulations.

**Legal Procedures:**

The license allocation process is held base on Minerals Law 1387 and Mining regulation.

**Legal Procedures in the practice:**

Based on the bidding process in accordance with Article No. 15 of Mineral Law 1387, the mining contract has been signed with **Metal Mining UK Company** on 10/9/1391 for 10 years.

After conducting exploration activities, the company submitted its final exploration report to the Ministry of Mines and Petroleum on (19/02/1395), via which the company applied for an exploitation license. The Exploration report of the company was evaluated and approved on (12/02/1396).

The company submitted its exploitation plan to the Ministry of Mines and Petroleum, the exploitation plan of the mentioned company had been evaluated in accordance with Article (30) of the Minerals Law of 1387.

In general, the above-mentioned exploitation plan for the above-mentioned mine is approved.

Based on the above mentioned article the company paid USD 5,000 for exploitation license fee and exploitation license has been granted to **Metal Mining UK Company** on 02/08/1397 until the end of the contract period.

**Conclusion:**

Based on the above clarifications, the D.G.Cadaster hereby couldn't find any deviations according to the Minerals law 1387 in exploitation license granting process.

