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No:- IBM/GHY/MEG/JNH/LST-16

Dated-05.12.2017

To,

Shri. Amit Agarwal, (Nominated Owner)

M/s. Meghalaya Cements Limited,

Village- Thangskai, Po.- Lumshnong,

P.S. - Khliehriat,

Dist- East Jaintia Hills,

Meghalaya-793200

E-mail: mines@topcem.in

Subject: Violation of provisions of MCDR, 2017 in respect of your Khliehjeri Limestone Mine (38MEG03005) over an area of 4.90 Hect. in Thangskai Village, Taluka-Khliehriat, East Jaintia Hills district of Meghalaya State.

Sir,

The following provisions of MCDR 2017 were found violated in your above mine during the inspection carried out on 16th November 2017 by the undersigned in presence of your mine officials Shri Umesh Kumar (DGM, Mines) and Shri Abdul Motin Barbhuiya (Geologist).

Rule Number

- 55(1): Every holder of a mining lease shall employ,
- i) in case of category 'A' mine, a whole time mining engineer and a geologist;
- ii) in case of category 'B' mine, a part time mining engineer and a geologist;

Provided that in case of fully mechanised category 'A' mine, the mining engineers and geologists shall have minimum five years of professional experience of working in a supervisory capacity in the field of mining;

Nature of violations observed

The following deviation under sub-rule (1) of rule 55 was found in your mine:-

As per your notice of re-opening of the above said mine received by this office via email on 04.11.2017, Shri Zilla Hitendra Kumar Savdashhai is your mining engineer and appointed on 14.09.2017. But notice of appointment of mining engineers in Form-H is not received by this office till date.

- 02. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017.
- 03. The mining operations can be suspended under rule 11(2), if compliance of rule 11(1) is not found satisfactory.
- 04. You are advised to rectify the above violations immediately and intimate the position to this office within 45 (Forty Five) days from the date of issue of this letter.

Yours faithfully,

(S.K. Mohapatra)
Senior Mining Geologist

Copy forwarded for kind information to:

- (i) The Controller of Mines (EZ), Camp at Nagpur Indian Bureau of Mines, Nagpur
- (ii) The Director, Directorate of Mineral Resources, Govt. Of Meghalaya, Risa Colony, Shillong-793003, Meghalaya..

(S.K. Mohapatra) Senior Mining Geologist