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Dated- 12.02.2018

To,

Shri Adarsh Jhunjunwala, (Managing Director)

M/s. JUD Cements Private Limited,

Village- Wahiajer, Po. – Elka-Narpuh,

Dist- East Jaintia Hills,

Meghalaya-793200

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Subject: Violation of provisions of MCDR, 2017 in respect of your Larung Limestone Mine (38MEG03012) over an area of 4.76 Hect. in Wahiajer 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 30th January 2018 by the undersigned in presence of your mine officials Shri Krishna Murari (Mines Manager) and Shri Champak Nath (Geologist).

Rule Number	Nature of violations observed
11(1): No holder of a mining lease shall commence or carry out mining operations in any area except in accordance with the mining plan approved, modified or reviewed by the Indian Bureau of Mines or prepared and certified in accordance with the system established by the State Government pursuant to the proviso to clause (b) of sub-section (2) of section 5 or approved by the competent authority of the Atomic Minerals Directorate for Exploration and Research, in respect of minerals specified in Part B of the First Schedule to the Act where the grade of such atomic minerals is equal to or above the threshold value limits declared under Schedule-A of the Atomic Minerals Concession.	The following deviations to the approved review of mining plan were found in your mine:- i) Almost 3 quarter and one month of the current year 2017-18 has been lapsed, but the configuration and pattern of existing benches are not as per proposal given in the approved development plan and section. ii) It has been proposed that 363361.01 tons of Limestone will be produced during 2017-18. Since 3 quarter and one month of the current year has been passed and as per your record cumulative production of limestone is 167335.515 tons till December 2017.

Rule Number	Nature of violations observed
32(1) (a) & 32(5) (b) Regarding types of plan (digitally prepared) to be maintained by the holder of mining lease.	i) The surface plan and environment plan has not been updated till date.
46: The holder of the mining lease shall give a notice of appointment in Form-H of the schedule to the authorised officer , when any new appointment of an agent, mining engineer, geologist or any person is made under sub-rule(1) of rule 55 of MCDR 2017.	i) During inspection, it has been observed that, Sri Sudesh Sharma is working as Agent and Sri Champak Nath is working as a Geologist for your mine and both of them have joined recently and the notice of appointment in Form-H has not been submitted to this office.

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)
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