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Show-cause letter

**GOVERNMENT OF INDIA  
MINISTRY OF MINES  
INDIAN BUREAU OF MINES  
OFFICE OF THE REGIONAL CONTROLLER OF MINES**

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File No. TN/ALR/LST-25.MDS

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C.G.O Complex, Besant Nagar  
Chennai – 600 090

Dated: 20/09/2021

To,  
Shri L. Muthukrishnan, Nominated Owner  
Sendurai Limestone Mine,  
M/s Chettinad Cement Corporation Private Limited,  
4<sup>th</sup> Floor, Rani Seethai Hall Building,  
603, Anna Salai, Chennai – 600006,  
Tamil Nadu State.

**Mine code – 38TMN38047**

Sub: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation & Development Rules, 2017, in respect of your Sendurai Limestone Mine over an area of 21.92.5 Ha in Sendurai Village, Sendurai Taluk of Ariyalur District.

Sir,

The following provisions of the Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017, were found violated in your above mine during the inspection on 26/07/2021 by the undersigned in the presence of Mr. M L. Balashanmugam, GM (Mines) and communicated to you vide violation letter of even no. dated.05.08.2021 giving you a period of 45 days for rectification of the same.

| Rule No. | Nature of Violation  |
|----------|--|
| 11(1)    | Mining operations have not been carried out in accordance with the Modification of the Approved Mining Plan approved vide Letter No. TN/ALR/LST/MMP-2031.MDS dated 12.7.2017 to the extent indicated below:<br><br><i>There was a proposal to generate 42,461 Tonnes of top soil in the year 2020-21. Against the approved proposal, no Top soil was generated during the said year.</i> |

02. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of Mineral Conservations and Development Rules, 2017. The reply submitted vide your letter no.CCCP/AW/Mines/Sen/IBM 2021 dated.1.9.2021 is not satisfactory and not consider as compliance.

03. The mining operation can be suspended under Rule 11(2), if the compliance of Rule 11(1) is not found satisfactory.

04. You are, therefore, directed to show cause within a period of 30 days from the date of issue of this letter, as to why you should not be prosecuted for the above offences.

05. Please note that no further notice will be given to you in this regard.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-  
(G.C.Sethi)  
Regional Controller of Mines

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2. The Commissioner, Department of Geology & Mining, Chennai.
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