



**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Mines**  
**Indian Bureau of Mines**  
**Office of the Regional Controller of Mines, Jabalpur**

**Violation Letter**  
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Mine Code: 38MPR47100

Date: 19/12/2022

To,

**Shri Triloki Nath Agrawal (Lease Holder ),**  
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Post & District Katni, Madhya Pradesh 483501  
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**Subject:** Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017, in respect to Nanhwara Limestone Mine over an area of 32.48hect. in Katni District of M.P.

Sir,

The following provisions of the Mineral Conservation and Development Rules 2017 were found violated in your above mine during the inspection on 14/12/2022 by Sh. R.S.Garg, Assistant Controller of Mines, accompanied by Sh. Ritesh Agrawal & Bhawesh Agrawal, both son of lessee, Chandan Kumar, Mining Engineer and Prakash Prajapat, Geologist.

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| Rule 11(1) | <p>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 Rules, 2016.</p> <p>The document of above mentioned mine was approved vide letter No.- MP/Katni/Limestone /RMP-88/2017-18 dated 14/05/2018 incorporating proposal of working from 2017-18 to 2021-22 and subsequent Review of Mining Plan approved vide letter No. MP/Katni/Limestone-44/2022-23 to 2026-27 dated 21/09/2022.</p> <p>The Overburden generated during mine development was proposed to be dumped within lease area between grid line N 2656800 to N2656900 and E454955 to E455020 but during inspection such OB dump was not noticed on the proposed site, it was noticed in North of quarry no.4 covering an area about 50mX50mwith 6-7m height. .</p> |
| 12(4)      | <p>In the case of existing mining leases, detailed exploration (G1 level) over the entire potentially mineralised area under the mining lease shall be carried out in the manner specified in the Minerals (Evidence of Mineral Contents) Rules, 2015 or the Atomic Minerals Concession Rules, 2016, as the case may be, within a period of five years from the date of commencement of these rules.</p> <p>As per record mining lease was granted for a period of 30 years w.e.f. 08/05/1997 to 07/05/2027 and by way of exploration so far 23.50 hect lease area has been proven under General exploration and rest 8.98hect potential area yet to be explored under General exploration. Thus as on date entire lease area have remains to bring under detailed exploration.</p>  |
| Rule 45(7) | <p>If it is found that the holder of a 1 [mineral concession] or the person or company engaged in trading or storage or end-use or 1 [export or import] of minerals, as the case may be, has submitted incomplete or wrong or false information in monthly or annual returns or fails to submit a return within the date specified; then,</p> <p>in the case of mining of minerals by the holder of a mineral concession, the Regional Controller of Mines,</p> <p>(i) order suspension of all mining operations in the mine and to revoke the order of suspension only after ensuring proper compliance;</p> <p>(ii) take action to initiate prosecution under these rules;</p> <p>(iii) recommend termination of the mineral concession, in case such suppression or</p>   |

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|  | <p>misrepresentation of information indicates abetment or connivance of illegal mining;</p> <p>On examination of Annual Return for the year 2021-22 it is observed that data of annual return are incomplete &amp; having following deficiencies:-</p> <p>1. Part III, item No 2-Royalty and Rents<br/>Payment against royalty and dead rent have been shown on the return. Royalty and Dead Rent both cannot be charged at a time. So, information furnished in this regard needs correction. Further as per furnished record royalty paid @ Rs. 76.63 per tonne which is completely incorrect.</p> <p>2. Part III, item No 5<br/>Details of DMF paid to State Govt. and NMET paid to Central Government are not indicated, appears incorrect.</p> |
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2. 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.
3. The mining operations can be suspended under the rule 11(2) of MCDR-2017, if compliance of rule 11(1) of MCDR-2017 are not found satisfactory. In case Non-compliance of Rule 45(7) of MCDR-2017, Necessary action shall be initiated as deemed fit.
4. 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,

( R.S.Garg )  
Assistant Controller of Mines  
For Regional Controller of Mines

Copy for information to:-

01. The Director of Geology & Mining, Govt .of Madhya Pradesh, Khanij Bhavan, 29-A, Arera Hills, Bhopal(M.P.) for information and further necessary action please.
02. The District Collector, Katni (M.P.) for information.

Assistant Controller of Mines  
For Regional Controller of Mines

NOO Copy for kind information to :-

- 1 The Controller of Mines (CZ), Indian Bureau of Mines, Nagpur
- 2 DDG, Mining & Mineral Statistics Division, Indian Bureau of Mines, Nagpur for refer back of Annual Return for the year 2021-22 for rectification of deficiencies as pointed out above under rule 45(7).

Assistant Controller of Mines  
For Regional Controller of Mines