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सेवा में/ $\mathbf{T o}$,
Sri. K.C Jhanwar, Nominated Owner
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दिनांक/Date: 12/01/2023


#### Abstract

विषय/Sub: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 in respect of your Rajashree Cement Limestone Mine (ML No. 2666) over an area of 715.987 Ha in Malkhed village, Sedam Taluk, Kalaburgi District, Karnataka state (Mine Code 38KAR10009). महोदय/Sir,


The following provisions of the Mineral Conservation \& Development Rules, 2017 were found violated in your above mine during the inspection carried out by the undersigned along with Shri. H.M.Shivakumar-Assistant Mining Engineer in presence of Sri. Rajesh Sambrey, Sr.VP \& Mine Agent and Sri. Sameer Kumar Arora, Mines Manager on 26/12/2022.

| Rule | Nature of violations observed |
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| $\mathbf{1 1 ( 1 )}$ | The Mining operations are required to be carried out in accordance with <br> the Modified RUMP document approved vide letter no. 279/127/89/BNG <br> dated 23/07/2021, However, during the inspection deviations were <br> observed in mining operation vis-à-vis approved document and are as <br> follows: <br> (i) <br> For the Year 2021-22, it was proposed to produce 9227117 Tons of <br> Limestone and 2,99,661 Tons of waste removal (Development). <br> However you have achieved 8006621 Tones \& 1,99,521 Tones of <br> Production and Development with -13\% \& -34 \% deviation from the <br> proposed respective quantities. As such you have not achieved the <br> proposed stripping ratio in the said period. |
| (ii)For the Year 2021-22, it was proposed to carry out afforestation over <br> 2.35 Ha with 6000 saplings and same has been reported over dumps <br> and green belt area. However during site inspection it was observed <br> that afforestation towards the Green belt development is not being <br> maintained in the field. Moreover, your lease is going to be expired in <br> the next nine years period. Therefore it is further advised to give more <br> attention towards the development of green belt and other criteria <br> towards the aesthetic beauty of the mine area in line with EC specific <br> condition No. xxiv. |  |

2. In this connection it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of MCDR 2017read with MCD (Amendment) Rule, 2021.

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3. The violation of Rule $11(1)$ may also attract provisions of Rule 11(2) of MCDR, 2017 regarding suspension of mining operations till the compliance of violations.
4. You are advised to rectify/explain the above violations immediately and intimate the position to this office within 45 (Forty-Five) days from the date of issue of this letter.

भवदीय/Yours faithfully,

# (सुरेश प्रसाद/Suresh Prasad) <br> क्षेत्रीयखाननियंत्रक/Regional Controller of Mines भारतीयखानब्यूरो/Indian Bureau of Mines 

## प्रतिलिपिसूचनार्थ/Copy for kind information to:

1. The Controller of Mines (SZ), Indian Bureau of Mines, Bangalore.
2. The Director, Department of Mining \&Geology, No.49, Khanija Bhavan, R.C. Road, Bangalore-560 001.
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