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

File No.:M.P/Satna/LST-270-VOL-II 6328-6329

Jabalpur, Dated: 01.12.2021

To,

1. Shri Vivek Krishan Agnihotri, (Nominated Owner), Prim Cement Limestone Mine, M/s Prism Johnson Limited "Rahejas" 2nd floor, Main Avenue, V.P. Road, Santacruz (w) Mumbai - 400054 Email - vivek.agnihotri@prismjohnson.in

2. M/s Prism Cement Limited Village- Hinouti & Sejhata, Tehsil- Rampur Baghelan, District- Satna (M.P.)

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Subject: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation & Development Rules, 2017 in respect of your Prism Limestone Mine (253.326 Hect.) Mine code 38MPR35137 in Satna district of M.P. State.

Sir,

The following provisions of the Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 were found violated in your above mentioned mine during Checkup inspection on 17/11/2021 by the undersigned in presence of Mr Manoj Singh, VP (Mines), Mr S S Rai, GM Mines & Mr Sunil Upaddhyay, Geologist.

नियम स.	<u>पाए गए उल्लंघन की विस्तृत प्रकृति</u>
Rule 11 (1)	According to this rule-No holder of a mining lease shall commence or carry out mining operation 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 Govt. pursuant to the provisions to clause (b) of Sub Section (2) of Section 5 or approved by the competent authority of the Atomic Minerals Directorate for exploration and Researching respect of minerals specified in Part B of the First Schedule of the Act where the grade of such atomic minerals is equal to or above the threshold value limit declared under schedule-A of the Atomic Mineral Concession Rules
	2016. The Reciew of Mining Plan of above mentioned mine was approved vide this office letter No-MP/Satna/LST/RMP-10/21-22 dated 28.07.2021 incorporating the proposals of working from 2021-22 to 2025-26. During the inspection it was found that following provisions of rule have been violated 1. Boundary pillars and there coordinates are not maintained as per DGPS survey report.
Rule 27	MCDR 2017 has been amended vide Gazette notification dated 03/11/2021 wherein the rate of financial assurance has been increased from Rs 3 Lakh to 5 Lakh per hectare of area put to use for mining & allied activities in case of 'A' category mines. Furnish additional Financial assurance of Rs 44376800 /- as required to submit.
Rule 63(1)	Preservation of cores, etc(1) Every holder of a mineral concession and every agency authorised under the second proviso to sub-section (1) of section 4 shall preserve intact, until submission of the final geological report, all cores and specimens of different types of rocks and minerals obtained during drilling or sinking operations and shall arrange for them to be laid out in a serial order with identification marks, showing the progressive depth at which, they are obtained. During the inspection, it was observed that the core samples of boreholes were not kept systematically.

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- 01. In this connection it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of MCDR-2017.
- 02. Non-compliance of the rule 11(1) & of MCDR-2017 may lead to suspension of Mining operations under the provisions of rule 11(2) of MCDR-2017.
- 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.

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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.

02. The District Collector, Satna (M.P.) for information.

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