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Mine Code:-38KAR26087.

To.

Shri. Nagappa Rudrappa Sidnal, At & Post Lokapur, Mudhol Tq, Bagalkot-dist,

Karnataka-587122.

Sub : Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation & Development Rules, 2017 in respect of your Lokapur Limestone Mine (M.L.No-2662), over an extent of 4.86 Ha. Situated in Lokapur village, Bagalkot District of Karnataka State.

Sir,

Undersigned inspected your above mine on 19.12.2018 in presence of the Shri N.R. Sidnal, Lessee, and violation letter of even number dated 31.12.2018 was issued for below mentioned rules of Mineral Conservation & Development Rules, 2017.

Rule	Nature of Violation observed
11(1)	 a) In the approved scheme of mining there was a proposal to drill 09 boreholes to a depth of total 450 mtrs in the year 2016-17. However no exploration is carried out so far. b) Working has been not carriedout as per the proposed locations marked on Production and development plan and sections for the year 2016-17 to 2018-19 c) In the approved document there was a proposal to produce 1.0 lakh tons of limestone in the year 2016-17 and 2017-18. However actual production was only 20000 tons in the year 2016-17 and 20000 tons in the year 2017-18. d) Lessee has obtained EC for 20000 tons/annum only, but as per the scheme of mining yearly proposal is 1.0 lakh tons. e) In the scheme of mining waste dump was proposed in the South-Western part of the lease area. However waste dumping was not made as per the proposal, some quantity of waste was irregularly dumped in the western part of the lease area.
26(2)	An yearly report before 1st July of every year setting forth the extent of protective and rehabilitation work carried out as envisaged in the approved progressive mine closure plan has not been submitted for the year 2016-17 and 2017-18 so far.
31(4)	The plans and sections required under the MCD Rules-2017 are not updated.

- 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.
- 03. The mining operations can be suspended under rule 11(2), if 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 give to you in this regard.

Yours faithfully,

(Kalmata.M.K) Senior Mining Geologist Indian Bureau of Mines

Copy forwarded to: -

- 1. The Controller of Mines, SZ, Indian Bureau of Mines, Bengaluru.
- 2. The Director, Directorate Mines and Geology, Govt.of Karnataka, Bengaluru.

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