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Opp.Old R.T.O.'s Office,

P.O. FATORDA - 403602,

Margao-GOA

Date:-14.03.2019

Mine Code:-38KAR26071.

To,

**Shri. Veerendra R. Mathad, Mine Owner,**

**Shree Veerbhadra Minerals,**

**At & Post Lokapur,**

**Mudhol Tq, Bagalkot-dist,**

**Karnataka-587122.**

Sub :Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation & Development Rules, 2017 in respect of your Muddapur Limestone & Dolomite Mine (M.L.No-2589), over an extent of 4.86 Ha. Situated in Muddapur village, Bagalkot District of Karnataka State.

Sir,

The following provision of Mineral Conservation & Development Rules, 2017 were found violated in your above mine during the inspection on 06/03/2019 , by the undersigned in presence of Shri Veerendra R Mathad, Lessee.

| Rule      | Nature of Violation observed   |
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| 11(1)     | a) In the approved Review of Mining plan there was a proposal to produce 48575 tonnes of limestone in the year 2018-19, however on the day of inspection it was observed that only 19179 tonnes is produced upto January 2019.<br>b) In the approved document there was a proposal of one parapet wall of 50 mtr length in the year 2018-19 and no such parapet wall was constructed.  |
| 31(4)     | The plans and sections required under the MCD Rules-2017 are not updated.  |
| 45(5) (b) | Lessee has not submitted monthly returns for the month February 2019 so far.   |
| 45(7)     | Following deficiencies were observed in the annual returns submitted for the year 2017-18.<br>a) Details of location of the mine and address details are not given.<br>b) As on date lease is with original lessee only. However date of lease transfer is mentioned as 23.12.2008<br>c) Value of fixed asset is shown as zero. Whereas net closing balance is shown as Rs-12300704. Further the details given under Residential head, LIC Housing loan, Interest paid etc are not related to this mine.<br>d) Wages are not given properly, Wages paid for technical staff appears to be repeated.<br>e) Generation of mineral reject is shown as zero but analysis for CaO is given. |

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|              | <p>f) Only two ore benches were observed in the field, but in the annual returns total three benches were mentioned two in ore and one in OB.</p> <p>g) Reserves and resources are not updated properly.</p> <p>h) Under details of machineries only air compressor is given.</p> <p>i) Registration number allotted by the IBM is not given for Pragati Founders Pvt Ltd and Benaka Enterprises.</p> |
| 55(1)(3)(iv) | The Mining Engineer and Geologist required under the said rule are not appointed by the lessee.   |

02. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violation constitutes an offence, punishable under Rule 62 of MCDR, 2017.

03. The mining operations can be suspended under Rule 11(2), if compliance of MCD Rules 2017 is not found satisfactory.

04. You are advised to rectify the above violation immediately and intimate the position to this office within 45 (Fourty five) days from the date of issue of this letter.

Yours faithfully,`

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

Copy forwarded to: -

1. Dy.Dyrector General(Stat), IBM, Nagpur with a request to refer back Annual return of 2017-18 to lessee for rectification.
2. The Controller of Mines, SZ, Indian Bureau of Mines, Bengaluru.
3. The Director, Directorate Mines and Geology, Govt.of Karnataka, Bengaluru.

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