

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

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Jabalpur, Dated: 08.02.2021

To,

Shri Kailash Chandra Jhanwar M/s Ultratech Cement Ltd B Wing Ahura Centre 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, Mahakali Caves Road Andheri (E), Mumbai 400093.

Subject: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017, in respect to your Jaypee Limestone Mine, 38MPR33008, Area 70.127 hectare, in District Rewa of Madhya Pradesh.

Sir,

Following provisions of MCDR 2017 were found violated in your above mine during the inspection by the Undersigned on 04.02.2021 in the presence of Shri Nitya Kumar Dixit (Senior Manager Geology), Mine Geologist Shri Debasis Panda & mine officials.

Rule No	Nature of violation observed in detail
11(1)	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.
	<ul> <li>It was proposed to drill 06 boreholes with a total depth of 300 m for the year 2019-20 but only 04 boreholes with a depth of 200 m was drilled against the same.</li> <li>It was proposed to produce 950,000 metric tonnes of limestone in the year 2019-20 but only 688,984 metric tonnes production achieved.</li> <li>It was proposed to remove 562725 cubic meter of OB in the year 2019-20 but only 248356 cubic meter of OB achieved.</li> <li>It was proposed to remove 18395 cubic meter of topsoil in the year 2019-20 but nil achieved.</li> <li>The mine development was lagging from the proposal and not as per the approved</li> </ul>
	proposals of approved document.
26(2)	The holder of mining lease shall submit to the competent authority a yearly report as per the format specified by the Indian Bureau of Mines, before 1stday of July every year setting forth the extent of protective and rehabilitative works carried out as envisaged in the approved mine closure plan, and if there is any deviation reasons thereof:  During scrutiny of the office records, it has been observed that the yearly report in respect of rule 26(2) of MCDR 2017 has not been submitted for the year 2019-20.

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	The holder of mining lease shall on or before the 30 <sup>th</sup> day of the June every year submit to the authorized officer, as the case may be, and the State Govt. a digital copy along with a print copy of the surface geological plans and sections maintained under rule 32.  As per records plans and sections have not been submitted by lessee at this office till date.

- 1. 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.
- 2. The mining operations can be suspended under the rule 11(2) of MCDR-2017, if compliance of rule 11(1) of MCDR-2017 is not found satisfactory.
- 3. You are advised to rectify the violations of abovementioned rules 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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Copy to:

Yours faithfully

(Robert Simon C)
Asst. Controller of Mines,
Jabalpur Region, IBM

1) The Controller of Mines (CZ), Nagpur, IBM

2) The Director, Directorate of Geology & Mining, Khanij Bhavan, Arera Hills, Bhopal (MP).

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