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Fatorda, Margao, Goa – 403 602

VIOLATION LETTER

REGD WITH A/D/SPEED POST

No.- KNT/BJP/LST-64/GOA

Mine Code: 38KAR26047

Date: 31.03.2022

To,
Shri C.G. Raikar, Lessee
Lokapur Limestone Mine (ML No. 2390),
C/o Vijay Laxmi jewelers,
Vallabhai Chowk, Bagalkot,
Bagalkot Dist., Karnataka-587 101

Sub: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 (MCDR,2017) in respect of your Lokapur Limestone Mine (ML No. 2390), over an area of 4.86 Ha. in Tq- Mudhol, Bagalkot Dist. of Karnataka state.

Sir,

The following provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules'2017 were found violated in your above said mine during inspection on 11.03.2022 by the undersigned in the presence of Mr. B. Prabhakar Reddy, Mines Manager and other officials of your mine.

Rule No.	Nature of Violation observed
55(1) (c) with 11(1)	As per the provisions of MCDR (Amendment) 2021, notified dated 03.11.2021, Every holder of mining lease shall employ, in case of Category 'A' mines having lease area below 25 Ha. and Category 'B' mines, a part-time mining engineer and a part-time geologist. Further in Modification of Mining Plan (MMP) approved dated:- 31.01.2018, it has been approved to appoint mining engineer and geologist as per MCDR,2017. However, mining engineer and geologist have not been found employed in your above said mine as required under above rules.

02. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that any contravention of Rule 55 shall be punishable with fine under Rule 62 of MCDR'2017, for an Amount as specified in the Schedule-III of the MCDR (Amendment) 2021.

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 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.

Yours faithfully,

(P. PRAKASH)
Regional Controller of Mines

Copy to: -

- (1) The Controller of Mines (SZ), Indian Bureau of Mines, Bangalore.
- (2) The Director, Directorate of Mines & Geology, Government of Karnataka,
49, Khanij Bhawan, Race Course Road, Bengaluru.

(P. PRAKASH)
Regional Controller of Mines