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

VIOLATION LETTER  
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To,

**Shri Vivek Krishan Agnihotri**  
**The Nominatied Owner & Executive Director-Cement,**  
**Prism Cement Limited, Rahejas 2nd Floor, Main Avenue,**  
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**Bandarakha Limestone Mine (40.236 Ha),**  
**M/s Prism Cement Limited**  
**Village- Mankahari. PO-Bathiya,**  
**Tehsil- Rampur Baghelan,**  
**District- Satna (M.P.)**  
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**Subject:** Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017, in respect to **Bandarakha Limestone Mine (40.236 Ha)**, M/s Prism Cement Ltd. Mine code **38MPR35331** at Vill - Mankahari PO-Bathiya, Rampur Baghelan, District: Satna (M.P.)

Sir,

Undersigned has inspected your mine in the presence of Shri Deo Prakash (Mine Manager), Shri Santosh Kumar (Mine Geologist), Shri Amit Biswas (Mine Geologist) and Shri Rajesh K Sinha (Surveyor) on 18/02/2021. Following provisions of MCDR 2017 were found violated in your mines during inspection.

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 style="list-style-type: none"><li>In the year 2019-20 it was proposed to drill 6 nos of boreholes of a total 240 m length but only 5 nos boreholes of a total 175 m length drilled against the same.</li><li>In the year 2019-20 it was proposed to produce 240000 MT of limestone but only 143684 MT production achieved against the same.</li></ul>
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 1st day 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.

- In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017.
- 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.

O/c

Yours faithfully

*[Signature]* 06/04/2021

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Copy to:

- 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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