

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF MINES INDIAN BUREAU OF MINES OFFICE OF THE REGIONAL CONTROLLER OF MINES

Tel.: 044 - 24914461 Fax: 044 - 24911295

File No. TN/ALR/LST-3.MDS

C-4-A, Rajaji Bhawan, C.G.O Complex, Besant Nagar, Chennai – 600 090. Dt. 08/02/2021

To,

The Agent (Mines)

M/s UltraTech Cement Limited

Alanthuraiyarkattalai Limestone Mine

Reddipalayam Cement Works

Reddipalayam Post Ariyalur District

Tamil Nadu, PIN - 621731

Mine code - 38TMN38012

Sub:

Violation of provisions of MCDR 2017 in respect of your Alanthuraiyarkattalai Limestone Mine over an area of 35.22 Ha in Alanthuraiyarkattalai Village, Ariyalur Taluk & District.

Sir,

The following provision of the Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017, was found violated in your above mine during the inspection on 29/01/2021 by the undersigned in the presence of Shri Amit Kumar Mathur, Mines Manager & Shri E. Suresh, Geologist:

Rule	Nature of Violation
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. The deviation observed in mining operations vis-à-vis the approved document is given below: a) Only 200 numbers of saplings have been planted during the year 2019-20 against a proposed 2082 numbers in the approved document.

- 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 operation can be suspended under Rule 11(2), if the compliance of the rule is not found satisfactory.
- 04. You are 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,

(Matiul Islam) Assistant Controller of Mines

Copy forwarded to:

- 1. The Controller of Mines (SZ), Indian Bureau of Mines, Bangalore.
- 2. The Commissioner, Department of Geology & Mining, Chennai.

(Matiul Islam) Assistant Controller of Mines