

Government of India  
Ministry of Mines  
Indian Bureau of Mines  
Office of the Regional Controller of Mines  
No. AP/GNR/LST-50/HYD  
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Kavadiguda,  
Secunderabad-500080.  
Date: 27/2/2020

To  
Sri. B.V.P.S.Chowdary, Agent (Mines)  
M/s KCP Limited,  
Macherla, Guntur District-522426,  
Andhra Pradesh.

Sub: Violation of provisions of MCDR, 2017 in respect of Terala Limestone Mine of M/s KCP Limited, over an extent of 49.18 hectare ha in Terala(V) Durgi (M) Guntur district, Andhra Pradesh.

Sir,

The following provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 (MCDR, 2017) were found violated in the above mine during inspection by undersigned on 18.01.2020 in the presence of your representative Sri V Venkatramana and Sri S.Prasad.

| Rule no.      | Nature of violation  |
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| Rule 55(1)    | During inspection it is found that Full time geologist has not been appointed.   |
| Rule 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.<br>However the same has not been submitted.      |
| Rule 45(7)(a) | In Part VI(2) of the annual return 2018-19, Cost of Production has been submitted as 331.60 Rs PMT with mining cost as 200.50 Rs PMT and ex mine price also submitted as equal to Cost of Production. It has also been understood that mining cost includes the transportation cost outside the lease area upto the crusher plant at Mandadi. So the reporting of Cost of Production Ex Mine is not correct. |

02. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under rule 62 of MCDR, 2017. Besides, inability to comply the provision of Rule 45(7)(a) is also liable for suspension of mining operations under MCDR,2017.

03. 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

(Manish K Maindiratta),  
Regional Controller of Mines

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- (1) खान नियंत्रक(द), भारतीय खान ब्यूरो, बंगलूर को प्रतिलिपि सूचनार्थ अग्रेषित।
- (2) The Director of Mines and Geology, Government of Andhra Pradesh, Sri Anjaneya Towers, Door No.7-104, B-Block, 5th and 6th Floors, BTPS Road, PO Ibrahimpatnam-521456, Vijayawada, Krishna district.
- (3) The Assistant Director, Dept. of Mines & Geology, Govt. of A.P., Dachepalli, Guntur dist.

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