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Dated: 21.8.2019

To,  
Sri S.Venkata Rami Reddy, Lessee  
Nandavaram Limestone Mine,  
H.No-6/4, Palkur Village,  
Banganpalli Mandal,  
Kurnool District, Andhra Pradesh

Sub: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 in respect of Nandavaram Limestone Mine over an extent of 2.202 Ha in Nandavaram Villages, Banganpalli Mandal, Kurnool District, Andhra Pradesh.

Ref: i) This office letter of even number dated 21.8.2019.  
ii) Your letter No. Nil dated 10.10.2019.

Sir,

The following provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules 2017 (MCDR, 2017), were found violated in your above mine based on mine inspection by the undersigned on 04.07.2019 in presence of Lessee's representative Sri K.Viswanath Reddy, Sri Lokesh.

Rule No	Rule Position	Nature of Violations observed
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 <del>or prepared and certified in accordance with the system established by the State Government</del> pursuant to the proviso to clause (b) of sub-section (2) of section 5.	The Review of Mining Plan has been approved for the period 2017-18 to 2019-20) vide AP/KNL/MP/LST-60/HYD Dated 21.03.2017, where in it was proposed to plant 140 nos sapplings in 2018-19. But during inspection no plantation has been found to be carried out and no planation register was maintained.
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.	The yearly report setting forth the extent of protective and rehabilitative works carried out within the mine has not been submitted to this office for 2018-19.
31(4)	The plans and sections required under these rules shall be maintained up to date within three months in case of Category 'A' mines as referred to in clause (a) of sub-rule (2) of rule 55, and within twelve months in the case of any other mine.	The plans and sections required under these rules has not been maintained up to date as on 30.06.2019.
33	The holder of a mining lease shall, on or before the 30th day of June every year submit to the authorised officer, as the case may be, and the State Government, a digital copy along with a print copy of the surface geological plans and sections maintained under rule 32.	The digital copy along with a print copy of the surface geological plans and sections maintained under rule 32 has not been submitted.
45(5)(c)	The holder of a mining lease shall submit online returns in respect of each mine to the Regional Controller or any	The Annual Return for the year 2018-19 has not been submitted.

	other authorised official of the Indian Bureau of Mines in the following manner, namely an annual return which shall be submitted before the 1st day of July each year for the preceding financial year in electronic form, along with a signed print copy of the same if it is not digitally signed, in the respective Form.	
54	The holder of a mining lease or a holder of a prospecting licence or prospecting license cum mining lease shall maintain the labour attendance register, production and dispatch register, royalty assessment register.	During inspection it has been observed that the production and dispatch register has not been maintained in hard bound copy.
55(1)3 .(iii)	For the purpose of carrying out reconnaissance, prospecting or mining operations in accordance with these rules,- every holder of a mining lease shall employ, in case of-category 'A' mines, a whole-time mining engineer and a geologist.	During inspection it was observed that a whole time Mining Engineer and a Geologist have not been appointed.

02. Your reply letter referred at S.No (ii) received in this office on 10-10-2019 and has been duly considered and not found to be satisfactory for compliance of Rule 26(2),54,55(1)(3)(iii).

03 It is again brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule- 62 of MCDR, 2017. Besides, inability to comply the provisions of rule 26(2), 54, 55(1)(3)(iii) , as to why you should not be prosecuted for the above offence.

04 You are therefore ,directed to show cause within a period of 30 (thirty ) days from the date of issue of this letter, as to why you should not be prosecuted for the above offence

05. Please note that no further notice will be given to you in this regard.

Yours faithfully

(Subrata Kumar Muduli),  
Junior Mining Geologist

NOO:

Copy forwarded to :

1. खान नियंत्रक (दक्षिण क्षेत्र), भारतीय खान ब्यूरो, बेंगलोर.
2. The Director, Department of Mines & Geology, Government of Andhra Pradesh.
3. The Assistant Director of Mines & Geology, Kurnool, Government of Andhra Pradesh.

(सुब्रत कुमार मुदुली),  
कनिष्ठ खनन भूविज्ञानी

