

**INDIAN BUREAU OF MINES
MINERALS DEVELOPEMMENT AND REGULATION DIVISION**

MCDR INSPECTION REPORT

Chennai regional office

Mine file No : TN/DAN/LST-9.MDS

Mine code : 38TMN17002

- (i) Name of the Inspecting : S011) SALIL SANDIP KUJUR
Officer and ID No.
- (ii) Designation : Deputy Controller Mines
- (iii) Accompanying mine : Mr. Illangovan Owner.
Official with
Designation
- (iv) Date of Inspection : 11-APR-18
- (v) Prev.inspection date : 23-NOV-17

PART-I : GENERAL INFORMATION

1. (a) **Mine Name** : **THETHANPATTY - III**
- (b) **Registration NO.** :
- (c) **Category** : B Manual
- (d) **Type of Working** : Opencast
- (e) **Postal address**
- State : TAMIL NADU
- District : DINDIGUL
- Village : SIRUGUDI
- Taluka : DINDIGUL
- Post office : SIRUGUDI
- Pin Code : 624404
- FAX No. :
- E-mail :
- Phone :
- (f) **Police Station** :
- (g) **First opening date** : 08-MAR-97
- (h) **Weekly day of rest** : SUN
2. **Address for correspondance** : **THETHAMPATTY LIMESTONE MINE**
SIRUGUDI POST
NATHAM TALUK,DINDIGUL DIST
3. (a) **Lease Number** : TMN1060
- (b) **Lease area** : 2.53
- (c) **Period of lease** : 20
- (d) **Date of Expiry** : 26-NOV-17
4. **Mineral worked** : **LIMESTONE** Main

5. Name and Address of the

Lessee : S.ASAI ALANGARAM
 SIRUGUDI NATHAM TALUK
 DINDIGUL DISTRICT DINDIGUL
 TAMIL NADU
 Phone:
 FAX :

Owner : S.ASAI ALANGARAM,
 SIRUGUDI POST NATHAM TK
 DINDIGUL DT. DINDIGUL TAMIL
 NADU
 Phone: 04544-77632
 FAX :

6. Date of approval of Mining	:	Mining Scheme rule 12 MCDR1988	15-SEP-06
Plan/Scheme of Mining		Mining Scheme rule 12 MCDR1988	20-FEB-13
		Mining Scheme rule 12 MCDR1988	04-AUG-14
		MP review under 17(1) MCR 2016	18-DEC-17

PART - II : OBSERVATION/COMMENTS OF INSPECTING OFFICERS

Exploration :

Sl.No.	Item	Proposals	Actual work	Remarks
1a	Backlog of previous year	NIL	NIL	NIL
1b	Exploration over lease area for geological axis 1 or 2	G1	G1	nil
1c	Exploration Agencies and Expenditure in lakh rupees during the year	nil	nil	nil
1d	Balance area to be explored to bring Geological axis in 1 or 2	nil	nil	nil
1e	Balance reserve as on 01/04/20	101592 MT of ROM	152476 MT of ROM	mines not working due to want of EC
1f	General remarks of inspecting officers on geology, exploration etc	-	-	satisfactory

Development :

Sl.No.	Item	Proposals	Actual work	Remarks
2a	Location of development w.r.t.lease area	southern part of the lease	southern part of the lease	not working at present
2b	Separate benches in topsoil, overburden and minerals (Rule 15)	yes	yes	nil
2c	Stripping ratio or ore to OB ratio	1:0.74	1:0.74	nil
2d	Quantity of topsoil generation in m3	nil	nil	nil
2e	Quantity of overburden generation in m3	630 mt	nil	nil

2f	General remarks of inspecting officers on development of pit w.r.t. type of deposit etc	-	-	nil
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Exploitation:

Sl.No.	Item	Propasals	Actual work	Remarks
3a	Number of pit proposed for production	one	one	nil
3b	Quantity of ROM mineral production proposed	2014-15=13520 2015-16=19227 2016-17=16497	2014-15=8112 2015-16=11536 2016-17=9898 mt	production within limit, mine is not working due to want of EC
3c	Recovery of sailable/usable mineral from ROM production	60%	60%	nil
3d	Quantity of mineral reject generation	2014-15=5408 2015-16=7691 2016-17=6599	total mineral rejects from 2014-17 is 19698	nil
3e	Grade of mineral rejects generation and threshold value declared.	NIL	NIL	NIL
3f	Quantity of sub grade mineral generation.	nil	nil	nil
3g	Grade of sub grade mineral generation	nil	nil	nil
3h	Manual / Mechanised method adopted for segregating from ROM	manual	manual	nil
3i	Any analysis or beneficiation study proposed and carried out for sub grade mineral and rejects.	na	na	nil
3j	Provision of drilling and blasting in mineral benches	by using jack hammer	nil	nil

3k	Provision of mining machineries in mineral benches	nil	nil	nil
3l	Whether height of benches in overburden and mineral suitable for method of mining proposed in MP/SOM	yes	yes	nil
3m	Total area covered under excavation/pits	0.70	0.70	nil
3n	Ore to OB ratio for the pit/mine during the year.	1:0.66	nil	nil
3o	Total area put in use under different heads at the end of year	pit=0.70ha roads=.25 dupms=.50 green belt=.25	pit=0.70ha roads=.25 dupms=.50 green belt=.25	nil
3p	Production of ROM mineral during the last five year period as applicable	2014-15=13520mt 2015-16=19227mt 2016-17=16497mt	2014-15=8112mt 2015-16=11536mt 2016-17=9898mt 2017-18=nil	nil, production within range
3q	General remarks of inspecting officers on method of mining etc.	-	-	nil

Solid Waste Management - Dumping:

Sl.No.	Item	Propasals	Actual work	Remarks
4a	Separate dumping of topsoil, OB and mineral rejects (Rule 32,33)	no top soil	nil	nil
4b	Location of topsoil, OB and mineral reject dumps	northen side of the lease	nil	nil
4c	Number of dumps within lease area and outside of lease area	01	01	nil

4d	Location of dumps w.r.t. ultimate pit limit (Rule 16)	outside the UPL	out side the UPL	nil
4e	Number of active and alive dumps.	01	01	nil
4f	Number of dead dumps.	nil	nil	nil
4g	Number of dumps established.	nil	nil	nil
4h	Whether Retaining wall or garland drain all along dumps are there.	yes	yes	nil
4i	Length of Retaining wall or garland drain all along dumps	parapet wall	72 mtrs	nil
4j	Number of settling ponds	na	nil	nil
4k	Specific comments of inspecting officer on waste dump management	-	-	nil

Solid Waste Management - Backfilling:

Sl.No.	Item	Propasals	Actual work	Remarks
5a	Status of part or full extraction of mineral from mined out area before starting backfilling.	YES	NIL	MINE NOT IN OPERATION
5b	Area under backfilling of mined out area	NIL	NIL	NIL
5c	Concurrent use of topsoil for restoration or rehabilitation of mineral out area (Rule 32)	NA	NA	NIL
5d	Total area fully reclaimed and rehabilitated	NA	NA	NIL

5e	General remarks of inspecting officers on backfilling and reclamation etc.	-	-	MINE NOT IN OPERATION,NIL
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Progressive Mine Clousre Plan:

Sl.No.	Item	Propasals	Actual work	Remarks
6a	Whether Annual report on PMCP submitted on time and correctly. Rule 23 E(2).	yes	yes submitted	nil
6b	Area available for rehabilitation (ha) .	nil	nil	nil
6c	afforestation done (ha).	0.30ha	40 saplings	nil
6d	No. of saplings planted during the year	40	nil	mines not working
6e	Cumulative no .of plants	120	80	nil
6f	Any other method of rehabilitation	na	nil	nil
6g	Cost incurred on watch and care during the year	rs 40000	nil	nil
6h	Compliance on reclamation and rehabilitation by backfilling (i) Voids available for backfilling (Lx B x D	NA	NA	NIL
6i	Compliance on reclamation and rehabilitation by backfilling (ii) Voids filled by waste / tailings	NA	NA	NIL

6j	Compliance on reclamation and rehabilitation by backfilling (iii)Afforestation on on backfilled area	NA	NA	NIL
6k	Compliance on reclamation and rehabilitation by backfilling (iv) Rehabilitation by making water reservoir	NA	NA	NIL
6l	Compliance on reclamation and rehabilitation by backfilling (v)any other specific means.	NA	NA	NIL
6m	Compliance of rehabilitation of waste land within lease (i)afforestation	NA	NA	NIL
6n	Compliance of rehabilitation of waste land within lease (ii)Area rehabilitation (ha)	NA	NA	NIL
6o	Compliance of rehabilitation of waste land within lease (iii)Method of rehabilitation	NA	NA	NIL
6p	Compliance of environmental monitoring (core zone and buffer zone)	-	BEING MONITORED	NIL
6q	General remarks of inspecting officers on PMCP compliance and progressive closure operations etc.	-	-	MINES NOT IN OPERATION.

Mineral Conservation:

Sl.No.	Item	Propasals	Actual work	Remarks
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7a	ROM Mineral dispatch or grade-wise sorting within lease area	YES	YES, AS PER PLAN	NIL
7b	Method of grade-wise mineral sorting i.e. manual or mechanical.	MANUAL	MANUAL	MINE NOT IN OPERATION, NIL
7c	Different grade of mineral sorted out at mines.	NA	NA	NIL
7d	Any beneficiation process at mines .	NA	NA	NIL
7e	General remarks of inspecting officer on Mineral conservation and beneficiation issues	-	-	NIL

Environment:

Sl.No.	Item	Propasals	Actual work	Remarks
8a	Separate removal and utilization of topsoil (Rule 32)	NO TOP-SOIL	NIL	NIL
8b	Concurrent use or storage of topsoil	NA	NA	NIL
8c	Separate dumps for overburden, waste rock, rejects and fines (Rule 33)	YES	MANINTAINED	MINE NOT IN OPERATION
8d	Use of overburden, waste rock, rejects and fines dumps for restoring the land to its original use	NA	NA	NIL

8e	Phased restoration, reclamation and rehabilitation of lands affected by mining operations (Pits, dumps etc)	NA	NA	NIL
8f	Baseline information on existence of plantation and additional plantation done (Rule 41)	120 SAPLINGS	80 SAPLINGS PLANTED	70 % SURVIVAL RATE
8g	Survival rate	80%	70%	NIL
8h	Water sprinkling on roads to control airborne dust	YES	MINE NOT IN OPERATION	NIL
8i	General remarks of inspecting officer on aesthetic beauty in and around mines area	-	-	NIL

Compliance of Rule 45:

Sl.No.	Item	Propasals	Actual work	Remarks
9a	Status of submission of Monthly and Annual returns	YES SUBMITTED	NIL	NIL
9b	Scrutiny of Annual return for information on Mining Engineer, Geologist and Manager	NOT APPOINTED	MINE NOT IN OPERATION	MINE NOT IN OPERATION
9c	Scrutiny of Annual return on land use pattern for area under pits, reclaimed area, dumps etc.	GIVEN	AS GIVEN	NIL
9d	Scrutiny of Annual return on afforestation	YES	NIL	NIL

9e	Scrutiny of Annual return on mineral reject generation (Grade and quantity)	NA	NA	NIL
9f	Scrutiny of Annual return on ROM stock and/or graded ore	YES GIVEN	AS GIVEN	NIL
9g	Scrutiny of Annual return on sale value, Ex. Mine price and production cost	GIVEN	NIL	NIL
9h	Scrutiny of Annual return on fixed assets	NA	NIL	NIL
9k	Scrutiny of Annual return on mining machineries	NA	NA	NIL

Details of violations observed during current inspection and compliance position of violation pointed out

Violation observed		Show couse position	
Rule NO.	Issued on Compliance on	Rule NO.	Issued on Compliance on

Date :

(SALIL SANDIP KUJUR)

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