

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

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Dt. .09.2017

Mine code - 38TMN 28002

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Sub Violation of provisions of MCDR -2017 in respect of your Devarmalai Limestone Mine over an area of 166.535 hect ,(G.O.No.25) in Devarmalai & Melapaguthi Village, Karur –Taluk & District of Tamilnadu.

Sir,

To.

The following provisions of the Mineral Conservation and Development Rules 2017 were found violated in your above referred mine during the inspection on **19.08.17** by the undersigned.

Rule	Nature of Violation
11(2)	Modifications to the Approved Mod.Mining Plan was approved vide letter
	No.TN/TRR/LST/MS-1241.MDS dated 01.06.2015 for the period from 2015-16 to
	2018-19. The deviations observed in mining operations vis-à-vis approved document is given below :-
	There is no proposal of production & development in eastern pit during 2016-17, but, during the inspection it was observed that the production & development pit has developed East of E 3250 up to the safety barrier of Eastern boundary and it has also been conformed from the Updated plan dated 1.4.17 submitted during inspection, the pit has reached RL of 166.849. Hence it has deviated from the approved Modified mining plan.

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. 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,

(S.THIRUNAVUKKARASU) SENIOR MINING GEOLOGIST

Copy forwarded for kind information :

1. The Controller of Mines (SZ), Indian Bureau of Mines, Bangalore.

2. The Commissioner, Department of Geology & Mining, Chennai.

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