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MINISTRY OF MINES
INDIAN BUREAU OF MINES
Office of the Regional Controller of Mines, Hyderabad

No.AP/KNL/SSD-24/Hyd

Kendriya Sadan, 1st Floor
Sultan Bazar, Koti
Hyderabad – 500 095
Date: 26.07.2013

To
M/s E Pratap Reddy Minerals,
H.No. 8-126-1,
Aravind Nagar,
Kurnool Road,
Dhone.

Sub: Violation of provisions of MCDR, 1988 in respect of your Chintapally Silica Sand Mine in S.No 484/A1 over an area of 20.243 ha in Chintapalli village, Kurnool District, A.P. State.

Sir,

The following provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 1988 (Amended in 2011) were found violated in your above mine during the inspection on 3.7.2013 by Sri P. Guruvaiah, Asstt. Mining Geologist:

Rule No.	Nature of Violation
22(1)	Notice for opening of mine to be submitted in Form-C within fifteen days of such opening has fallen due for submission.
12(3)	“The Scheme of mining has not been submitted to the Competent Authority at least 120 days before the expiry of five years period for which it was approved on the last occasion. The Mining Plan for the mine was approved on 19.08.2005 for a period of five years. The proposed period of approved Mining Plan expired on 31.3.2010 and no Scheme of Mining was submitted to the competent authority for the subsequent period.
13(1)	Mining operations should have been undertaken in accordance with the approved Mining Plan/Scheme of Mining. Since you have no approved Scheme of Mining for your above mentioned Mine, it is evident that the mining operations are not being carried out in accordance with the approved Scheme of Mining.
45(5)(a) (viii)	Monthly returns of January, 2013 onwards of the mine has not been submitted to the Regional Controller of Mines, IBM, Hyderabad which ought to have been submitted before 10 th every month in respect of preceding month in Form F-8 have not been submitted.
45(5)(b) (viii)	Annual returns for the year 2011-12 to 2012-13 of the mine has not been submitted to the Regional Controller of Mines, IBM, Hyderabad, which ought to have been submitted in Form H-8 before 1 st July of each year for the preceding year.

02. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above said violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule-58 of MCDR, 1988. Besides, inability to comply the provision of Rules 13(1), 45(5)(a)(viii) and 45(5)(b)(viii) is also liable for suspension of mining operations under the provision of Rule 13(2) & Rule 45(7)(i)(a) of MCDR, 1988.
03. 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 and or Mining operations shall be suspended under the provision of Rule 13(2) & 45(7)(i)(a) of MCDR, 1988 in the Mine till the compliance of the aforesaid violation.
04. Please note that no further notice will be given to you in this regard.

Yours faithfully,

(Rajesh Kumar Das)
Asstt. Controller of Mines

मूल प्रति पर नहीं/Not on the Original:

1. खान नियंत्रक(द), भारतीय खान ब्यूरो, बंगलूर को प्रतिलिपि सूचनार्थ अग्रेषित ।
2. The Director of Mines & Geology, Government of Andhra Pradesh, BRBK Bhawan, Tank Bund Road, Hyderabad
3. The Assistant Director of Mines & Geology, Government of Andhra Pradesh, Kurnool.

(Rajesh Kumar Das)
Asstt. Controller of Mines

