

Regd. A/D / Speed Post
Violation-cum-Show Cause Notice

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

No. TN/TKD/LST-12-MDS

C-4-A, Rajaji Bhavan
CGO, Complex, Besant Nagar
Chennai -600 090.

Dated: 4/03/2014

To:
Sri R.K. Das
Director & Nominated Owner
M/s. India Cements Limited
Coromandal Towers
93 Santhome High Road, R.A. Puram
Chennai – 600 028.

Sub: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 1988, in respect of your Maniyakaranpatti Limestone Mine over an area of 25.495 ha. in Maniyakaranpatti Village, Vilathikulam Taluk, Tuticorin District, Tamil Nadu State.

Sir,

The following provision of the Mineral Conservation and Development rules, 1988 were found violated in your above mine during the inspection on 25/02/2014 by the undersigned.

Rule No.	Nature of violations observed
13(1)	Against a proposal of production of 90502 tonnes during 2012-13, 1,68,352 tonnes has actually been produced. Similarly, against no proposal for the year 2013-14 for production, till 31 st January, 2014, 17,890 tonnes has already been produced and the production is still continuing during the month of February, 2014.

02. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 58 of MCDR, 1988.

03. You are, therefore, directed to show cause within a period of 30 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 in your above mine suspended under Rule 13(2) of MCDR, 1988.

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

Yours faithfully,

(T.K. RATH)
Regional Controller of Mines

Copy forwarded to:

- 1) The Commissioner of Geology & Mining, Department of Geology & Mining, Government of Tamilnadu, Guindy, Chennai – 600 032, with a request not to allow dispatch of mineral from the mine with immediate effect.
- 2) The District Collector, Collectorate Office, Tuticorin District, Tamil Nadu, with a request not to allow dispatch of mineral from the mine with immediate effect.

3) The Controller of Mines (SZ), Indian Bureau of Mines, Bangalore, for kind information.

(T.K. RATH)
Regional Controller of Mines