## भारत सरकार/GOVERNMENT OF INDIA

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Mine Code:-38KAR26009

To, Shri S.M.Modi, Village-Lokapur, Taluka-Mudhol, District-Bagalkot,

Karnataka-587122.

Sub: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation & Development Rules, 2017 in respect of your Choudapur Limestone Mine (M.L.No.2610) over an extent of 4.86 Ha. situated in Choudapur Village, Mudhol Taluka, Bagalkot District of Karnataka State.

Sir,

The following provisions of Mineral Conservation & Development Rules, 2017 were found violated in your above mine during the inspection on 15.02.2018 (F/N) by the undersigned in presence of Shri L.S.Hiremath, Lessee and communicated to you vide this office Regd./Speed post letter of even number dated 28.02.2018 giving you a period of 45 (Forty-Five) days for rectification of the same.

Rule	Nature of Violation observed
11(1)	The following deviations were observed in the approved Modified Mining Plan dated 27.12.2016.  a) The working has been not carriedout as per the proposal mentioned on the production and development plan for the year 2017-18. In the year 2017-18 working was proposed b/w co-ordinates N-1788590 to 1788680 and E-539480 to 539560 and N-1788500 to 1788550 and E-539400 to 539550. However during inspection it was observed that working is started b/w co-ordinates N-1788550 to N1788570 and E-539425 to 539445.  b) waste dumping was not made as per the proposal.
26(2)	An yearly report before 1st July of every year setting forth the extent of protective and rehabilitation work carried out as envisaged in the approved

		progressive mine closure plan has not been submitted for the year 2016-17 so far.
27(1)	&	The differential financial assurance for the mining and allied activities as per
27(2)		MCDR 2017 is not paid for the entire area as shown in the PMCP chapter of
		approved Modified mining plan within 90 days from the commencement of
		MCDR 2017.
31(4)		The plans and section required under the MCDR rules 2017 are not updated
45(7)		Following deficiencies were observed in the annual returns submitted for the
		year 2016-17.
		i) Land use details are not properly mentioned ii) Cost of production is shown as
		zero iii) Registration number of buyors are not mentioned.

- 02. The reply furnished by you vide letter no. Nil dated 15.04.2018 was duly considered and found not satisfactory.
- 03. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitutes an offence, punishable under Rule 62 of Mineral Conservations and Development Rules, 2017.
- 04. You are therefore, directed to show cause within a period of **30** (**thirty**) **days** as why you should not be prosecuted for the above offence and / or why mining operations shall not be suspended as per provision of Rule 11(2) of Mineral Conservations and Development Rules, 2017.
- 05. Please note that no further notice will be given to you in this regard.

Yours faithfully

(Kalmata M.K.) Senior Mining Geologist Indian Bureau of Mines

Copy forwarded for kind information to: -

- 1. The Controller of Mines (SZ), Indian Bureau of Mines, Bangalore.
- 2. The Director, Department of Mines & Geology, Khanij Bhavan, Race Course Road, Bangalore 560 001.

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