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File No: UP/Sonbhadra/Lst -02 6115-6116

Scheme No.-11, Kamla Nehru Nagar Jabalpur, Dated: 12 / 10 /2021

To,

- 1) Shri K C Jhanwar, Nominated owner,
- M/S Ultratech Cement Limited B wing, Ahura Centre, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor. Mahakali Caves Road, Andheri (East), Mumbai, Pin-400093 (Maharastra)
- Shri Vivek Khosla (Agent) Ultratech Cemement Ltd, Dalla cement works
   Vill – Kota, Post – Dala Dist: Sonbhadra (U.P.)
- Subject: Violation of provisions of provisions of Mineral Conservation & Development Rules, 2017 In respect of your Bhalua limestone mine in District of Sonbhadra in U.P. State over an area Of 592.827 Ha.

Dear Sir,

The following provisions of the Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 were found violated in your above mentioned mine during MCDR inspection on 21/09/2021 by the undersigned in presence of Mr.VivekKhosla, Mines Head and GM –Geology, shri Gehrana

| Rule<br>11(1)                 | No holder of a mining lease shall commence or carry out mining operations in any area<br>except in accordance with the mining plan approved, modified or reviewed by the Indian<br>Bureau of Mines or prepared and certified in accordance with the system established by the<br>State Government pursuant to the proviso to clause (b) of sub-section (2) of section 5 or<br>approved by the competent authority of the Atomic Minerals Directorate for Exploration and<br>Research, in respect of minerals specified in Part B of the First Schedule to the Act where<br>the grade of such atomic minerals is equal to or above the threshold value limits declared<br>under Schedule-A of the Atomic Minerals Concession Rules, 2016.<br>During inspection in your mines it is observed for the year 20-21 that:<br>1. Excavation are observed with in 50 mtrs of powerlines(400 KV) in pit 2, which are not as<br>per plan proposals. The excavation should be stopped immediately and done no further.<br>2. Pit working have not developed in eastern direction as per mining plan proposal. |
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| Rule<br>37(2)<br>MCDR<br>2017 | <ul> <li>37. Storage of overburden, waste rock, etc (1) Every holder of a prospecting licence, prospecting license cum mining lease or a mining lease shall take steps so that the overburden, waste rock, rejects and fines generated during prospecting and mining operations or tailings, slimes and fines produced during sizing, sorting and beneficiation or metallurgical operations shall be stored in separate dumps.</li> <li>(2) The dumps shall be properly secured to prevent escape of material therefrom in harmful quantities which may cause degradation of environment and to prevent causation of floods.</li> <li>The protective structures to prevent escape of material from dump, such as checkdam, drain at foot of dump/bund in block 2 in west of pit 2 for dump(located between E-704200-704400 and N2705600-2705800) are not constructed/maintained.</li> </ul>  |

02.In this connection it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of MCDR-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.



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02. 01.The Director of Geology & Mining, Govt .of uttar Pradesh, KhanijBhavan, 27/8,Ram Mohan RaiMarg,Lucknow,U.P. for information and further necessary action.

02. The District Collector, Sonebhadra (U.P.) for information

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<u>प्रतिलिपि प्रेषित :</u> खान नियंत्रक (मध्य), भारतीय खान ब्यूरो, नागपुर को सूचनार्थ प्रेषित।

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