



Government of India
Ministry of Mines
Indian Bureau of Mines
Office of the Regional Controller of Mines, Jabalpur

Show-cause notice
Registered/Speed Post

File No. UP/Sonbhadra/Lst -07

Mine Code: 38UPR56003

Date: 16/012/2021

To,

1) Shri K C Jhanwar, Nominated owner,
M/S Ultratech Cement Limited
B wing, Ahura Centre, 2nd floor.
Mahakali Caves Road, Andheri (East), Mumbai,
Pin-400093 (Maharashtra)

1) Shri Vivek Khosla (Agent)
Ultratech Cement 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 Julgul limestone mine in District of Sonbhadra in U.P. State over an area of 350.383 Ha.

Sir,

Undersigned has inspected your mine in the presence of Mr Vivek Khosla, Mines Head & Mr Gehran, Gm Geology on 21/09/2021 and violation letter of even number dated 14/10/2021 was issued for below mentioned rules of MCDR-2017.

<p>Rule 11(1)</p>	<p>No holder of a mining lease shall commence or carry out mining operations in any area except in accordance with the mining plan approved, modified or reviewed by the Indian Bureau of Mines or prepared and certified in accordance with the system established by the State Government pursuant to the proviso to clause (b) of sub-section (2) of section 5 or approved by the competent authority of the Atomic Minerals Directorate for Exploration and Research, in respect of minerals specified in Part B of the First Schedule to the Act where the grade of such atomic minerals is equal to or above the threshold value limits declared under Schedule-A of the Atomic Minerals Concession Rules, 2016.</p> <p><i>During inspection it is observed , for the year 20-21:</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"><i>1. The quantity of overburden/interburden removed during the year is far less than planned quantity.(yr 20-21)</i> <p><i>Quantity of overburden removed in M3 is 93467 M³ against planned 163293M³</i><ol style="list-style-type: none"><i>2. Excavation is observed wit in 50 mtrs of powerlines (400 KV) In pit 2 which are not as per plan proposals. The excavation should be stopped immediately and done no further.</i><i>3. The survival rate of plantation done on dump close to bhalua colony is poor in absence of fencing and post plantation care.</i></p>
<p>Rule 37(2) MCDR 2017</p>	<p>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.</p> <p>(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.</p> <p><i>The protective structures to prevent escape of material from dump, such as checkdam, drain at foot of dump/bund in block 2(in south of pit no 2) for dump(located between E-704300-704500 and N2705400-2705200) are not constructed/maintained.</i></p>

1. Your reply dated 12/11/2021 received in this office dated 18/11/2021 has been duly considered and the reply of violation of rules 11(1) & 37(2) has not been found satisfactory. Therefore, violation of Rule 11(1) & 37(2) of MCDR-2017 still exists in above mention mine.
2. The mining operations can be suspended under the rule 11(2) of MCDR-2017, if compliance of rule 11(1) of MCDR-2017 is not found satisfactory.
3. 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 offences.
4. 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.
5. Please note that no further notice will be given to you in this regard.

भवदीय,
19/11/21
(संदीप सिंह)
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भारतीय खान ब्यूरो

NOO:

प्रतिलिपि प्रेषित : :

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, **Sonbhadra (U.P.)** for information.

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खान नियंत्रक (मध्य), भारतीय खान ब्यूरो, नागपुर को सूचनार्थ प्रेषित।

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