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क्षेत्रीय खान नियंत्रक कार्यालय / OFFICE OF THE REGIONAL CONTROLLER OF MINES

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Violation Letter / उल्लंघन पत्र

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File No. AP/GNR/LST-24/Hyd. Vol.III

38 APR 14029

Date: 05/08/2022

To

Smt. Lakshmi Aparna Sreekumar, Director & Nominated Owner
M/s The India Cements Limited,
Coromandel Towers, 93, Santhome High Road,
Karpagam Avenue, R.A. Puram,
Chennai (Tamil Nadu) - 600028

Sub: Violation of provisions of MCDR, 2017 in respect of your Krishnapuram Limestone Mine over an extent of 652.10 ha. situated in Pondugala and Pulipadu Villages, Dachepalli and Gurazala Mandals, Guntur District of Andhra Pradesh State.

Sir,

The following provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 (MCDR, 2017) were found violated in the above mine during the inspection on 28/07/2022 by the undersigned in presence of the mine officials Shri Y. Saidulu, Manager (Mines) and Shri M. Dheivendiran, Geologist.

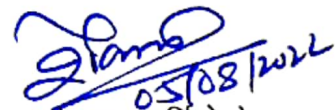
Rule No.	Nature of violation
Rule 12 (4)	Detailed exploration (G1 level) over 58.75 Ha. potentially mineralised area has not been carried out within a period of five years from the date of commencement of MCDR, 2017.
Rule 33	A digital copy alongwith a print copy of the surface geological plan and sections has not been submitted before 30th day of June to the authorised officer for the financial year 2021-22.

02. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the violation of aforesaid rule constitutes an offence, punishable under Rule 62(1) of MCDR, 2017 as well as Fine may be imposed as specified under Schedule-III of rule 62(2) of MCDR, 2017 Amended up to 3rd November 2021.

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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05/08/2022

(शिवल कार्तिकेय)

वरिष्ठ खनन भूविज्ञानी
भारतीय खान ब्यूरो, हैदराबाद

प्रतिलिपि: सूचनार्थ एवं आवश्यक कार्यवाही हेतु :-

1. खान नियंत्रक (दक्षिण), भारतीय खान ब्यूरो, बंगलूर (कर्नाटक) - 560022
2. The Director of Mines and Geology, Government of Andhra Pradesh, Sri Anjaneya Towers, Door No.7-104, B-Block, 5th and 6th Floors, BTPS Road, PO Ibrahimpatnam-521456, Vijayawada, Krishna District.

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Rule No.	Nature of violation
Rule 45 (7)	<p>Annual Return F.Y. 2021-22: Part IV; Consumption of Explosive: 3. Overburden removed (in Tonne): The mentioned figure under this para is incorrect as the removed quantity 9338.00 metric tonnes is not overburden. Factually it is topsoil generated during F.Y. 2021-22. Part - VII; Cost of Production: For computation of cost of production, cost of transportation from mining lease up to the captive plant should not be added.</p> <p>Monthly Returns: April 2022 to June 2022 Part II (Production, Despatches And Stocks) (Limestone); 3(ii) Grade-wise Production, Despatches, Stocks and Ex-mine prices: For computation of cost of the Ex-mine price, cost of transportation from mining lease up to the captive plant should not be added.</p>

02. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the violation of aforesaid rule constitutes an offence, punishable under Rule 62(1) of MCDR, 2017 as well as Fine may be imposed as specified under Schedule-II of rule 45(7A) of MCDR, 2017 Amended up to 3rd November 2021.

03. The mining operations and despatches can be suspended under rule 45(7), if compliance of rule 45(7) is not found satisfactory.

04. 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 offences.

05. Please note that no further notice will be give to you in this regard.