

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

By Regd., A/D

No. TN/KDC/Lst-5.MDS  
Mine Code: 38TMN28019

C-4-A, RajajiBhavan

GO complex, Besant Nagar  
Chennai – 600 090.

To:

Dated: 20 .6.2018

Smt R.Prema,  
M/S Salem Chemicals,  
Varavanai Limestone mine,  
14/22,Agraharam,  
Shevapet  
Salem-636 002.

Sub: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules,2017, in respect of your Varavanai limestone mine over 2.34hect in Varavanai village Kulithalai taluk of Karur district of Tamilnadu State.

Sir,

The following provisions of the MCDR, 2017 was found violated in your above mine during the MCDR inspection by Sri A.S.SanjeevaRao, Asst., Mining Geologist on 07.6.2018 accompanied by Sri Ramesh your representative.

Rule No	Nature of Violation observed
11(2)	<p><u>Mining operations under mining lease</u>: The mining operations are not carried out in accordance with the approved or certified mining plan or any information contained in the mining plan is found to be incorrect, misleading or non-compliant with applicable laws including these rules, the competent authority may by order, suspend all or any of the mining operations and permit continuance of only such operations as are required to restore the conditions in the mine as envisaged under the approved or certified mining plan or modified mining plan, for the purpose of restoration to the extent possible.</p> <p>The proposals made in the approved scheme of mining dated.14.8.2012 under yearwise development and production as per table no.14 the yearwise production for 2016-17 was 39200tonnes, which is more than four fold in the approved document. Thus the mining operations are contrary to proposals made in the approved document.</p>

02. 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.

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.

Yours faithfully,

(Salil Sandip Kujur)  
Deputy Controller of Mines  
for Regional Controller of Mines

Copy forwarded for information to :

1. The Controller of Mines (SZ), Indian Bureau of Mines, Bangalore.
2. The Commissioner, Department of Geology &Mining, Chennai.

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Show cause notice

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To:

Dated: .9.2018

Smt. R. Prema, Managing Partner  
M/s. Salem Chemicals  
Varavanai Limestone Mine  
14/22. Agraharam,  
Shevapet  
Salem – 636 002.

Sub: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017, in respect of your Varavanai Limestone mine over 2.34 hect in Varavanai village Kulithalai taluk, Karur district of Tamilnadu State.

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02. In this connection, reply vide your letter Nil dated 02.06.2018 is not satisfactory and cannot be considered for compliance. It is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of Mineral Conservations and Development Rules, 2017.

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 offences.

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

Yours faithfully

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