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NO: KNT/BJP/LST-73/GOA

Mine Code: 38KAR26051

Date: 14/07/21

सेवा में/ To,

Smt. Rajeshwari M. Viraktamath, Mine Owner
Naganapur Limestone & Dolomite Mine
Bagalkot Road, Post: Lokapur,
Taluka: Mudhol.
Bagalkot District.
Karnataka: 587122

विषय/Subject: Violations of MCDR provisions in respect of Naganapur Limestone & Dolomite Mine, ML No. 2425 of Smt. Rajeshwari M. Viraktamath, Extent 2.78 Ha., located at Naganapur Village, Mudhol Taluk, Bagalkot District of Karnataka State.

महोदय/Sir,

The following provisions of the Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 were found violated in your above mine during inspection on 28.06.2021 by undersigned in presence of Shri Siddha Ramesh – Permit Manager & and other mining officials:

Rules	Nature of Violations observed
11(1)	The mining operation in the lease hold area is not carried out as per the approved Modifications in the approved review of Mining Plan dated 18.09.2018 to the extent mentioned below: a) 10,000 tonnes of Limestone ROM production has been proposed during F.Y. 2020-21, against which 11,900 tonnes of Limestone ROM production has been reported. b) Toe wall and garland drain are not found constructed along the waste dump, located at south western side of the ML area.
26 (2)	An yearly report before 1 st 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 last year 2020-21. [next page..]

35(2)	<p>a) Online self-assessment report of star rating for the F.Y. 2020-21 in the format prescribed by the Indian Bureau of Mines is not found submitted by the lessee on or before 1st July, 2021.</p> <p>b) High resolution satellite images obtained from CARTOSAT-2 satellite LISS-IV sensor on the scale of cadastral map, as on 31st March for that financial year, covering the mining lease and an area of 2 kilometres from the lease boundary has not been submitted to the Regional Controller of Mines, IBM-Goa for the year 2020-21.</p>
45(7)	<p>a) Following discrepancies have been observed in the submitted Annual Return 2020-21, in Form H-8:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ Part-I, Para-12: In lease area utilization, area covered under current (O/C) working is furnished incorrectly as 1.54 Ha. ➤ Part-VI, Para-2: Ex-mine price of grade-wise processed ore in respect of BF Grade Limestone has been mentioned incorrectly as Rs. 475.82/ tonne. As per the reported sale value in para 5, the price is arriving at Rs. 476.74/ tonne for BF Grade Limestone (details of deduction for computation of Ex-mine price is furnished as Nil). <p>b) Closing stock in respect of all processed Limestone ore at minehead has been furnished as 17,566.55 tonnes in the Monthly Return of May 2021 but during the inspection no such stock quantity is found within the ML area.</p>
48(1)	Record of drilled boreholes, drilled in F.Y. 2020-21 are not found maintained in Form -J.
55(1)(3)(iii)	The mine is being operated without employing a full time Mining Engineer and a full time Geologist as required under the provision of this rule.

02. It is brought to your notice that violation of the above Rule constitutes an offence punishable under Rule 62 of MCDR, 2017.

03. The mining operations can be suspended under rule 11(2), if compliance of rule 11(1) is not found satisfactory.

04. 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.

भवदीय/Yours faithfully,

Sd/-

(Krishnendu Chatterjee)
Senior Mining Geologist
Indian Bureau of Mines

Copy for kind information to:

1. The Controller of Mines (SZ), Indian Bureau of Mines, Bangalore.
2. The Director (Stat.), MMS Division, IBM-Nagpur.
3. The Director, Dept. of Mines & Geology, 49, Khanij Bhavan, Race Course Road, Bangalore-560001.

Sd/-

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