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NO: KNT/BJP/LST-56/GOA

Mine Code: 38KAR26023

Date: 14/07/21

सेवा में/ To,

Shri R.K. Method, Mine Owner
Naganpur Limestone Mine (ML No. 2357)
Village-Lokapur, Taluka- Mudhol
Bagalkot District
Karnataka 587 122

विषय/Subject: Violations of MCDR provisions in respect of Naganpur Limestone Mine, ML No. 2357 of Shri R.K. Method, Extent 4.43 Ha., located at Naganpur 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 29.06.2021 by undersigned in presence of S/shri V.R. Method, son of the lessee and Ganesh Lambani-Permit Manager:

Rules	Nature of Violations observed
11(1)	The mining operation in the lease hold area is not carried out as per the approved Modified Mining Plan dated 27.12.2016 to the extent mentioned below: a) 50,000 tonnes of Limestone ROM production has been proposed during F.Y. 2020-21, against which only 300 tonnes of Limestone ROM production has been reported as per submitted monthly returns. b) As per conditions stipulated in the approved progressive mine closure plan, lessee is required to carry out periodic environment monitoring at core and buffer zone areas but during the course of inspection it was found that periodic environment monitoring was not carried out by the lessee.
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(5)(c)(i)	Annual Return for the F.Y. 2020-21 which shall be submitted on or before 1 st day of July, 2021 is not found submitted to the Regional Controller of Mines, Goa by the lessee.
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,

(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.

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