

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

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To

Shri Neeraj Kr. Verma (Nominated Owner) Executive Director, M/s K.J.S Cement Ltd. Village Amilia PO. Maihar, District:-Satna (MP) 485001

Sub: Violation of provisions of MCDR 1988 in respect of your Bhatia Limestone mine over an extent of 18.165 hect in district Satna of Madhya Pradesh.

The following provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 1988 were found violated in your above mine during the inspection by the undersigned on 10.12.2015 in presence of Shri M.K Jain & Shri Prabhanjan Mishra.

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Rule No.

Nature of violation observed

13(1)

Every holder of a mining lease shall carry out mining operation in accordance with the approved mining plan with such conditions as may have been prescribed under sub rule (2) of rule 9 or with such modifications, if any, as permitted under rule 10 or the mining plan or scheme approved under rule 11 or 12 as the case may be.

The Scheme of mining for the Bhatia limestone mine over an extent of 18.165 hect was approved on 28.08.2013. In the approved surface plan of lease there were two Quarry i.e. Quarry 1 & Quarry 2. Quarry 1 is located on the north western side and Quarry 2 is located on the southern side of the lease. There was no proposal for excavation in the Quarry-1during the year 2013-14, 2014-15 & 2015-16. However during the inspection dated 10.12.2015 it was observed that the excavation has been carried out in the Quarry 1. In the northern portion of the quarry-1 excavation has been carried out and the quarry has been deepened. Also, excavation has been carried out in the eastern face of the quarry.

During the year 2013-14 & 2014-15 it was proposed to carry out drilling of 4 & 5 number of exploratory drill holes respectively. However during inspection it was observed that no such exploratory drilling has been carried out.

23E (2)

The owner, agent, Manager or Mining engineer shall submit to the Regional Controller of Mines or the officer authorized by the state government in this behalf, as the case may be, a yearly report before 1st July of every year setting forth the extent of protective and rehabilitative works carried out as envisaged in the approved mine closure Plan, and if there is any deviation, reasons thereof.

Annual statement for the year 2012-13 and onwards have not been received in this office till date.

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The owner, agent, mining engineer or manager of every mine shall, [on or before 30th day of June] every year submit to the Controller General, Controller of mines and the Regional Controller a copy of the plans and sections maintained under rule 28.

During the inspection it was observed that updated copy of plans and sections as required to be maintained under rule 28 of MCDR 1988 are not being maintained and not been submitted at this office till date.

45(5) (b)

- The owner, agent, mining engineer or manager of every mine, shall submit to the Regional controller of Mines in the Indian Bureau of Mines or any other authorized official of the Indian Bureau of mines, returns in respect of each mine, in the following manner, namely:-
- (a) A monthly return which shall be submitted before the 10th of every month in respect of preceding month in the Form F8 & F3.
- (b) An annual return which shall be submitted before the 1st July each year for the preceding financial year in the Form H8 & H3.
- In submitted annual return for the year 2014-15 in part 1 the area occupied under the open cast working is stated as 0.420 hect whereas during the inspection it was observed that much higher area is under open cast working.
- 02. It is brought to your notice that the above said violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule-58 of MCDR, 1988.
- 03. The mining operations can be suspended under rule 13(2) if the compliance of rule 13(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.
- 04. Please note that no further notice will be given to you in this regard.

Yours faithfully,

(Mithelesh Purohit) Assistant Controller of Mines

Copy for kind information to: -

- 1. The Controller of Mines (CZ), IBM, Indira Bhawan, Civil Lines Nagpur for kind information.
- 2. The Director, Directorate of Geology & Mining, Khanij Bhavan, Arera Hills, Bhopal. (M.P).

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(MitheleshPurohit) Assistant Controller of Mines

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