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No:- IBM/GHY/MEG/JNH/LST-12

Dated- 20.08.2019

To,

Sri Basant Kumar Mittal, (Nominated Owner)

M/s. Hills Cement Company Limited,

Village- Mynkree, 116 Km. Stone, NH-44,

Dist- East jaintia Hills,

Meghalaya-793200

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Subject: Violation of provisions of MCDR, 2017, in respect of your Mynkree Limestone Mine (38MEG03014) over an area of 4.00 Ha. in village Mynkree Village, Taluka-Khliehriat, East Jaintia Hills district of Meghalaya State.

Sir,

The following provisions of MCDR 2017 were found violated in your above mine during the inspection carried out on 13th August 2019 by the undersigned in presence of the mine official Sri M. K. Jain (Mines Manager).

Rule Number	Nature of violations observed
11(1): No holder of a mining lease shall commence or carry out mining operations in any area except in accordance with the mining plan approved, modified or reviewed by the Indian Bureau of Mines or prepared and certified in accordance with the system established by the State Government pursuant to the proviso to clause (b) of sub-section (2) of section 5 or approved by the competent authority of the Atomic Minerals Directorate for Exploration and Research, in respect of minerals specified in Part B of the First Schedule to the Act where the grade of such atomic minerals is equal to or above the threshold value limits declared under Schedule-A of the Atomic Minerals Concession.	The following deviations to the approved review of mining plan were found in your mine:- i) As per the approved review of mining plan document, for 2018-19, development proposal has been given up-to 666 mRL along AA' Section and up-to 660 mRL along BB' section. Further 116074 cum of waste from the existing waste dump are to be backfilled along AA' & BB' section over the worked out benches. But the same has not been carried out in the mine.
26(2): The holder of mining lease shall submit to the competent authority a yearly report as per the format specified by the Indian Bureau of Mines, before 1 st day of July every year setting forth the extent of protective and rehabilitative works carried out as envisaged in approved mine closure plan, and if there is any deviation, reasons thereof;	i) You have not submitted yearly report of protective and rehabilitative works carried out, to the competent authority till date.
33: The holder of a mining lease shall, on or before the 30 th day of June every year submit to the authorized officer, as the case may be, and the State Government, a digital copy along with a print copy of the surface geological plan and section maintained under rule 32.	i) You have not submitted digital copy along with a print copy of the surface geological plan and section maintained under rule 32, to the competent authority till date.

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35(2): Every holder of a mining lease shall monitor his mining and allied activities as per the notified template of star rating in the format prescribed in this behalf by the Indian Bureau of Mines from time to time, and shall submit online its self-assessment report before the 1st day of July every year for the previous financial year, along with the soft copy (in the standard format), of high resolution satellite images obtained from CARTOSAT-2 satellite LISS-IV sensor on the scale of cadastral map, as on the 31st day of March for that financial year, covering the mining lease and an area of two kilometres from the lease boundary, to the Regional Controller or the authorized officer of the Indian Bureau of Mines.	i) As per this office record, till the date of inspection you have not filled online templates (self-assessment report) in the web portal.
55: Every holder of a mining lease shall employ, in case of category 'A' mine, a whole time mining engineer and a geologist, shall have minimum five years of professional experience of working in a supervisory capacity in the field of mining;	i) As per the record, Sri Deependra Singh, geologist has resigned your organization since 30.11.2018 and you have submitted Form-H notice of resignation vide letter dated 03.12.2018 and presently there is no geologist working in your mine.

02. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 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 violation immediately and intimate the position to this office within a period of 45 (Forty five) days from the date of issue of this letter.

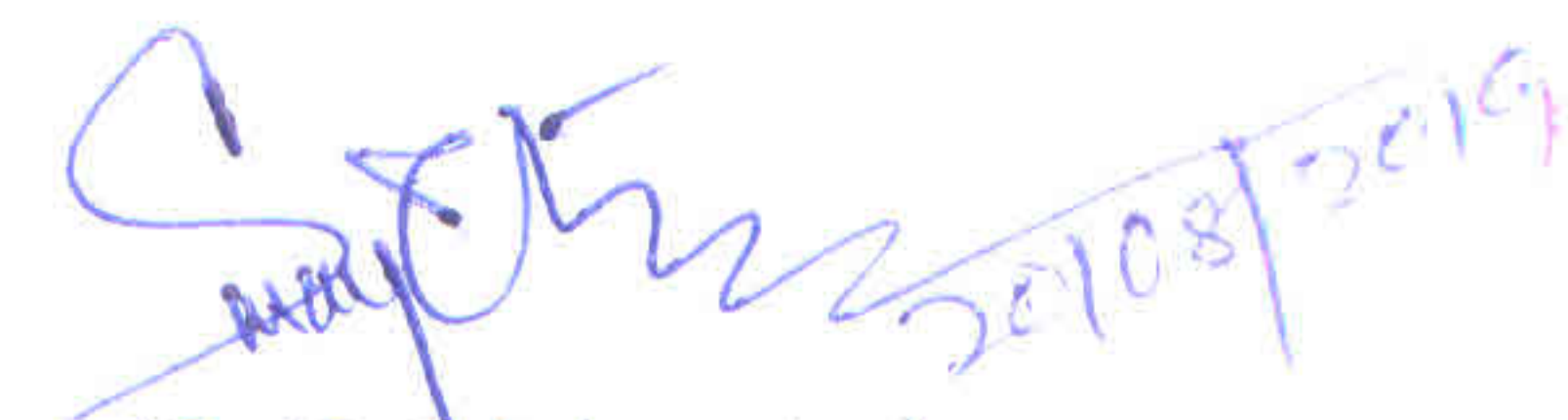
Yours faithfully



(S. K. Mohapatra)
Senior Mining Geologist

Copy forwarded for kind information to:

- (i) The Controller of Mines (EZ), Indian Bureau of Mines, Kolkata.
- (ii) The Director, Directorate of Mineral Resources, Govt. Of Meghalaya, Risa Colony, Shillong, Meghalaya-793003.



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Senior Mining Geologist

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