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MINISTRY OF MINES  
INDIAN BUREAU OF MINES  
Office of the Regional Controller of Mines, Hyderabad

No. AP/KNL/Lst-139/Hyd

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Date: 05.10.2016

To  
Sri. S.VenkataRami Reddy,  
H.No: 6/4, Palkur(V)  
Banaganapalli(M),  
Kurnool dist.

Sub: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 1988 in respect of your Nandavaram Limestone mine over an extent of 2.202 ha in Palkur(V), Banaganapalli(M) Kurnool Dist., Andhra Pradesh.

Sir,

The following provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 1988 were found violated in your above mine during the inspection on 16.9.2016 by Smt. Ch.Suseela, Assistant Mining Geologist of this office accompanied by Shri. Narayana Reddy, Lessee's representative.

| Rule no. | Rule position  | Nature of violation  |
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| 13(1)    | Every holder of a mining lease shall carry out mining operations 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.  | Mining operations are not carried out in accordance with the proposals given in approved Scheme of Mining vide letter No. AP/KNL/MP/Lst-60/Hyd dated 28.5.2014 to the extent indicated below:<br><br>It was proposed to plant 200 saplings during the year 2015-16; against which only 50 saplings have been planted.            |
| 23 E(2)  | The owner, agent, manager or mining engineer shall submit to the Regional Controller of Mines <del>or the officer authorised by the State Government in this behalf, as the case may be,</del> 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.                             | The yearly report for the year 2015-16 setting forth the extent of protective and rehabilitation work carried out as envisaged in the approved scheme of Mining has not been submitted to the Regional Controller of Mines, Indian Bureau of Mines, Hyderabad.   |
| 45(7)    | If it is found that the owner, agent, mining engineer or manager of mine or the person or company engaged in trading or storage or end-use or export of minerals, as the case may be, has submitted incomplete or wrong or false information in monthly or special or annual returns or fails to submit a return within the date specified, -<br>(i) in the case of mining of minerals by the owner, agent, mining engineer or manager of mine, then | On scrutiny of Annual Return submitted for the year 2015-16, the following discrepancies are observed.<br><br>As per the approved Scheme of Mining, the reserves as on 1.4.2014 under proved category(111) were 21,054 tonnes and inferred mineral resources(333) were 7216 tonnes, after depleting the production for the years |

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|  | <p>the Regional Controller of Mines may,-</p> <p>(a) order suspension of all mining operations in the mine and may revoke the order of suspension only after ensuring proper compliance;</p> <p>(b) take action to initiate prosecution under these rules;</p> <p>(c) recommend termination of the mining lease, in case such suppression or misrepresentation of information indicates abetment or connivance of illegal mining;</p> | <p>2014-15(4350tonnes) and 2015-16(3900tonnes), the remaining proved reserves and inferred resources should have been 12,804 and 7216 tonnes respectively. Please refer, part- v, item no. 3 of the Annual Return, it is furnished that proved reserves and remaining resources are 21and 7 tonnes respectively, which are contradictory.</p> |
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02. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above said violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule-58 of MCDR, 1988. Besides, inability to comply the provision of Rule 45(7) is liable for suspension of mining operations under the provision of Rule 45 (7)(i)(a) of MCDR, 1988.

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

(Ibrahim Sharief)  
Sr. Assistant Controller of Mines

मूल प्रति पर नहीं/Not on the Original:

1. खान नियंत्रक(द), भारतीय खान ब्यूरो, बंगलूर को प्रतिलिपि सूचनार्थ अग्रेषित ।
2. The Director of Mines & Geology, Government of Andhra Pradesh, 8<sup>th</sup> Floor, BRBK Bhawan, Tank Bund Road, Hyderabad – 500 001.
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