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No:- IBM/GHY/MEG/JNH/LST-1

Dated- 15.11.2018

To,

Sri Lamshwa Kyndoh, (Nominated Owner) M/s. Meghalaya Minerals & Mines Limited, Vill & Po- Lumshnong,

Dist- East Jaintia Hills, Meghalaya-793210

E-mail: mmml2001@gmail.com

Subject: Violation of provisions of MCDR, 2017, in respect of your Lumshnong Limestone Mine (38MEG03001) over an area of 4.20 Hect. in Lumshnong Village, Taluka- Nurpuh, East Jaintia Hills district of Meghalaya State.

Sir,

On perusal of office record, the following provision of MCDR 2017 was violated in your above mine.

Rule Number

11(1): No holder of a mining lease shall commence or carry out mining operations in any area except in accordance with the plan approved, mining 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 Directorate Atomic Minerals 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 limits declared under threshold value Schedule-A of the Atomic Minerals Concession.

Nature of violations observed

The following deviations to the approved review of mining plan was found in your mine:-

i) The proposed production for the year 2017-18 is 180383 tons. As per the annual return submitted by you, total production for 2017-18 is 181803.710 tons. Further as per the revised annual return submitted by you, total production for 2017-18 is 179883.000 tons. But the cumulative production of the monthly returns from Aril-2017 to March-2018 is 181803.710 tons which are not matching with the production quantity of your revised submitted annual return.

You have mentioned in your compliance letter on dated 10.10.2018, that you have accepted your mistake in the submitted monthly returns and the mistake was happened during submission. In addition to that you have submitted photocopies of your data sheets of your manual record book which are obscure. So, you have to submit fair copies of your submitted datasheets duly signed and sealed by owner, agent and mines manager along with the original for verification.

- 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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