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File No.MP/Satna/Lst-134 ⁸⁴⁵⁹ Mine Code: 38MPR35117

Date: 21/05/2019

To, ⁸⁴⁵¹
M/s Hukamchand Stone Lime Company
Shri Neeraj Kumar Jain (Partner)
Nai Basti Katni 483501

Subject: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017, in respect to your Bhatoora Limestone Mine over an area of 5.529 hect. in Satna district of M.P.

Sir,

Undersigned has inspected your mine in the presence of QP Shri Sandipan Sarkar and Shri Jain (Mine official) on dated 26/03/2019, for submitted draft Review of Mining Plan with proposal period 2019-20 to 2023-24, following provisions of MCDR 2017, were found violated in your mines at the time of inspection.

Rule No	Nature of violation observed in detail
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Rule 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.

The Modification of Mining Plan of above mentioned mine was approved vide letter No. MP/Satna/Limestone/MPLN_Modi-16/15-16 dated 24/02/2016 incorporating proposals from year 2015-16 to 2018-19. During the inspection it was observed that mining operations in the mine was not carried out in accordance with the proposals given in the approved Modification of Mining Plan. The extents of deviation observed during inspection are as under:

- In approved Modification of Mining Plan in page no 13, it was proposed to drill total 5 nos of boreholes up to the depth of 40-meter each (Two in year 2016-17 and Three in year 2017-18) at the grid interval of 150 and 100 meter. During the inspection it was observed that above mentioned proposal was not completed till the date of inspection which is 26/03/2019.
- As per proposal given in the modification of mining plan no development and production were done in the lease area.
- 7.5-meter safty barrier zone was not maintained in the northern portion of the lease area from BP-7 to BP-8 to BP-2 to BP-1.

Rule 45(5) (b) The holder of a mining lease shall submit online returns in respect of each mine to the Regional Controller or any other authorized official of the Indian Bureau of Mines in the following manner namely: -

- A monthly return which shall be submitted before the tenth day of every month in respect of the preceding month in electronic form along with a signed print copy of the same if it is not digitally signed, in the prescribed form.

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Rule 45(5) (c) The holder of a mining lease shall submit online returns in respect of each mine in the following manner namely: -

(C) an annual return which shall be submitted before the 1st day of July each year for the preceding financial year in electronic form, along with a signed print copy of the same if it is not digitally signed, in the prescribed form.

Lessee is not submitting AR and MR electronically.

Rule 55 (1) For the purpose of carrying out reconnaissance, prospecting or mining operations in accordance with these rules, -

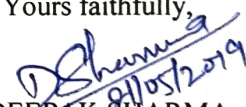
- (a) every holder of reconnaissance permit shall employ a whole-time geologist;
- (b) every holder of prospecting licence or a prospecting license-cum-mining lease shall employ a whole-time geologist and a part-time mining engineer;
- (c) every holder of a mining lease shall employ, in case of-
 - (i) category 'A' mines, a whole-time mining engineer and a geologist;
 - (ii) category 'B' mines, a part-time mining engineer and a part-time geologist;

Provided that in the case of fully mechanised category 'A' mines, the mining engineers and geologists shall have minimum five years of professional experience of working in a supervisory capacity in the field of mining.

In approved Review of Mining Plan in page no 32, as per given employment potential detail, information of Mining Engineer, Geologist are to be provided to this office in the prescribed form.

2. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of Mineral Conservations and Development Rules, 2017.
3. The mining operations can be suspended under the rule 11(2) of MCDR-2017, if compliance of rule 11(1) of MCDR-2017 is not found satisfactory.
4. You are advised to rectify the above violations immediately and intimate the position to this office within 30(Thirty) days from the date of issue of this letter.
5. Please note that no further notice will be given to you in this regard.

Yours faithfully,


DEEPAK SHARMA
Senior Mining Geologist
Indian Bureau of Mines

Copy forwarded for information to:

- 1) The Controller of Mines (CZ), Indian Bureau of Mines, Nagpur.
- 2) The Director, Directorate of Geology and Mining, Khanij Bhawan 29-A Arera Hills Bhopal M.P.