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To,

The Nominated Owner/ Agent Ravirala Limestone Mine(RF) The Ramco Cements Ltd., KSR Nagar, Jaggayyapet Mandal, Krishna District, Andhra Pradesh – 521 457.

Sub: Violation of provision of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 in respect Ravirala Limestone Mine(RF) (38APR10026) of The Ramco Cements Ltd over an extent of 60.72 ha. in Ravirala village and Jaggayyapet Mandal in Krishna district of Andhra Pradesh state.

Sir,

The following provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 (MCDR, 2017) were found violated in your above mine during the inspection on 19.10.2020 in the presence of Shri. P.Jani Reddy, Agent & Shri. B.Satya Balaji, Mine Manager.

Rule No.	Nature of Violations observed
11 (1)	Garland drain was proposed all around the OB dump to collect the runoff water and settling pond to collect the silt but during inspection it was found that the garland drain and settling pond was filled with silt and rain water was overflowing in the mine roads.
45(7)	In the year 2019-20, 218116 Tonnes of overburden was generated in your mine, whereas overburden removal is not reported in Part-V, 4.2(C) in the Annual Returns (2019-20).

- 02. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under rule 62 of MCDR, 2017. Further, inability to comply the provision of Rule 11(1) is liable for suspension of mining operations under 11(2), 45(7)(a)(i) of MCDR, 2017.
- 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

(Madhu Sudhan Yadav. M) Assistant Controller of Mines

Copy for information:

- 1. खान नियंत्रक (दक्षिण क्षेत्र), भारतीय खान ब्यूरो, बैंगलोर.
- 2. The Director, Department of Mines & Geology, Government of Andhra Pradesh.
- 3. The Assistant Director of Mines & Geology, Nandigama, Krishna district, Government of A.P.