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Violation cum Show Cause Notice

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF MINES INDIAN BUREAU OF MINES Office of the Regional Controller of Mines

No. AP/KNL/Lst-138/HYD

Room No. 603, 6th Floor, CGO Towers, Kavadiguda, Secunderabad - 500 080. Date:27.10.2016

To Sri B. Sanjeeva Reddy, Mine Owner, Yanakandla (Vill & PO), Banaganapalli (M) – 518 124, Kurnool District (A.P.)

Sub: Violation of provisions of MCDR, 1988 in respect of Venkatapuram Limestone Mine of Sri B. Sanjeeva Reddy, lessee over an extent of 0.639 ha. in Venkatapuram Village, Banaganapally Mandal, Kurnool District, Andhra Pradesh State.

Sir,

The following provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 1988 (amended in 2011) were found violated in the above mine during the inspection on 21.8.2016 by Sri M.Pratap Reddy Asst. Mining Geologist of this office in the presence of Sri Ram Goud representative of lessee:

Rule No.	Nature of violation observed
12(3)	Mining plan for Venkatapuram Limestone Mine was approved on 17.11.1999 for a period of five years from 2000-01 to 2004-05 which expired on 31.3.2005. The scheme of mining for next five years ought to have been submitted to the Regional Controller of Mines, Indian Bureau of Mines, Hyderabad for the subsequent periods, at least 120 days before the expiry of five years period for which the Scheme of Mining approved on the last occasion and the same has not been submitted so far.
13(1)	Mining operations should have been undertaken in accordance with the approved Mining Plan/Scheme of Mining. Since you have no approved Scheme of Mining for your above mentioned Mine, it is evident that the mining operations are not being carried out in accordance with the approved Scheme of Mining.
23(F)(1) & (3)	Requisite Financial Assurance has not been furnished.
45(5)(a)(viii)	Monthly Returns in Form F-8 since April 2015 to September 2016 have not been submitted to the Regional Controller of Mines, IBM, Hyderabad till date as required under this rule. The Monthly Returns should be submitted before 15th of every month in respect of preceding month.
45(5)(b)(viii)	Annual Returns in Form H-8, for the year 2014-15 and 2015-16 have not been submitted to the Regional Controller of Mines, IBM, Hyderabad till date as required under this rule. The Annual Returns should be submitted before 1st July of every year in respect of preceding year.

- 02. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 58 of MCDR, 1988. Non compliance of rules 13(1) & 45(5)(a)(vii) will lead to the issue of order of suspension of mining operations under rule 13(2) & 45(7)(a)(i) respectively of MCDR, 1988.
- 03. You are, therefore, hereby directed to **show-cause** within a period of 30(thirty) days from the date of issue of this letter, as to why you should not be **prosecuted** for the above offence and or mining operations suspended under the provision of Rules 13(2) & 45(7)(a)(i) of MCDR,1988 in the mine till the compliance of the aforesaid violation.
- 04. Please note that **no further notice** will be given to you in this regard. .

Yours faithfully,

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- 1. खान नियंत्रक(द), भारतीय खान ब्यूरो, बंगलुरू।
- 2. Copy for information & further necessary action to The Director, Department of Mines and Geology, Government of Andhra Pradesh, 8th Floor, BRKR Government Offices Complex, Tank Bund Road, Hyderabad-500 001.
- 3. The Assistant Director, Dept. of Mines and Geology, Govt. of Andhra Pradesh, D/12, Kurnool district, A.P. State.

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