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Date: .11.2018

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To,
Agent,
Sangamkalan Limestone Mine (Lease-I),
M/s The India Cements Limited,
Sangamkalan Village,
Tandur Mandal,
Dist-Vikarabad, Pin-508246,
State-Telangana,

Sub: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules- 2017 in respect of your Sangamkalan Limestone Mine (Lease-I) over an extent of 112.80 Ha in Sangamkalan Village, Mandal-Tandur, Vikarabad Dist, Telangana.

Sir,
The following provisions of the MCDR, 2017 were found violated in your above mine during the inspection on 10.10.2018 by the undersigned in presence of your representative Sri Mallikarjun Reddy, DGM (Mines), Sri Chaitanya N, Sri Siva Rama Krishna.

Rule No	Rule Position	Nature of Violations observed
Rule No- 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 pursuant to the proviso to clause (b) of sub-section (2) of section 5.	a) It was proposed to carry out sappling plantation of 1000 nos in 1.20 Ha in 2017-18 but during inspection it was observed that only 400 nos of sappling plantation was done in 0.16 Ha area also the same was recorded in the plantation register. But in the Annual return (H-8) for the 2017-18 the Number of trees planted during the year is submitted as 600 nos and in the review of approved review of mining plan(2018-19 to 2022-23) it has been mentioned as 300 nos. The discrepancies in the figures to be clarified. b) It was proposed to carry out sappling plantation of 500 nos in 0.45Ha during 2018-19 but as on date of inspection no sappling plantation was carried out.
45(7)	If it is found that the holder of a mining lease 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 daily or monthly or annual returns or fails to submit a return within the date specified; then,- (a) in the case of mining of minerals by the holder of a mining lease, the Regional Controller of Mines may advise the State Government to,- (i) order suspension of all mining operations in the mine and to revoke the order of suspension only after ensuring proper compliance; (ii) take action to initiate prosecution under these rules; (iii) recommend termination of the mining lease, in case such suppression or misrepresentation of information indicates abetment or connivance of illegal mining.	On verification of annual return for the year 2017-18 from, under part Part-II A Capital Structure for both the Sangamkalan Lease-1 and Sangamkalan Lease-1 are same. Under Part-VII (cost of production) exploration cost towards drilling of 7 nos DTH bore holes for a total meterage of 320m and respective sample chemical analysis have not been taken into account. Depreciation cost/Tonne is given as Rs 2.00, but while dividing the total depreciation during 2017-18 by total production for the year 2017-18 it is coming to Rs 3.65 which be clarified. Dead rent of Rs 2, 25,600.00 have been paid but it has not been considered for while calculating cost per tonne, which should be taken into account. Refer Part-V(General Geology & Mining), In section 4.1(Exploration) the exploration details has been furnished as zero against the exploration of 7 nos DTH bore holes for a total drilling meterage of 320 m. Further in section 3 the Reserves and Resources estimated at the end of the year has not been submitted correctly. The discrepancies observed be clarified and in case of need of correction be corrected.

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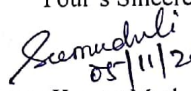
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48	The holder of a mining lease or the holder of a prospecting licence or prospecting licence cum mining lease shall keep a record in Form-J of all shafts or boreholes and shall retain such records and preserve the samples of the strata passed through for a period of not less than twelve months after the completion of the work or abandonment thereof: Provided that the records of boreholes and shafts exceeding one hundred metres length shall not be destroyed except with the prior approval of the authorised officer, as the case may be.	During inspection it was observed that records of exploratory bore holes in Form-J was not updated as on date of inspection.
55(3) (iii)	As per rule 55(3)(iii) of MCDR-2017, For for the purpose of carrying out reconnaissance, prospecting or mining operations in accordance with these rules, every holder of a mining lease shall employ, in case of category 'A' mines, a whole-time mining engineer and a geologist.	During inspection of mines it was observed that the Geologist was not appointed.

02. 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.

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.


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Your's Sincerely,

05/11/2018
(Subrata Kumar Muduli),
Junior Mining Geologist

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1. The Controller of Mines (SZ), Indian Bureau of Mines, Bangalore.
2. The Director, Department of Mines & Geology, Government of Telangana.
3. The Assistant Director of Mines & Geology-Tandur, Government of Telangana.

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