



Violation letter/ By-Email

**Government of India  
Ministry of Mines  
Indian Bureau of Mines  
Office of the Regional Controller of Mines, Jabalpur**

Jabalpur, Dated: 08.06.2023

To,

**M/s KJS Cement Ltd,  
Bhatia Limestone Mine (9.008 Ha.)  
Near NH-7, Rewa Road, Vill:- Amilia, Lakhwar Maihar,  
Tehsil – Maihar, Distt – Satna (M.P.) – 485 771  
Email – ed@kjscement.com**

**Subject:** Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation & Development Rules, 2017 in respect of your **Bhatiya Limestone Mine (9.008 Hect.) M/s KJS Cement Ltd Mine Code - 38MPR35277 in Satna district of M.P. State.**

Sir,

The following provisions of the Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 were found violated in your above mentioned mine during the inspection by Undersigned on 31.05.2023 detailed as below:-

नियम स.	पाए गए उल्लंघन की विस्तृत प्रकृति
Rule 11 (1)	<p>According to this rule-No holder of a mining lease shall commence or carry out mining operation 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 Govt. pursuant to the provisions to clause (b) of Sub Section (2) of Section 5 or approved by the competent authority of the Atomic Minerals Directorate for exploration and Researching respect of minerals specified in Part B of the First Schedule of the Act where the grade of such atomic minerals is equal to or above the threshold value limit declared under schedule-A of the Atomic Mineral Concession Rules 2016.</p> <p>During the inspection it was found that following provisions of the rule have been violated.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. <b>Development &amp; Production work has encroached into your another non-working mine of 18.165 hect.</b></li> <li>2. <b>No plantation work is carried out in 2022-23 against proposal of 500 saplings.</b></li> <li>3. <b>Backfilling was not done as per proposed in 2022-23.</b></li> </ol>
Rule 63 (1)	<p>Every holder of a mineral concession and every agency authorised under the second proviso to sub-section (1) of section 4 shall preserve intact, until submission of the final geological report, all cores and specimens of different types of rocks and minerals obtained during drilling or sinking operations and shall arrange for them to be laid out in a serial order with identification marks, showing the progressive depth at which they are obtained.</p> <p><b>During the inspection it was observed that preservation of cores was not done properly.</b></p>
Rule 67	<p>The holder of a mineral concession shall furnish such information regarding his reconnaissance or prospecting operations or mining operations or any matter connected therewith as the authorised officer may require by an order in writing and the information shall be furnished within such time as may be specified in the such order.</p> <p><b>Original Mining Lease deeds viz. initial, transfer of supplementary were not made available during inspection despite it was already intimated to keep these documents.</b></p>

02. In this connection it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of MCDR-2017.

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03. Non-compliance of the rule 11(1) of MCDR-2017 may lead to suspension of Mining operations under the provisions of rule 11(2) of MCDR-2017.
04. 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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प्रतिलिपि प्रेषित (ईमेल):

01. The Director of Geology & Mining, Govt. of Madhya Pradesh, Khanij Bhavan, 29-A, Arera Hills, Bhopal(M.P.) for information and further necessary action.
02. The Controller of Mines (CZ), Indian Bureau of Mines, Nagpur
03. The District Collector, Satna (M.P.) for information.

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