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38GUJ08357 23.12.2022

□□□□ **Owner/Agent/Manager/Mining Engineer**  
□□□□□□□□ : Sh Sulemanbhai M.Patel,  
□□□□ **To :** Shukan Society, Shapur road,  
Opp.BusStand,At & Taliuka-Mangrol,  
Distt-Junagarh,Gujarat-362650,

□□□□ Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation & Development Rules, 2017 in respect of your Budhecha  
Sub: Limestone, Sy No.[113/P] Mine over an area of 4.2796 ha located near Village-Budhecha, Tehsil-Maliahatina, District-  
Junagarh in Gujarat.

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Sir,

The following provisions of the Mineral Conservation & Development Rules, 2017 (MCDR, 2017) were found violated in your above mine during the MCDR inspection made by the undersigned on 12.4.2022 AN in the presence of Sh. Dhanabhai & JigarPandya Lessee rep.and the same was communicated on 21-6-2022.

RULE NO.	NATURE OF VIOLATION OBSERVED
26(2)	A yearly report before 1 <sup>st</sup> July of every year setting forth the extent of protective and rehabilitation work carried out as envisaged in the approved progressive mine closure plan for 2020-21 has not been submitted to this office.
34A(3)	Every lessee shall carry out a drone survey of his leased area and up to hundred metres outside the lease boundary within six months before submission of any mining plan document or modification thereto to the Indian Bureau of Mines for approval and shall submit processed output [digital elevation model (DEM) and Orthomosaic] images obtained from such survey or any other format as may be specified by the Indian Bureau of Mines in this regard to the concerned Regional Controller of Mines and the Controller General along with the application for approval or modification of mining plan: You have not submitted compliance of said rule till date.
35(4)(B)	In case of non-filing of template as stated in sub-rule (2), the holder of mining lease shall be liable to pay an amount of ten thousand rupees per day for such delay to the authorised officer of the Indian Bureau of Mines. In your case, you have delayed 160 days wef 03.11.2021 Gazette Notification.
45(5)(b)	Monthly return for the month(s) of Oct-21, Dec-21, Feb-22 on 08-12-21, 10-01-22, 10-03-22 which is a case of delayed submission of 29, 1, 1 day(s) respectively.
45(7)	<i>While scrutiny of annual return 2021-22, following discrepancies observed, which are furnished as below.</i> Part-I, Sr No.12 (vii) work done under PMCP is shown zero & land used details needs to be corrected/updated as per approved RMP Part-III-Consumption of material like fuel & lubricants, Tyres are shown zero. Part-V-Sr.No-4.2-opencast benches/HEMM are not given correctly. Part-VI-Cost of production & Ex Mine price are given same (452Rs/T), appears incorrect. Royalty given for limestone 108Rs/T is not correct.
55(1)(3)(ii)	A Geologist has not been appointed for the purpose of carrying out mining operations in accordance with these rules.

2. On examination of office record, it is found that you have submitted reply of violation, vide letter no. NIL dated 18/7/22 received in this office on 26/7/2021 and found that rules 34(a)(3), 35(4)(b), 45(5)(b),45(7) were not found satisfactory and thus the violation of rules 34(a)(3), 35(4)(b), 45(5)(b),45(7) of MCDR 2017 are still persists. In this case pertaining to rule 35(4)(b), 45(5)(b),45(7) violation cum SCN has already been issued on 21.6.2022.
3. In this connection, it is brought to your kind notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of MCDR 2017. Mining operations can be suspended as per rule 11(2) in case of non-compliance of rule 11(1), and any other relevant rules of MCDR 2017 as these rules ensures systematic scientific and responsible mining and/or state Government may be informed to take actions as per competent directives.
4. As per provision of Rule 45(7), the Regional Controller of Mines may take appropriate action including order of suspension of **all mining operations and dispatches** on non-compliance of various provisions of Rule 45.
5. You are also liable to pay an amount of Rs.10000/-per day for such days as per **Schedule-II**, read with Rule 45(7A) in case of non-compliance of various provisions of Rule 45.
6. You are advised to rectify the above violations immediately and intimate the compliance position to this office within 30 days from date of issue of this letter.
7. You are therefore directed to show cause within a period of thirty (30) days from the date of issue of this letter, as to why you should not be prosecuted and / or why the mining operation should not be suspended under relevant statutory provisions and/or why not any other appropriate action can be initiated in accordance with rules and/or any competent orders/directives.
8. Please note that no further notice will be given to you in this regard.
9. This letter has been issued with the approval of Regional Controller of Mines.

□□□□□ Yours faithfully,

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