<u>Show Cause</u> <u>Notice</u>





भारत सरकार/ GOVERNMENT OF INDIA खान मंत्रालय/ MINISTRY OF MINES भारतीय खान ब्यूरो/ INDIAN BUREAU OF MINES क्षेत्रीय खान नियंत्रक कार्यालय/ OFFICE OF REGIONAL CONTROLLER OF MINES

फैक्स: (080) 23371027 / 23373287 दूरभाष: 080-23371027 / 23375366/67 Email ID: ro. bangalore@ibm.gov.in 29, इंडस्ट्रियल सबर्ब II स्टेज,, तुमकुर रोड, गोरगुंटापाल्या येशवंतपुर, बेंगलुरु -560022

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दिनांक/Date: 08/01/2024

सेवामें/To, Shri. Ajay Kapur, Nominated Owner, M/s. ACC Limited, 121, Maharshi Karve road, Cement House, Mumbai - 400 020. Email: ajay.kapur@adani.com / sanjeev.tripathi@adani.com/ prasadrao.bomishetty@adani.com

विषय/Sub: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 in respect of your Wadi Limestone Mine (ML No. 2641) over an extent of 471.03 Ha located in Wadi village, Chittapur Taluk, Kalburgi District of Karnataka state.

महोदय/Sir,

The following provisions of the Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 read with Mineral Conservation and Development (Amendment) Rules, 2021 in your above mine during inspection on 28.12.2023 by undersigned along with Shri. Gangadhar Bhakat, AME in the presence of Sri. B N Prasad Rao, Mining Engineer & others.

Rule	Nature of violations observed
	The online Annual Return submitted for the year 2022-23 by you, following discrepancies were observed during the inspection:

 i. As per part -V 1 of the Annual Returns submitted for FY 2022-23, the earlier exploration details have not been reported. ii. As per part -V 2A. of the Annual Returns submitted for FY 2022-23, the estimated limestone & shale reserves have not been reported correctly as per approved Modified
Review and Updation Mining Plan vide letter no. 279/116/89/BNG dated 20/10/2022.

- 2. The Mining operations and dispatches may be suspended and any action under sub-rule (7) of Rule 45 of MCDR 2017 read with MCDR (Amendment), 2021 may be initiated.
- 3. In this connection, it is again brought to your notice that this violation also constitutes an offence punishable under Rule 62 of MCDR (Amendment), 2021.
- 4. You are, therefore, directed to show cause within a period of thirty (30) days from the date of issue of this notice, as to why action under sub rule (7) of Rule 45 and Rule 62 of MCDR 2017 read with MCDR (Amendment), 2021 shall not be taken against you.
- 5. You are herewith given **30 days**-time for reply and rectification of the violation from the date of issue of this notice. Please note that no further notice will be given to you in this regard.

Yours faithfully,

(K. Srinivas) Junior Mining Geologist Indian Bureau of Mines

प्रतिलिपि सूचनार्थ'/Copy for kind information to:

- 1. The Controller of Mines (SZ), Indian Bureau of Mines, Bangalore.
- 2. The Director, Department of Mining & Geology, No.49, Khanija bhavan, R.C. Road, Bangalore-560 001.
- 3. The Director, MMS Division, Indian Bureau of Mines, Nagpur for necessary action.

Junior Mining Geologist Indian Bureau of Mines