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Date: 07.06.2023

To,

Shri R A Krishnakumar (Nominated Owner),

New Umrangshu Limestone Mine,

M/s. Calcom Cement India Limited,

P.O- Umrangshu, Dist- Dima Hasao,

Assam- 788931; Email: ra.krishnakumar7@gmail.com

Sub: Violation of the provisions of MCDR, 2017 in respect of your New Umrangshu Limestone Mine (417.50 Ha.) of M/s. Calcom Cement India Limited situated in Umrangshu, Dima Hasao district of Assam.

Sir,

The following provision of MCDR - 2017 was found violated in your above mine during the inspection carried out on 10.05.2023 & 11.05.2023 by the undersigned in presence of your mine officials Shri Anilkumar K Ganapurapuwar (Mine Agent) & Shri Abhijeet Adhikari (Geologist).

Rule No.	Nature of violation observed
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 or approved by the competent authority of the Atomic Minerals Directorate for Exploration and Research, in respect of the minerals specified in Part B of the First Schedule to the Act where the Grade of such atomic minerals is equal to or above the threshold value limits declared under Schedule-A of the Atomic Mineral Concession Rules,2016.	1) Upper southern mining benches close to pillar A have undergone serious fractures. Mine development is also being carried out underneath the fractured benches and in its close vicinity which is grossly a potential threat to manpower and machineries. The mine benches are not maintained as per the approved plan. In addition, sustainable development of mine is also doubted in case of any inadvertent failure or collapse.
37(1) : Every holder of a prospecting licence, composite licence or a mining lease shall take steps so that the overburden, waste rock, rejects and fines generated during prospecting and mining operations or tailings, slimes and fines produced during sizing, sorting and beneficiation or metallurgical operations shall be stored in separate dumps	Soil, Overburden/ waste rock/ rejects generated during mining operations have not been stored separately and have been allowed to mix in random.
37(2) :The dumps shall be properly secured to prevent escape of material therefrom in harmful quantities which may cause degradation of environment and to prevent causation of floods	Height & width of existing waste dumps terraces at have not been maintained as envisaged in approved development plans and sections. This has resulted in unstable slope. Dump failure on

	both eastern and western flanges including escape of material has been observed during inspection.
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- 02 In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017.
- 03 The mining operations can be suspended under rule 11(2), if compliance of rule 11(1) is not found satisfactory.
- 04 You are therefore advised to rectify the above violation immediately and intimate the position to this office within a period of 45 (Forty Five) days from the date of issue of this letter.

Yours faithfully,

(Vikas Kumar)
Asst. Controller of Mines,
IBM-Guwahti

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1. The Controller of Mines , Eastern Zone, IBM- Kolkata
2. The Director, Directorate of Geology and Mining , Govt. of Assam, PO-Kahilipara ,Guwahati

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