

## Government of India Ministry of Mines Indian Bureau of Mines Office of the Regoinal Controller of Mines, Jabalpur

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FileNo:MP/Katni./Limestone/MPLN/MOD-05/2019-20

Jabalpur, Dated: 05/05/2022

To,

Shri Shyamlal Kol Village Kuthla, Tehsil: Katni District Katni C/O Vishwakarma Mining Private Ltd. Ram manohar Lohia Ward, Katni 483501

Subject: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017, in respect to **Pondi Limestone, Dolomite Mine (38.84 Hect.)** in Katni district of M.P.

Sir,

Undersigned has inspected your mine in the presence of re-presentative of lessee, Mines officials and QP on 25/04/2022. Following provisions of MCDR 2017 were found violated in your mines at the time of inspection.

Rule No

## Nature of violation observed in detail

Rule 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.

The Modification of Mining Plan of above mentioned mine was approved vide letter No.-MP/Katni./Limestone/MPLN/MOD-05/2019-20 Jabalpur, Dated: 02/07/2019 incorporating proposal of working from 2017-18 to 2021-22.

During inspection, following provisions of the rule have been found violated:-

- (a) 16 nos. of core drill boreholes were proposed for exploratory drilling in previous approved document period. But, exploratory drilling is not done as per approved proposals.
- (b) It was proposed to stack Intercalated waste near BP 12 to BP 11. and top soil stacks in Barrier zone between BP 2 to BP 11.But actually intercalated waste was found stacked near BP 44 and that too mixed with top soil.
- (c) Extension of pit/ benches / dump was extended beyond the 7.5-meter statutory barrier zone near BP 01 near BP 44, BP no. 15 and BP no. 11 etc which is also shown in the surface plan.
- (d) Only 9250 t of limestone production is raised during 2021-22 against the proposed 63990 t.

(e) It was proposed to plant 540 plants but very less plantation has been done.

Rule 26(2) The holder of mining lease shall submit to the competent authority a yearly report as per the format specified by the Indian Bureau of Mines, before 1 day of July every year setting forth the extent of protective and rehabilitative works carried out as envisaged in the approved mine closure plan, and if there is any deviation, reasons thereof:

The yearly report in respect of rule 26(2) of MCDR 2017 has not been submitted for the year 2020-21.

Rule 33 Copies of plans and sections to be submitted – The holder of mining lease shall on or before the 30<sup>th</sup> day of the June every year submit to the authorized officer, as the case may be, and the State Govt. a digital copy along with a print copy of the surface geological plans and sections maintained under rule 32.

- Controller or any other authorized official of the Indian Bureau of Mines in the following manner namely:-
  - (c) an annual return which shall be submitted before the 1<sup>st</sup> day of July each year for the preceding financial year in electronic form, along with a signed print copy of the same if it is not digitally signed, in the respective Form

It has been observed that the Annual return return for the period 2020-21 have not been filed in the electronic form by lessee within the stipulated time.

- 1. 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.
- 2. The mining operations can be suspended under the rule 11(2) of MCDR-2017, if compliance of rule 11(1) of MCDR-2017 is not found satisfactory.
- 3. You are advised to rectify the violations of abovementioned rules 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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(माधवराव साबरे) वरिष्ठ खनन भूविज्ञानी भारतीय खान ब्यूरो

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- 01. The Director, Director of Geology & Mining, Govt.of Madhya Pradesh, Khanij Bhawan,29-A,AreraHills, Jail Road, Bhopal (M.P.) for information and further necessary action.
- 02. The Controller of Mines (CZ), Indian Bureau of Mines, Nagpur for kind information.

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