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क्षेत्रीय खान नियंत्रक का कार्यालय / Office of the Regional Controller of Mines



To,

श्री रवि कुमार ग्रोवर, (मालिक)  
अमेहटा चूनापत्थर खदान,  
विश्राम गृह क्र. -01 रोड के पास,  
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Sub: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation & Development Rules, 2017 in respect of your Amehta Limestone Mine over an extent of 13.90 hectares in Vijayraghavgarh Tehsil, in Katn District of Madhya Pradesh State

Sir,

Shri Abhishek Ranjan Gautam, Assistant Mining Engineer inspected your mine on 29/05/2024 in the presence of your representative Shri Varun Grover, and other mines officials. The document of above mentioned mine was approved vide letter No. MP/Katni/Limestone/RMP-24/2021-22 dated 20.07.2021 incorporating proposal of working from 2021-22 to 2025-26. Following provisions of MCDR 2017 (as amended up to 3rd November, 2021) were found violated in your mines at the time of inspection.

Rule No.	Proposal/ Rule Position	Nature of Violation
11(1)	Backfilling was proposed near quarry 3 towards NW part of Barrier zone of the lease.	As per proposal, Backfilling was not done near quarry 3 towards NW part of Barrier zone of the lease
	400 numbers of sapling was proposed during the year 2023-24	Plantation on proposed site found not carried out.
31(4)	The plans and sections required under these rules shall be maintained up to date within three months in case of category 'A' mines as referred to in clause (a) of sub-rule (2) of rule 55, and within twelve months in case of any other mine	The plans & sections were not found updated on quarterly basis as required under this rule and not maintained at mines site office.
33	Copies of plans and sections to be submitted – The holder of mining lease shall on or before the 30th 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.	Copies of plans and sections under rule 32 of MCDR-2017 have not been submitted.
34A	Every lessee, other than those covered under sub-rule (1), shall submit soft copy of high resolution Geo referenced Ortho-rectified Multispectral satellite images of the leased area and up to hundred metres outside the lease boundary taken in the month of April to June	A soft copy of high resolution Geo referenced Ortho-rectified Multispectral satellite images of the leased area and up to hundred metres outside the lease boundary taken in the month of April to June has not been submitted and the processed output

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	month of April to June of every year, to the Controller General on or before 1st day of July of the that year in the standards formats such as GeoTIFF along with metadata or any other format as may be specified by the Indian Bureau of Mines in this regard:	[digital elevation model (DEM) and Orthomosaic] images have not been submitted as specified in the rule.
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02. Further, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offense punishable under rule 62 of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017.
03. Further, non-compliance of the rule 11(1) of MCDR, 2017 may lead to the suspension of mining operations under the provisions of rules 11(2) of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017.
04. You are therefore 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.

भवदीय,

(माधवराव साबरे)  
वरिष्ठ खनन भूविज्ञानी  
कृते क्षेत्रीय खान नियंत्रक  
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प्रतिलिपि प्रेषित (ईमेल) : \_\_\_\_\_

01. संचालक, भौमिकी एवम खनिकर्म, मध्य प्रदेश सरकार, खनिज भवन, 29-ए, अरेरा हिल्स, भोपाल (म.प्र.) को सूचनार्थ एवं अग्रिम कार्रवाई हेतु.
02. खान नियंत्रक (मध्यांचल), भारतीय खान ब्यूरो, नागपुर
03. जिलाधीश, जिला – कटनी (म.प्र.) सूचनार्थ ।

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