



**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Mines**  
**Indian Bureau of Mines**  
**Office of the Regional Controller of Mines, Jabalpur**

File No.

Mine Code: 38MPR35319

To,

**Shri Sankatha Prasad Dwivedi,**  
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**Subject:** Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017, in respect to Jura Limestone Mine over an area of 29.162hect. in Maihar District of M.P.

Sir,

The following provisions of the Mineral Conservation and Development Rules 2017 were found violated in your above mine during the inspection on 30/05/2024 by the undersigned, accompanied by yourself and Shri Nitin Nath Pandey Mining Engineer of the mine.

नियम स.	पाए गए उल्लंघन की विस्तृत प्रकृति
Rule 11(1)	<p>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 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 Minerals Concession Rules, 2016.</p> <p>The document of above mentioned mine was approved vide letter No.- E 2543 MCDR-MPCOLST/14/2022-JBP-IBM_RO_JBP dated 29/03/2023 incorporating proposal of working from 2023-24 to 2027-28.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Exploration was not completed upto March,2024 against the proposal of 06 exploratory bore holes each of 15m deep for 2023-24.</li> <li>2. Backfilling of Pit No.4 was proposed against 2023-24 but same backfilling work was not noticed during the inspection, this amounts deviation from the approved proposal.</li> </ol>
Rule 31(4)	<p>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</p> <p>The plans &amp; sections were not found updated on quarterly basis as required under this rule and not maintained at mines site office.</p>

2. 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.
3. The mining operations can be suspended under the rule 11(2) of MCDR-2017, if compliance of rule 11(1) of MCDR-2017 are not found satisfactory.
4. You are 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.

Yours faithfully,

(Raghubir Sharan Garg)  
Assistant Controller of Mines  
For Regional Controller of Mines

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- 1- The Director of Geology & Mining, Govt. of Madhya Pradesh, Khanij Bhavan, 29-A, Arera Hills, Bhopal (M.P.)
- 2- The District Collector, Maihar (M.P.) for information & appropriate action.

Assistant Controller of Mines  
For Regional Controller of Mines

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- 1- Controller of Mines(CZ) for kind information.

Assistant Controller of Mines  
For Regional Controller of Mines