



Government of India  
Ministry of Mines  
Indian Bureau of Mines  
Office of the Regional Controller of Mines



Jabalpur,

To,  
**Smt Sumitra Grover ( Nominated Owner),**  
W/o Shri. Madanlal Grover  
Civil Lines, Post –Katni  
Dist-Katni(M.P)  
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Sub.: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017, in respect of **Ametha Limestone Mine** (10.01 ha), Mine Code **38MPR47050** in Ametha Village of Katni Dist M.P.

Madam,

The following provision of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules 2017 were found violated in your above mentioned mine during the inspection by the undersigned on 27.06.2024 in presence of Shri. **Arvind Tarmakar** (Geologist) and Shri. **Ram Bihari Bargi** Asst Manager (Mines).

Rule No	Nature of violation observed in detail
<b>Rule 11(1)</b>	<p><i>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.</i></p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Mining Lease Boundary pillars has not been established at precise locations.</li> <li>OB dump extending to the outside of the lease area in southern side of the lease.</li> <li>865m of retaining wall is proposed during the Reporting year which has not been carried out.</li> <li>Backfilling has not been carried out as proposed in the last approved document for the reporting year.</li> <li>Proposed to plant 200 saplings in 7.5 barrier zone which was not carried out.</li> </ol>
<b>Rule 31(4)</b>	<p><i>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</i></p>

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	<p><i>(a) of sub-rule (2) of rule 55, and within twelve months in the case of any other mine.</i></p> <p>The plans and sections have not been updated as required.</p>
<p><b>Rule 45(7)</b></p>	<p><i>If it is found that the holder of a mining lease or the person or company engaged in trading or storage or end-use or export of minerals, as the case may be, has submitted incomplete or wrong or false information in monthly or annual returns or fails to submit a return within the date specified; then, –</i></p> <p><i>(a) in the case of mining of minerals by the holder of a mining lease, the Regional Controller of Mines or the authorized officer of the State Government may -</i></p> <p><i>Order suspension of all mining operations and dispatches in the mine and to revoke the order of suspension only after ensuring proper compliance;</i></p> <p><i>(b) take action to initiate prosecution under these rules;</i></p> <p><b>Refer PART-I Upload Document</b></p> <p>The attached Kml/Kmz file should contain the lease boundary, polygon representing the reporting year development and cumulative land use details.</p> <p><b>Refer PART-I Lease area utilisation.</b></p> <p>The details furnished are incorrect and to be in line with the features depicted in attached kml as well as the UAV data submitted in DDMS portal.</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. Non compliance of rule 11(1) of MCDR, 2017 may lead to suspension of mining operation under the provision of rule 11(2) of MCDR-2017.
4. You are advised to rectify the above violations immediately and intimate the position to this office within a period of 45 days from the date of issue of this letter.

Yours faithfully

(Kathroju Naveen)  
Sr. Asst. Controller of Mines,  
For Regional Controller of Mines,

Copy to:

1. The Controller of Mines (CZ), Nagpur, IBM
2. The Director of Geology & Mining, Government of Madhya Pradesh, Khanij Bhavan, Arera Hills, Bhopal (MP).
3. The District Collector, Katni.

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