Violation Letter

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GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF MINES INDIAN BUREAU OF MINES O/O REGIONAL CONTROLLER OF MINES, JABALPUR



To,

Shri Vijay Kumar Gupta (Partner), M/s V.S. Minerals & Co;

Near Guru Nanak Dharam Kanta, Bargawan, NH-7 Road, District - Katni (M.P.) – 485001 E-mail – guptavijay2017@gmail.com

Sub: - Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 in respect of your Sejha Limestone & Dolomite Mine over an extent of 10.21 hectares (Mine Code 38MPR47101) situated in village Sejha, Tehsil – Badwara, District Katni of Madhya Pradesh State.

Sir,

Following provisions of MCDR, 2017 were found violated in your above mine during the inspection by Shri Akash Arun Mittarwar, Assistant Mining Engineer on 18/10/2024 in the presence of Shri Vijay Gupta (Mines Representative) & Shri Umesh Kushwaha (Mining Engineer). The Review of Mining Plan of above mentioned mine was approved vide letter No.- MP/Katni/Limestone/RMP-27/2021-22 dated 30/07/2021 incorporating proposal of working from the period 2021-22 to 2025-26 having validity up to 31/03/2026; during the inspection following violations were observed: -

Rule No	Nature of violation observed in detail
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 1st day of July every year 1[along with annual return] 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:- • PMCP report is not furnished in the Annual Returns submitted for the year 2023-24.
33	The holder of a mining lease shall, on or before the 30th day of June every year submit to the authorized Officer, as the case may be, and the State Government, 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	Digital aerial images of mining lease area.— (1) Every lessee having— (a) an annual excavation plan of one million tonne or more in a particular year; or (b) leased area of fifty hectare or more, shall carry out a drone survey of the leased area and upto hundred meters outside the lease boundary in the month of April or May every year and submit the processed output [digital elevation model (DEM) and Orthomosaic] images obtained from such survey or any other format as may be specified by the Indian Bureau of Mines in this regard to the Controller General on or before 1st day of July every year. (2) Every lessee, other than those covered under sub-rule (1), shall submit soft copy of high resolution Georeferenced 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 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:- • Satellite images for the year 2023-24 is not submitted in DDMS i.e. Drone Data Management System portal yet.
45(7)	If it is found that the holder of a mineral concession or the person or company engaged in trading or storage or end-use or export or import 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; Refer PART-I Upload Document - • In Annual return of 2023-24 KML/KMZ file is not uploaded having features/ attributes
	like boundary pillar, ML boundary, barrier zone, dump, stack, pit, backfilling etc. in polygon representing the reporting year development and cumulative land use details.

- 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 45(7) of MCDR-2017, if compliance of rule 45(7) of MCDR-2017 read with MCDR-2021 (Amendment) if, not found satisfactory.
- 4. You are advised to rectify the violations of above mentioned rules immediately and intimate the position to this office within 45 (Forty-Five) days from the date of issue of this letter.

Yours faithfully,

(Robert Simon C)
Assistant Controller of Mines,
For Regional Controller of Mines
Indian Bureau of Mines, Jabalpur

Copy for kind information to;-

- 1. The Director of Geology & Mining, Govt. of Madhya Pradesh, Khanij Bhavan, 29-A, Arera Hills, Bhopal (M.P.) for information and further necessary action please.
- 2. The Controller of Mines (CZ). IBM, Nagpur.
- 3. The District Collector, Katni (M.P.)

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