

GOVERNMENT OF INDIA MINISTRY OF MINES INDIAN BUREAU OF MINES OFFICE OF THE REGIONAL CONTROLLER OF MINES



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Subject: - Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 in respect of your Bhatgawan Sunehra Limestone & Dolomite Mine (17.44 hectare) Mine code- 19MPR47022 situated in Katni District of M.P.

Sir,

Following provisions of MCDR 2017 were found violated in your above mine based on the examination of the drone imagery and inspection by the Undersigned on 22/10/2024 in the presence Shri. Digvijay Singh Bisen (Qualified Person), Shri Abhishek Kumar Gautam (Mining Engineer), Shri. Vidya Sagar Sahu (Mine Geologist):

Rule No	Nature of violation observed in detail
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.
	The Modification of Mining Plan of above mentioned mine was approved vide letter No. No. MP/Katni/Limestone/MPLN/MOD-27/2022-23 dated 13/12/2022 incorporating proposal of working from 2022-23 to 2024-25 and following deviations have been observed :
	 (a) Only 7305 tonnes of limestone production is achieved against the proposal of 80400 tonnes for the year 2023-24.
	(b) On examination drone image output and during the inspection, excavation of Quarry was found extended within 7.5m statutory barrier zone and beyond mining lease area between the ML boundary pillars nos. BP-07 to BP-06. Further, stacking of overburden material found beyond mining lease near BP-59 to BP-60 and BP-62 to BP-63 which attracts the violation of approved proposals.
	(c) Refer Chapter 6, 6.2.3.2: Year Wise Proposal of the approved Modification of Mining plan; it was proposed to carryout 300 no's of plantation for the year 2023-24 but instead only 200 nos. of plantations done.
	Hence the development/excavation & PMCP measures were not carried out with respect to the approved proposals.
45(7)	 The holder of a mining lease shall submit online returns in respect of each mine to the Regional Controller or any other authorised official of the Indian Bureau of Mines in the following manner. An annual return which shall be submitted before the 1st 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. The following discrepancies found in your submitted annual return for the year 2023-24: PART-1 S.No.07, The details wrt to Manager is not furnished. PART-1 S.No 5, Lease area (surface area) utilisation as at the end of year (hectares) under various heads is incorrectly furnished and inconsistent with the approved mining plan. PART-5 S.No.05 (Trees planted- survival rate). The details wrt to the total no.of trees at the end of the year is inconsistent with the details furnished in the annexed PMCP.

 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) & 45(7) of MCDR-2017, if compliance of rule 11(1) & 45(7) of MCDR-2017 read with MCDR-2021 (Amendment) 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.

Yours faithfully

(Robert Simon C) Asst. Controller of Mines For Regional Controller of Mines

Copy for kind information to:

- 01. 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.02. The Controller of Mines (CZ). IBM, Nagpur.

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