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



Jabalpur

To,

Shri Rajesh Bansal (Nominated Owner),
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Subject: - Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 in respect of your Dhanora Limestone Mine over an extent of 38.024 hect, Mine Code: - 38MPR12082 in Dhar District of M.P.

Sir,

Following provisions of MCDR 2017 were found violated in your above mine during the inspection by the Undersigned on 26/06/2024 in the presence Shri Kyatham Rajender (Mining Engineer), Shri Shailendra Kumar Patel (Mine Geologist) & Mine officials:

Rule No	Nature of violation observed in detail
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.</p> <p>The Modification of Mining Plan of above mentioned mine was approved vide letter No. E 8595 MCDR-MPC0LST/38/2023-JBP-IBM_RO_JBP dated 15/12/2023 incorporating proposal of working from 2023-24 to 2024-25 and the following deviations have been observed :</p> <p>(a) Only 5148 m3 OB is reported against the proposal of 39522 m3 for the year 2023-24.</p> <p>(b) Refer Section 4A.7.2: New Dump of Chapter No.4.0, during the year 2023-24 it was proposed to maintain waste dump between the coordinates N2479780 - N2479890 & E506330- E506380. But during the year, the said waste dump was not maintained at the said location and instead found on the Southern part adjacent to the pit.</p> <p>(c) During the inspection, excavations were found extended within 7.5m statutory barrier zone and beyond mining lease area between the ML boundary pillars nos. BP-47 to BP-48 & BP-48 to BP-49.</p> <p>Hence the development & excavation were found lagging behind the approved proposals.</p>
34A	<p>(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 metres 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.</p> <p>(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 upto 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.</p> <p>The drone data submitted by you is incomplete and not as per the standard guidelines.</p>

45(7)	<p>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.</p> <p>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.</p> <p>The following discrepancies found in your submitted annual return for the year 2023-24:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The .kml file attached is incomplete and various surface features including boundary pillars are not marked. • PART-5 S.No.05 (Trees planted- survival rate). The details wrt to Total no.of trees at the end of the year is incorrectly furnished.
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1. 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.
03. The Mining & Mineral Statistics Division, IBM, Nagpur for kind information & further necessary action.

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