



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



Jabalpur,

To,
Shri Riju Jauhar (Managing Partner)
M/S-S.N.Sunderson &
Co. Opposite S-1/56,
Sector-1, Dadda Dham,
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Sub.: Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017, in respect of **Amehta Limestone Mine (9.86 hectare) Mine code 38MPR18009** situated in Katni dist of M.P.

Sir,

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. **Vinod patel** (Mines Manager) and **Shri Atul Pandey** (Geologist).

Rule No	Nature of violation observed in detail
Rule 11(1)	<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"> For the reporting year working has proposed in between N 2655841 to N 2655997 and E 452853 to E 453130 whereas the deviation in the working at proposed location observed. Only 7550 T of Limestone produced against the proposed 49,183 T which distorting the proposals by 85%. Mining Lease Boundary pillars has not been established at precise locations. Backfilling has not been carried out as proposed in the last approved document for the reporting year. Proposed to plant 200 saplings in 7.5 barrier zone which was not carried out.
Rule 31(4)	<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 (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>

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Rule 45(7)	<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>Refer PART-I Upload Document</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>Refer PART-I Lease area utilisation.</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> <p>PART-VI S.No 3(ii) & 5 .</p> <p>i. It is reported as 27009.700 T of dispatch during 2023-24 whereas under S.No 05 sale value details of the 23044.85T only reported.</p> <p>ii. Ex mine price reported as Rs.583.15/- and the average sale value is Rs. 762.19/- which is incorrect readdress the same with reference to the sale vale of the total dispatched quantity and deductions reported.</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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