

Violation Notice Letter

By e-mail

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DEHRADUN**

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Date : 22/08/2025

No.: MCDR-MiFL0LST/16/2022-DDN-IBM_RO_DDN

To: Shri/M/s. Mr Vinod
Bahety, Nominated Owner,
ACC Limited, Adani
Corporate House, Shantigram
,SG Highway, Khodiyar,
Khodiyar, Gandhinagar,
Gandhinagar, Barmana (128)
Village & Mandal, Bilaspur
district, Himachal Pradesh,-
382421

Subject : Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development (Amendment) Rules, 2024 in respect of your GAGAL(38HPR01003) Limestone Mine over an extent of 231.25 ha in Barmana Village, Bilaspur Sadar & District of Himachal Pradesh.

The following provisions of the MCD(A)R, 2024 were found violated in your above mine during the inspection on 24/07/2025 by the undersigned in the presence of Mr. Sanjeev Kumar Soni, Mines Manager:

Summary of Violations :

Items for Reporting	As Per Plan	Actual	Deviati on	Rule	Reason
Exploration: Number of Core Boreholes	10	8	2.000	Rule 11(1),	
Exploitation - Opencast Mine: Quantity of mineral reject/Sub-grade generation	500500	0	500500.000	Rule 11(1),	
Annual Return: Whether incomplete or false or wrong returns submitted (Rule 45(7))	Details of exploration carried out prior to last FY not furnished. Probable mineral reserves has been furnished in UNF C-121 category while the same has been furnished in UNF C-122 category in the last approved	Details of exploration carried out prior to last FY not furnished. Probable mineral reserves has been furnished in UNF C-121 category while the same has been furnished in UNF C-122 category in the last approved	Details of exploration carried out prior to last FY not furnished. Probable mineral reserves has been furnished in UNF C-121 category while the same has been furnished in UNF C-122 category in the last approved	Rule 45(7),	

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Annual Return: Scrutiny of Annual return on sale value, Ex. Mine price & production cost	NA	Ex-mine price & Cost of Product ion for Limesto ne - Rs 190.48 per tonne, Sale Value - Rs 70,84,32,263.60	Sale Value for Captive Consum ption shall be Zero.	Rule 45(7),	
Submission of Geological Study Report for exploration done under Rule 12(4)	Geologi cal Study Report for expl oration carried out in the year 2024-2	Geologi cal Study Report for expl oration carried out in the year 2024-2	Geologi cal Study Report for expl oration carried out in the year 2024-2	Rule 12(4B),	

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02. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62(1) of Mineral Conservation and Development (Amendment) Rules, 2024, with imprisonment for a term which may extend to two years or with fine which may extend to rupees five lakhs, or with both, and in the case of a continuing contravention, with additional fine which may extend to rupees fifty thousand for every day during which such contravention continues after conviction for the first such contravention. 03. The mining operation can be suspended under Rule 11(2) and/or prosecution be launched if the compliance of the rule is not found satisfactory. 04. You are advised to rectify the above violations immediately and intimate the position to this office within 45 (Forty Five) days from the date of issue of this letter.

Yours faithfully,

(Matiul Islam, DEHRADUN)
Sr ACOM

Esigned by: Matiul
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