

Violation Notice Letter

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Date : 16/10/2025

No.: MCDR-MiFL0LST/12/2023-DDN-IBM_RO_DDN

To: Shri/M/s. N/A,
Nominated Owner,
Mohammad, 182, Pantha
Chowk ,Athawajan, Pampore,
Zaintrag Village & Mandal,
Pulwama district, Jammu And
Kashmir,- 190004

Subject : Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules-2017, in respect of Qutargan Zantrang Limestone Mine 4.46 hectare having Minecode 38J&K14009 situated in Village Zaintrag District Pulwama of State Jammu & Kashmir.

On the basis of inspection carried out on dated 28.08.2025, in the presence of mine officials Shri Showkat Ali following provisions of MCDR 2017 were found violated in your above mentioned mine;

Summary of Violations :

Items for Reporting	As Per Plan	Actual	Deviati on	Rule	Reason
Exploitation - Opencast Mine: Quantity of ROM mineral production proposed (in T)	89010.00	48000	41010.00	Rule 11(1),	only 53 % of the proposed production was achived
Exploitation - Opencast Mine: Recovery of salable/usable mineral quantity from ROM production in T)	89010.00	48000	41010.00	Rule 11(1),	only 53 % of the proposed production was achived
Exploitation - Opencast Mine: Whether height of benches in Overburden& mineral suitable for method of mining proposed in mining plan	6.00	6.5-7.00	-0.500	Rule 11(1),	bench heights are more than the proposed bench height
Progressive Mine Closure Plan: Compliance on reclamation and rehabilitation by backfilling/Other means Total area and numbers of plantation proposed.	Plantati on : Location :Safety Barrier Zone, Area : 0.1, No. of Plant : 100 Pl antation : Locati on :Safety Barrier Zone, Area : 0.1, No.	0.00	100%	Rule 44,	proposed plantation was not done

	of Plant : 100				
Environment: Plantation & Survival rate	Plantation : 100, Survival Rate : 60	0.00	100%	Rule 44,	proposed plantation was not done as per proposal and survival rate of the previous plantation is very low
Annual Return: Appointment of Mining Engineer & Geologist as per provisions of Rule 55 of MCDR,2017	Geologist : Javid Jamal & Date of Appointment : 2024-02-01	Not Available at the time of inspection	100%	Rule 55(1),	at the time of inspection geologist and mining engineer was not present at the mine site.

2. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017. 3. The mining operations can be suspended under the rule 11(2) of MCDR-2017, if compliance of rule 11(1) of MCDR-2017 is not found satisfactory. 4. 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,
 Signed by: RAJESH DAS
 Date: 16/10/2025 11:40:45 AM

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