

Violation Notice Letter

By e-mail

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AJMER**

File No.: 3041/ MCDR-MiFL0PbZn/3/2022-AJM-
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Date : 08/09/2025

To: Shri/M/s. N/A,
Nominated Owner,
HINDUSTAN ZINC
LIMITED, YASHAD
BHAWAN ,Opp Swaroop
Sagar, UDAIPUR, Jawar
Village & Mandal, Udaipur
district, Rajasthan,- 313004

Subject : Violation of provision of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 in respect of your Baroi Lead-Zinc Mine having Mine code 34RAJ26005 located in Udaipur District of Rajasthan State.

The following provision of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 (hereinafter referred as MCDR, 2017) were found violated in your above said mine during inspection on 09/07/2025 by undersign in presence of Sri Mahendra Suthar, Mine Agent, Sri P Vel Murugan, Mine Manager, Sri Pankaj Kumar, Geologist of your mine.

Summary of Violations :

Items for Reporting	As Per Plan	Actual	Deviati on	Rule	Reason
Development - Method of Underground: (ii)Incline/Decline/Ramp	3000 mts	733 mts	1467 mts	Rule 11(1),	Decline development of 733 meters have been carried out against the approved proposal of 3000 meters.
Development - Method of Underground: (ii i)Raises/Winzes	1000 mts	650.20 mts	349.80 mts	Rule 11(1),	Vertical development of 650.20 meters has been carried out against the approved proposal of 1000 meters.
Development - Method of Underground: (vi i)Ore-Drive/Levels	16900 mts	10194.88 mts	6705.120 mts	Rule 11(1),	Horizontal development of 10194.88 meters has been carried out against the approved proposal of 16900 meters.
Development - Method of Underground: Quantity of waste generation in m3	169259.30 CuM	187348.58 CuM	-18089.280	Rule 11(1),	The generated waste quantity exceeded the proposed quantity, whereas the actual development was less compared to the proposed development during the reporting year 2024-25.
Annual Return: Whether incomplete or false or wrong returns submitted (Rule 45(7))	As per approved document dated 04/03/2025, the position of reserve and remaining resource as on 01/04/2024 was 10.567	As per annual return 2024-25, the position of reserve and remaining resource as on 31/03/2025 was 11.395 and 25.851	Deviati on observed in remaining resource figures of annual return 2024-25.	Rule 45(7),	The position of reserve and remaining resource as on 01/04/2024 furnished in annual return for the year 2024-25 is not matching with the reserve and remaining resource figures furnished in approved Review of Mining Plan dated 04/03/2025.

	and 29.00 million tons respectively.	million tons respectively.			
Annual Return: Scrutiny of Annual return on sale value, Ex. Mine price & production cost	The cost of ore mineral produced has been furnished as 5877.72 per tons in annual return 2024-25.	As per the expenses furnished in the annual return, the cost of ore/mineral produced has been estimated at 6453.50 per ton	Deviation in cost of production.	Rule 45(7),	The cost of ore mineral produced has been furnished as 5877.72 per tons in annual return 2024-25, whereas as per the expenses furnished in the annual return, the cost of ore/mineral produced has been estimated at 6453.50 per ton.
Drone survey for the year 2024-25.	As per rule every lessee having an annual excavation plan of one million tons or leased area of more than fifty hectare shall	The drone survey data as prescribed in the rule has not been submitted for the year 2024-25.	0.000	Rule 34(1),	The drone survey data as prescribed in the rule has not been submitted for the year 2024-25.

carry out a drone survey of the leased area and upto hundred meters 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 to Indian Bureau of Mines

	on or before 1st day of July every year.				
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2. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of MCDR 2017. 3. The Violation pointed above under Rule 45(7) of MCDR, 2017 shall be treated as show-cause notice and hereby you are given 30 day time to rectify the same. Therefore, you are directed to show cause within a period of thirty (30) days from the date of issue of this letter/notice, as to why action under rule 45(7) and Rule 62 of MCDR 2017 shall not be taken against you. Please note that no further notice will be given to you in this regard and provision of schedule-II under rule 45(7A) of MCDR, 2017 shall be applicable in case of violation of rule 45(7) of MCDR, 2017. 4. This is to bring to your kind notice that in case of non-compliance with the violation of Rule 11(1) of MCDR, 2017, the following action may be taken against you: (i) All operations of your mine may be suspended. (ii) Prosecution may be initiated against you. (iii) Recommendation for termination of the mining lease to the State Government. 5. Therefore, you are advised to rectify the aforesaid violation of rule 11(1) of MCDR, 2017 at the earliest and inform this office about the status of compliance within 45 (forty-five) days from the date of issue of this letter. Copy for kind information to: 1. Controller of Mines (NZ), Udaipur. 2. Director, Department of Mines and Geology, Government of Rajasthan, Udaipur. 3. Mining Engineer, Department of Mines and Geology, Udaipur.


 Signed by: DILIP
 Date: 09/09/2018

(DILIP JAIN, AJMER)
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