

Violation Notice Letter

By e-mail

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AJMER**

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To: Shri/M/s. Mr Vinod
Bahety, Nominated Owner,
M/s Ambuja Cements
Limited, Ambujanagar,
Kodinar Veraval Highway,
Kodinar, Gir Somnath,
Gujarat, 362715 ,Adani
Corporate House, Shantigran,
Near Vaishno Devi Circle, S
G Highway, Khodiyar,
Sewariya Village & Mandal,
Beawar district, Rajasthan,-
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Subject : Violation of provision of Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 in respect of your RAS-I mine over an extent of 183.53 ha area near Sewariya Village of Beawar, Rajasthan.

The following provisions of the Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 (hereinafter referred to as the MCDR, 2017) were found to have been violated in your mine during the inspection conducted on 11/09/2025 by the undersigned in the presence of Shri Amitabh Chaudhary, Mine Manger and Shri Amit Sharma, Geologist of your company.

Summary of Violations :

| Items for Reporting | As Per Plan | Actual | Deviati on | Rule | Reason |
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| Development - Opencast: Location of development w.r.t. lease area | N2919424 to N2919994 and E423266 to E423680. | N2919719 to N2920445 and E423435 to E423974. | Deviati on in pr oposed location of devel opment. | Rule 11(1), | Development was proposed between UTM grid coordinates N2919424 to N2919994 and E423266 to E423680; however, development was actually carried out between N2919719 to N2920445 and E423435 to E423974. Resulting deviation in approved location of development for the year 2024-25. |
| Development - Opencast: Stripping ratio : ore to OB ratio | 1:018 T/T | 1:029 T/T | Deviati on in str ipping ratio. | Rule 11(1), | A stripping ratio of 1:0.29 (ton/ton) has been achieved against the proposed 1:0.18 (ton/ton). |
| OB / Waste Dumps details: Location of Topsoil, OB/Waste, Mineral Reject dumps, Tailings and Fines | OB/Waste: N2919179 to N2919355 and E423883 to E423950. Screen Reject: N2920351 to N | OB/Waste: N2919053 to N2919202 and E423617 to E423708. Screen Reject: NIL | Waste d umping has not been carried out at the pro posed location , and the waste has | Rule 11(1), | Waste dumping was proposed between UTM grid N2919179 to N2919355 and E423883 to E423950; however, waste du mping was carried out between UTM grid N2919053 to N2919202 and E423617 to E423708. |

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| | 292058 9 and E 423291 to E423 476. | | been dispose d of over the existing Waste Dump- 1. | | |
| Annual Return: Whether incomplete or false or wrong returns submitted (Rule 45(7)) | In the Annual Return 2024-2 5, the reserves have been fu rnished as 127.16 million tonnes, and the total number of plant ations at the end of the year has been fu rnished as 1,317 tons, which is in correc t. | 1. Part V, Section 2: The figure of reserves has not been fu rnished after de pletion from the appr oved reserves figure under the appr oved RMP dated 2 4/01/20 22. 2. Part V, Section: The total number of trees at the end of the year has been fu | There is a deviat ion in the reporte d reserve figures and the Total number of plant ations in the Annual Return for 202 4-25. | Rule 45(7), | (1) Part-V, section 2: The position of reserve and remaining resource as on 01/04/2024 furnished in annual return for the year 2024-25 is not in line with the reserve and remaining resource figures furnished in approved Review of Mining Plan dated 24/01/2022. (2) Part-V, section 5: The total number trees at the end of the year furnished is not matching with the PMCP report uploaded under part-I. |

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| | | rished in correc tly. | | | |
| Annual Return: Scrutiny of Annual return on sale value, Ex. Mine price & production cost | In the Annual Return 2024-2 5, the cost of product ion has been fu rnished as 313.12 per tonne, which is incorec t. | Part VII: The cost of ore/min eral pro duced, as reporte d under the men tioned section of the Annual Return 2024-2 5, does not match the cost of prod uction c alculat ed based on the e xpenses furnishe d in the same return. | The cost of product ion is fu rnished incorec tly. | Rule 45(7), | Part-VII: The cost of ore mineral produced has been furnished as 313.12 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 27286 per ton. |

2. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of the MCDR, 2017. In case of non-compliance with the aforesaid rules of the MCDR, 2017, the following action may be initiated against you under the provisions of the MCDR, 2017: (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. 3. You are advised to rectify the violation of Rule 11(1) of the MCDR, 2017 at the earliest and to inform this office about the compliance status within forty-five (45) days from the date of issue of this letter. 3. The violation pointed out above under Rule 45(7) of the MCDR, 2017 shall be treated as a show-cause notice, and you are hereby granted 30 days' time to rectify the same. 4. Thereby, you are directed to show cause within thirty (30) days from the date of issue of this letter/notice as to why action under Rule 45(7) and Rule 62 of the MCDR, 2017 should not be initiated against you. 5. Please note that no further notice will be issued to you for violation of Rule 45(7) of the MCDR, 2017. In case of non-compliance, the provisions of Schedule-II under Rule 45(7A) of the MCDR, 2017 shall be applicable. 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, Sirohi.

Yours faithfully,

(DILIP JAIN, AJMER)
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Esigned by: DILIP
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