

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

File No: M.P/SATNA/LST-49 5639 - 5642

Jabalpur, Dated: 29.07.2021

To,

1. Shri Arvind Pathak, (Nominated Owner),
Sagmania Limestone Mine,
M/s Birla Corporation Limited
1, Shakespeare Sarani, A.C. Market (2nd Floor),
Kolkata - 700071,
Email - coordinator@birlacorp.com
2. Shri Rajesh Chaubey, (Mine Agent),
Sagmania Limestone Mine,
M/s Birla Corporation Limited
Satna Cement Works,
Post - Sagmania, District - Satna (M.P.) - 485005
Email - admin.scw@birlacorp.com

Subject: Violation of provisions of provisions of Mineral Conservation & Development Rules, 2017 in respect of your Sagmania Limestone Mine (852.50 Hect.) in Satna district of M.P. State.

Sir,

The following provisions of the Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 were found violated in your above mentioned mine during MCDR inspection on 24/07/2021 by the undersigned in presence of Mr Rajesh Chaubey - Head & Agent Mines, Mr Kumar Rajan - Mines manager & Engineer -Mines and Mr. Anup Patidar - Geologist.

नियम स.	पाए गए उल्लंघन की विस्तृत प्रकृति
Rule 11 (1)	<p>According to this rule-No holder of a mining lease shall commence or carry out mining operation 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 Govt. pursuant to the provisions to clause (b) of Sub Section (2) of Section 5 or approved by the competent authority of the Atomic Minerals Directorate for exploration and Researching respect of minerals specified in Part B of the First Schedule of the Act where the grade of such atomic minerals is equal to or above the threshold value limit declared under schedule-A of the Atomic Mineral Concession Rules 2016.</p> <p>The Modification in approved Mining Plan of above mentioned mine was approved vide this office letter No.MP/Satna/LST/MPLN/MOD-26/2019-20 dated 27.03.2020 incorporating the proposals for 2020-21. During the inspection it was found that following provisions of rule have been violated</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Raised Limestone production of 28.11 Lakh tons against approved proposal of 45.73 lakh tons and handled total Over Burden including Top Soil) to the tune of 5.44 Lakh tons against approved proposal of 12.11 Lakh tons i.e; lagging in development & distorting the stripping ratio.2. Excavation is not done in "B quarry" and "C Quarry" as proposed in the approved modified plan.3. As per para no K(i) of Geology & exploration chapter of approved modified mining plan, the recovery factor of mineral is 90% & 10% of mineral reject was proposed. But, record of 10% mineral reject is not provided during inspection.

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Rule 63(1)	Preservation of cores, etc.-(1) Every holder of a mineral concession and every agency authorised under the second proviso to sub-section (1) of section 4 shall preserve intact, until submission of the final geological report, all cores and specimens of different types of rocks and minerals obtained during drilling or sinking operations and shall arrange for them to be laid out in a serial order with identification marks, showing the progressive depth at which, they are obtained. Core of drilled boreholes are not preserved by way of maintaining core library in proper manner.
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01. In this connection it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of MCDR-2017.
02. Non-compliance of the rule 11(1) of MCDR-2017 may lead to suspension of Mining operations under the provisions of rule 11(2) of MCDR-2017.
03. 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.

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29/3/2024
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प्रतिलिपि प्रेषित :

01. The Director of Geology & Mining, Govt. of Madhya Pradesh, Khanij Bhavan, 29-A, Arera Hills, Bhopal(M.P.) for information and further necessary action.
02. The District Collector, Satna (M.P.) for information.

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प्रतिलिपि प्रेषित :

खान नियंत्रक (मध्य), भारतीय खान ब्यूरो, नागपुर को सूचनार्थ प्रेषित। (ईमेल)

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