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File No. KNT/CTD/LST/12/BNG

Dated: 17/02/2016

To,
Shri K Saravanan
Mines Manager- MKS limestone mine
M/s Ramco Cements Ltd.
Mathodu Works, Hosadurga Taluk
Chitradurga District
Karnataka 577 533

Subject: Violation of provisions of MCDR 1988 in respect of your MKS limestone mine (Area- 388.50Hect.), ML no. 1882, situated near villages Method, Kappa-Nayakanahalli & Siddagondanahalli, Hosadurga Taluk, Chitradurga District of Karnataka state...Regarding

References:

1. This office violation letter of even no. dated 29.07.2015.
2. Your reply letter no. TRCL/ MTD/IBM/MKS-1882/ 2015-16/ 157 dated 01.08.2015.
3. Your reply letter no. TRCL/ MTD/IBM/MKS-4882/ 2015-16/ 180 dated 29.10.2015.

Sir,

Undersigned inspected your above mine on 18.06.2015 in presence of S/Shri K Saravanan - mines manager and Praveen Kulkarni - Geologist. Violation letter of even number dated 29.07.2015(cited as ref. 1 above) was issued for below mentioned rules of Mineral Conservation & Development Rules, 1988.

Rule	Nature of Violations observed
	As per the Scheme of Mining , approved by IBM vide letter no. 279/716/2001/BNG dated 02/01/2015, for the period of 2013-14 to 2017-18:

13(1)	1. ROM production proposal during 2014-15 was 43,958 tonnes, against which no actual production is found to be reported. 2. 75 m of retention wall, Garland drain & one settling pond are proposed to be constructed along the toe of the dump. The same are not found to be erected during the date of inspection.
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Your reply on violation no. 2 is *not found satisfactory since it is obligatory on the part of the lessee to carry out environment protection measures as a part of the implementation of Approved Scheme of mining.*

02. The mining operations can be suspended under Rule 13(2), if compliance of Rule 13(1) is not found satisfactory.

03. You are, therefore, directed to *show cause within a period of 30 days* from the date of issue of this letter, as to why you should not be prosecuted for the above offences.

04. Please note that no further notice will be given to you in this regard.

Yours faithfully,

Sd/-
(Krishnendu Chatterjee)
Jr. Mining Geologist
Indian Bureau of Mines

Copy to: The Controller of Mines (SZ), Bangalore: For kind information.

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