

भारत सरकार  
खान मंत्रालय  
भारतीय खान ब्यूरो  
क्षेत्रीय खान नियंत्रक का कार्यालय

सं0- म0प्र0/Satna /L.Stone/ 378  
सेवा में,

जबलपुर दिनांक :08/03/2019

**Shri Vivek Agnihotri(Nominated Owner)**  
**Prism Johnson Ltd.**  
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**Main Avenue,V.P. Road**  
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विषय – म0प्र0 राज्य के Sartna जिले में स्थित आपकी Bandarkha Limestone खान (क्षेत्रफल 40.236 हे0) में खनिज संरक्षण एवं विकास नियमावली, 2017 के नियमों का उल्लंघन।

महोदय,

Following provisions of the Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 were found violated in your above mentioned mine during the inspection of the mine by Shri P. Nahar, Asstt. Mining Geologist of this office on 07/09/2018 in presence of Shri S.K. Upadhyay ,Geologist and Shri Amit Biswas, Geologist -

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नियम/धारा उल्लंघन के प्रकार का विस्तृत ब्यौरा

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**नियम 11(1)**—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 proviso to clause (b) of sub section(2) of Section5

The Scheme of Mining of above mentioned mine was approved vide letter no.MP/Satna/Limestone/M.Sch.-25 /2015-16 dated 05/01/2016 incorporating proposals of working from 2015-16 to 2019-20 . In the approved Scheme of Mining it was proposed to drill 5 bore holes in 2015-16, 3 bore holes in 2016-17 , 2 bore holes in 2017-18 and 3 bore holes in 2018-19. But during the inspection it was found that only 04Nos. of diamond core bore holes were drilled in the Lease area till the date of inspection .

Thus there is a violation of above mentioned rule.

**नियम 55**— According to this rule every holder of a mining lease shall employ ,in case of-

- i) Category A mines, a whole time mining engineer and geologist.
- ii) Category B mines a part time mining engineer and a part time geologist.

Provided that in the case of fully mechanized category A mines the mining engineers and geologist shall have minimum five years of professional experience of working in a supervisory capacity in the field of mining.

As per this office record above mentioned mines is a Category A(Fully Mechanized) Mines. But a whole time mining engineer and geologist against the provisions of above mentioned rules has not been appointed.

Thus there is a contravention of above mentioned rule.

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02 In this connection it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of MCDR-2017.

03 For non compliance of the rule 11(1) of MCDR-2017 the mining operations can be suspended 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.

भवदीय,

(ओ०पी०गोपाल)  
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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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