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**VIOLATION LETTER**  
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Date: 31.12.2024

सेवा में / To,

M/s Virender Kumar Walia  
 Bhootmari Limestone Mine  
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विषय / Subject: The **violation of provisions of the Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017**, in relation to the M/s Virender Kumar Walia Bhootmari **Limestone Mine** covering an area of **32.57 hectares** in **Sirmour District, Himachal Pradesh**.

Sir,

The undersigned conducted an inspection of your mine on **27.11.2024**, in the presence of your mine representative, **Shri D K Sinha (Mine manager)**. During the inspection, the following provisions of the **Mineral Conservation and Development Rules, 2017 (MCDR 2017)** were found violated in your mine. The following discrepancies have been observed during the inspection:

Rule No	Nature of violation observed in detail
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**Rule 11(1) Mining operations under mining lease:** No holder of a mining lease shall commence or carry out mining operations 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 Government.

**However** following discrepancies have been observed w.r. to the Review and Updation of mining plan with PMCP vide letter No. 614(2)/MS-B-283/08-DDN, dated 09.03.2022 to the following extent.

*The mining was proposed between RL 1485-1475 but the work has not been done at the place proposed rather it has been done in the NE region of the ML area.*

**Rule 45 Monthly and Annual returns (7):** If it is found that the holder of a mining lease or the person or company engaged in trading or storage or end-use or export of minerals has submitted incomplete or wrong or false information in daily or monthly or annual returns or fails to submit a return within the date specified.

*It has been observed that you have submitted incomplete information by not providing the registration number of purchasers of mineral in the Annual returns.*

**Rule 55 Employment of geologists and mining engineers:** Every holder of a mining lease shall employ, in case of

- Category 'A' mines, a whole-time mining engineer and a geologist.
- Category 'B' mines, a part-time mining engineer and a part-time geologist:

*Category "A" mines having area equal to or above 25 h, a whole-time geologist needs to be appointed instead of part time geologist.*

2. In this connection, it is brought to your notice that the above violations constitute an offence punishable under Rule 62 of Mineral Conservations and Development Rules, 2017.
3. The mining operations can be suspended under the rule 11(2) of MCDR-2017, if compliance of rule 11(1) & 45(7)(a) of MCDR-2017 is not found satisfactory.
4. 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.

Yours faithfully,

नितिन /Nitin  
कनिष्ठ खनन भू-विज्ञानी/Junior Mining Geologist  
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