

**Violation letter**  
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क्षेत्रीय खान नियंत्रक का कार्यालय/ Office of Regional Controller of Mines  
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फाईल संख्या File No: MCDR-MiFL0LST/5/2026-GNR-IBM\_RO\_GNR दिनांक -07-2026

Mine File PORB/LST-314 ID: Mine Code: 38GUJ08174

सेवा में To : Owner/Manager/Mining Engineer

**M/s Tata Chemicals Limited**

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M/s Tata Chemicals Ltd., Bombay House 24, Homi  
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**विषय Sub:** Violation of provisions of Mineral Conservation & Development Rules, 2017 in respect of your Adityana [229] Limestone Mine over an extent of 1.0995 Ha at District Porbandar of Gujarat- Reg

महोदय / Sir,

The undersigned has inspected your aforesaid mine in the presence of Shri Rohit Gaur (Agent and Head Mines) on 11.06.2026. Following provisions of MCDR 2017 were found violated in your mines.

| Rule No. | Nature of Violation observed                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                       |
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| 27(1)    | <p><i>A financial assurance shall be furnished by the holder of the mining lease, for due and proper implementation of the progressive mine closure plan contained in the mining plan or the final mine closure plan, as the case may be, which shall be an amount of five lakh rupees for Category 'A' mines and three lakh rupees for Category 'B' mines, per hectare of the mining lease area put to use for mining and allied activities.</i></p> <p><i>Provided that the minimum amount of financial Assurance to be furnished under sub-rule (1), shall be ten lakh rupees for category 'A' mines and Five lakh rupees for category 'B' mines:</i></p> <p>That failure to submit valid financial assurance within the stipulated time shall attract action under the provisions of Act and Rules and all such cases shall be referred to the respective State Governments for taking necessary action against the defaulter mining lease holders.</p> <p>However, in your case, there is no valid Bank Guarantee available with this office, therefore the new bank guarantee shall be submitted to this office for a validity period up to 31.03.2030 and one year extra claim period from the validity period. (i.e., upto 31-03-2031)</p> |
| 21(4)    | <p><i>"The holder of a mining lease shall not abandon a mine unless a final mine closure plan duly approved by the competent authority, is implemented, and for this purpose, the lessee shall be required to obtain a certificate from the authorised officer, as the case may be, to the effect that protective, reclamation and rehabilitation work in accordance with the final mine closure plan or with such modifications as approved by the competent authority have been carried out before abandonment of mine"</i></p> <p>However, it is observed that the mine has remained non-operational for a long period of time. Therefore, in terms of the above provision, the mine shall not be abandoned unless the FMCP, duly approved by the competent authority, has been fully implemented.</p>                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                                          |

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

3. In context violation of above Rules, you are advised to rectify the violation of above Rule immediately and intimate the compliance position to this office, within a period of 45 days for violated rules from date of issue of this letter.

4. This letter is being issued with the approval of Regional Controller of Mines.

भवदीय/Yours faithfully,

Digitally signed by  
Sunil Kumar Sharma  
Date: 24-07-2026  
17:30:19

सुनील कुमार शर्मा /Sunil Kumar Sharma

वरिष्ठ सहायक खान नियंत्रक /Senior Assistant Controller of Mines

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3. The District Geologist, Porbandar – Collector Office Building, Ground Floor, Ranibag, Porbandar – geologist-por@gujarat.gov.in
4. Guard File
5. MCDR File

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