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**NOTIFICATION AND NOTICE INVITING TENDER**

**"Invitation of bids for grant of Mining Lease for Limestone Blocks"**

In exercise of the powers conferred under Section 10(B) of the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957 and in accordance with the Minerals (Evidence of Mineral Contents) Rules, 2015 and the Mineral (Auction) Rules, 2015 and amendments notified thereunder, the Government of Tamil Nadu is conducting auction of mining lease for the following 10 limestone blocks.

<b>S. No.</b>	<b>Name of the block</b>	<b>Mineral</b>	<b>Concession Area (in Ha.)</b>	<b>Estimated resources (in MMT)</b>
1.	Adanakuruchi	Limestone	154.36	162.04
2.	Alathiyur	Limestone	139.72	103.25
3.	Anandawadi	Limestone	134.16	19.36
4.	Unjini-Anandawadi	Limestone	41.36	14.36
5.	Periyathirukonam	Limestone	102.05	22.39
6.	A-03 Reddipalayam	Limestone	34.97.07	25.20
7.	A-06 Reddipalayam	Limestone	63.51.30	35.21
8.	A-15 Reddipalayam	Limestone	116.81.50	8.21
9.	Uchimedu	Limestone	18.78.59	3.87
10.	Sendurai - Maruvathur	Limestone	154.59.0	19.45

Eligibility, terms and conditions, date and time for participating in the electronic auction are provided in the Tender Document. Tender Documents, notifications, updates and other details for the e-auction process shall be available in electronic form only at the website of MSTC Ltd. (<https://www.mstcecommerce.com/auctionhome/mlcln/index.jsp>).

Model tender document and the summary of the block shall be available at free of cost at the above website of MSTC Ltd.

For participating in the bidding process, the registered bidders will have to purchase the block specific tender document at the website of MSTC Ltd by paying Rs.5,00,000/- (Rs. Five Lakhs only) per block with GST @18% (Non-Refundable) under the Reverse Charge Mechanism.

The sale of tender document shall commence from	<b>05 March 2024.</b>
Last date for sale of tender document at the website of MSTC Ltd	<b>15 April 2024</b>
Last date for submission of Technical Bids with the Initial Price Offers	<b>22 April 2024 (by 17:00 hours IST).</b>
Physical copies of the Technical Bids must reach the Tender Inviting Authority i.e., Commissioner, Commissionerate of Geology and Mining, Government of Tamil Nadu.	

Commissioner, Geology and Mining,  
Government of Tamil Nadu