Toxics Reduction Act 2016 Public Report

Rahnmet 141 Regina Street North Bay, Ontario P1A 1A1

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<u>Facility Information</u> Facility Name: Rahnmet

NPRI Identification Number: 11220

Two Digit NAICS Code: 33 Four Digit NAICS Code: 3315 Six Digit NAICS Code: 331529

Number of Full-Time Employees: <100

UTM Spatial Coordinates (NAD83): Latitude: 46.303612

Longitude: -79.462112 Datum: NAD 83 UTM Zone: 17

UTM Easting: 618398.0 UTM Northing: 5128953.0

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Highest Ranking Employee at the Facility Information

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Toxic Substances that must be reported on

Substance 1: Lead (and its compounds)

CAS Number: NA-08

Substance 2: Copper (and its compounds)

CAS Number: NA-06

Facility Overview

Rahnmet manufactures and repairs rock crushers for the mining industry and is located in North Bay, ON. There are two facilities on-site; a non-ferrous foundry and a plant (machine shop). The foundry casts bronze wearing parts which are then machined in the plant. The plant also refurbishes crusher parts which involves welding parts and then machining them. Rahnmet is committed to keep detailed accounting records on all substances entering, leaving, created, and transformed in the facility. This report covers lead and copper.

There has not been a change in the method or combination of methods used to track and quantify the substances. There were not any significant process changes at the facility and there were no incidents that affected the tracking of the substances.

Lead and its compounds - CAS Number: NA-08

	2016	2015	
Mass Balance	Weight in tonnes	Weight in tonnes	% Change
Entering process	>1 to 10	>1 to 10	1.49%
Contained in finished product	>1 to 10	>1 to 10	-5.23%
Recycled	>1 to 10	>1 to 10	-11.43%
Released to atmosphere	>0 to 1	>0 to 1	7.14%

Copper and its compounds - CAS Number: NA-06

	2016	2015	
Mass Balance	Weight in tonnes	Weight in tonnes	% Change
Entering process	>10 to 100	>10 to 100	10.93%
Contained in finished product	>10 to 100	>10 to 100	10.99%
Recycled	>1 to 10	>1 to 10	10.57%
Released to atmosphere	>0 to 1	>0 to 1	14.29%

Plan Objectives

All employees at Rahnmet are involved in the reduction of toxic substances. It is our goal to further reduce the creation and release of toxic substances where technically and economically feasible. Lead and copper cannot be reduced since they are part of the finished product.

<u>Plan Implementation Progress</u>

There are no feasible reduction options for lead and copper. As a result there are no plans and no timelines for reduction. Rahnmet is committed to maintaining the quality and effectiveness of the air filtration and

capturing systems and continually looking at how to improve its effectiveness and thus reduce emissions to the atmosphere. A secondary dust collector was added in 2016 that acts as a pre-filter running during production times which create a higher amount of dust.

Certification by Highest Ranking Employee
As of May 28, 2017 I, Paul Lacasse, certify that I have read the 2014 toxic substances accounting report. I m familiar with its contents, and to the best of my knowledge the report is factually accurate and omplies with the Toxics Reduction Act 2009 and Ontario Regulation 455/09 made under the Act.
Date:

Paul Lacasse President Rahnmet, North Bay