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V. SUMMARY OF FINDINGS

As shown in Exhibit 5-1, EPA determined that 48 commodity sectors generated a total of 527 waste streams that could be classified as either extraction/beneficiation or mineral processing wastes. After careful review, EPA determined that 41 commodity sectors generated a total of 354 waste streams that could be designated as mineral processing wastes.

Exhibit 5-2 presents the 354 mineral processing wastes by commodity sector. Of these 354 waste streams, EPA has sufficient information (based on either analytical test data or engineering judgment) to determine that 148 waste streams are potentially RCRA hazardous wastes because they may exhibit one or more of the RCRA hazardous characteristics: toxicity, ignitability, corrosivity, or reactivity.

Exhibit 5-3 presents the 148 RCRA hazardous mineral processing wastes that will be subject to the Land Disposal Restrictions. Exhibit 5-4 identifies the mineral processing commodity sectors that generate RCRA hazardous mineral processing wastes that are likely to be subject to the Land Disposal Restrictions. Exhibit 5-4 also summarizes the total number of hazardous waste streams by sector and the estimated total volume of hazardous wastes generated annually.

At this time, however, EPA has insufficient information to determine whether the following nine sectors also generate wastes that could be classified as mineral processing wastes: Bromine, Gemstones, Iodine, Lithium, Lithium Carbonate, Soda Ash, Sodium Sulfate, and Strontium.

EXHIBIT 5-1
SUMMARY OF EXTRACTION/BENEFICIATION AND MINERAL PROCESSING WASTE STREAMS
BY COMMODITY

Commodity	Waste Stream	Nature of Operation
Alumina and Aluminum	Water softener sludge	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Anode prep waste	Mineral Processing
	APC dust/sludge	Mineral Processing
	Baghouse bags and spent plant filters	Mineral Processing
	Bauxite residue	Mineral Processing
	Cast house dust	Mineral Processing
	Cryolite recovery residue	Mineral Processing
	Wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Discarded Dross	Mineral Processing
	Flue Dust	Mineral Processing
	Electrolysis waste	Mineral Processing
	Evaporator salt wastes	Mineral Processing
	Miscellaneous wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Pisolites	Mineral Processing
	Scrap furnace brick	Mineral Processing
	Skims	Mineral Processing
	Sludge	Mineral Processing
	Spent cleaning residue	Mineral Processing
	Sweepings	Mineral Processing
	Treatment Plant Effluent	Mineral Processing
	Waste alumina	Mineral Processing
Antimony	Gangue	Mineral Processing
	Wastewater	Mineral Processing
	APC Dust/Sludge	Mineral Processing
	Autoclave Filtrate	Mineral Processing
	Spent Barren Solution	Mineral Processing
	Gangue (Filter Cake)	Mineral Processing
	Leach Residue	Mineral Processing
	Refining Dross	Mineral Processing
	Slag and Fumace Residue	Mineral Processing
	Sludge from Treating Process Waste Water	Mineral Processing
	Stripped Analyte Solids	Mineral Processing
Beryllium	Gangue	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Tailings	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Wastewater	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Acid Conversion Stream	Mineral Processing
Beryllium (continued)	Spent Barren filtrate streams	Mineral Prœessing
	Bertrandite thickener slurry	Mineral Processing
	Beryl thickener slurry	Mineral Processing
	Beryllium hydroxide supernatant	Mineral Processing
	Chip Treatment Wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Dross discard	Mineral Processing

Commodity	Waste Stream	Nature of Operation
	Filtration discard	Mineral Prœessing
	Leaching discard	Mineral Processing
	Neutralization discard	Mineral Processing
	Pebble Plant Area Vent Scrubber Water	Mineral Processing
	Precipitation discard	Mineral Processing
	Process wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Spent Raffinate	Mineral Processing
	Scrubber Liquor	Mineral Processing
	Separation slurry	Mineral Processing
	Sump Water	Mineral Processing
	Waste Solids	Mineral Processing
Bismuth	Alloy residues	Mineral Processing
	Spent Caustic Soda	Mineral Prœessing
	Electrolytic Slimes	Mineral Processing
	Excess chlorine	Mineral Processing
	Lead and Zinc chlorides	Mineral Processing
	Metal Chlorid e Residues	Mineral Processing
	Slag	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent Electrolyte	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent Material	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent soda solution	Mineral Prœessing
	Waste acid solutions	Mineral Prœssing
	Waste Acids	Mineral Processing
	Wastewater	Mineral Processing
Boron	Crud	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Gangue	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent Solvents	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Waste Brine	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Wastewater	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent Sodium Sulfate	Mineral Processing
	Waste liquor	Mineral Processing
	Underflow Mud	Mineral
	Older How Mad	ProcessingBromineSlimesEx action/Beneficiation
	Waste Brine	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Water Vapor	Extraction/Beneficiation
Cadmium	Caustic wash water	Mineral Processing
	Copper and Lead Sulfate Filter Cakes	Mineral Processing
	Copper Removal Filter Cake	Mineral Prœessing
	Iron containing impurities	Mineral Processing
	Spent Leach solution	Mineral Processing
	Lead Sulfate waste	Mineral Processing
	Post-leach Filter Cakes	Mineral Processing
	Spent Purification solution	Mineral Prœessing
	Scrubber wastewater	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent electrolyte	Mineral Processing

Commodity	Waste Stream	Nature of Operation
	Zinc Precipit ates	Mineral Prœessing
Calcium Metal	Off-gases	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Overburden	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Calcium Alumi nate wastes	Mineral Processing
	Dust with Quicklime	Mineral Processing
Cesium/Rubidium	Alkali Alums	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Calciner Residues	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Cesium Chlorosonnate	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Non-Pollucite Mineral Waste	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Precipitated Aluminum	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Precipitated Barium Sulfate	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent Chlorine solution	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent Ion-exchange solution	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent Metal	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent Ore	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent Solvent	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Waste Gangue	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Chemical Residues	Mineral Prœessing
	Digester waste	Mineral Prœessing
	Electrolytic Slimes	Mineral Prœessing
	Pyrolytic Residue	Mineral Prœessing
	Slag	Mineral Prœessing
Chromium, Ferrochrome, and	Gangue and tailings	Extraction/Beneficiation
Ferrochromium-Silicon	Dust or Sludge from ferrochromium production	Mineral Prœessing
	Dust or Sludge from ferrochromium-silicon production	Mineral Prœessing
	Slag and Residues	Mineral Prœessing
Coal Gas	Baghouse Coal Dust	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Coal Pile Runoff	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Fines	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Gangue	Extraction/Beneficiation
	API Oil/Water Separator Sludge	Mineral Prœessing
	API Water	Mineral Prœessing
	Cooling To wer Blowdown	Mineral Prœessing
	Dissolved Air Flotation (DAF) Sludge	Mineral Prœessing
	Flue Dust Residues	Mineral Prœessing
	Liquid Wa ste Incinerator Blowd own	Mineral Prœessing
	Liquid Waste Incinerator Pond Sludge	Mineral Prœessing
	Multiple Effects Evaporator Concentrate	Mineral Processing
	Multiple Effects Evaporator Pond Sludge	Mineral Processing
	Sludge and Filter Cake	Mineral Processing
	Spent Methanol Catalyst	Mineral Processing
	Stretford Solution Purge Stream	Mineral Processing
	Surface Impoundment Solids	Mineral Processing
	Vacuum Filter Sludge	Mineral Processing
	Zeolite Softening PWW	Mineral Prœessing

Commodity	Waste Stream	Nature of Operation
Copper	Crud	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent Kerosene	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Raffinate	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Slime	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Slimes or "Muds"	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Tailings	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Waste Rock	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Acid plant blowdown	Mineral Processing
	Acid plant thickener sludge	Mineral Processing
	APC dusts/slu dges	Mineral Processing
	Spent bleed electrolyte	Mineral Processing
	Chamber solids/scrubber sludge	Mineral Processing
	Waste contact cooling water	Mineral Processing
	Discarded furnace brick	Mineral Processing
	Non-recyclable APC dusts	Mineral Processing
	Process wastewaters	Mineral Processing
	Scrubb er blowdown	Mineral Processing
	Spent black sulfuric acid sludge	Mineral Processing
	Surface impoundment waste liquids	Mineral Processing
	Tankhouse slimes	Mineral Processing
Copper (continued)	WWTP liquid effluent	Mineral Processing
	WWTP sludge	Mineral Processing
Elemental Phosphorous	Waste rock from mining	Extraction/Beneficiation
•	Condenser phossy water discard	Mineral Prœessing
	Cooling water	Mineral Processing
	AFM rinsate	Mineral Prœessing
	Dust	Mineral Prœessing
	Waste ferrophosphorus	Mineral Processing
	Furnace offgas solids	Mineral Prœessing
	Furnace s crubber blowdown	Mineral Prœessing
	Precipitator slurry scrubber water	Mineral Prœessing
	Slag quenchwat er	Mineral Processing
	Sludge	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent furnace brick	Mineral Prœessing
	Surface impoundment waste liquids	Mineral Prœessing
	Surface impoundment waste solids	Mineral Processing
	Waste filter media	Mineral Prœessing
	WWTP liquid effluent	Mineral Processing
	WWTP Sludge/Solids	Mineral Processing
Fluorspar and Hydrofluoric Acid	Gangue	Extraction/Beneficiation
1 2	Lead and Zinc sulfides	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent flotation reagents	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Tailings	Extraction/Beneficiation
	APC Dusts	Mineral Processing
	Off-spec fluosilicic acid	Mineral Processing

Commodity	Waste Stream	Nature of Operation
	Sludges	Mineral Prœessing
Gem Stones	Overburden	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent chemical agents	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent polishing media	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Waste minerals	Extraction/Beneficiation
Germanium	Waste Acid Wash and Rinse Water	Mineral Processing
	Chlorinator Wet Air Pollution Control Sludge	Mineral Processing
	Hydrolysis Filtrate	Mineral Processing
	Leach Residues	Mineral Processing
	Spent Acid/Leachate	Mineral Processing
	Waste Still Liquor	Mineral Processing
	Wastewater	Mineral ProcessingGold and SilverBlack sandExtraction/Beneficiation
	Filter cake	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Mercury bearing solution	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Mine water	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent carbon	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent leaching solution	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent ore	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent stripping solution	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Tailings	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Waste rock, clay and sand	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Zinc cyanide solution	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent Furnace Dust	Mineral Prœessing
	Refining wastes	Mineral Prœessing
	Slag	Mineral Prœessing
	Wastewater treatment sludge	Mineral Prœessing
	Wastewater	Mineral Prœessing
Iodine	Filtrate waste	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Sludge	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Sulfur compounds	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Waste acid	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Waste bleed liquor	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Waste bleed liquor and filtrate was tes	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Waste brine	Extraction/Beneficiation
Iron and Steel	Tailings	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Wastewater and Waste Solids	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Wastewater	Mineral Prœessing
Lead	Concentration Wastes	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Mine water	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Waste Rock	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Acid Plant Blowdown	Mineral Processing
	Acid Plant Sludge	Mineral Processing
	Baghouse Dust	Mineral Processing
	Baghouse Incinerator Ash	Mineral Processing

Commodity	Waste Stream	Nature of Operation
	Cooling To wer Blowdown	Mineral Prœessing
	Waste Nickel Matte	Mineral Prœessing
	Process Wastewater	Mineral Prœessing
	Slurried APC Dust	Mineral Prœessing
	Solid Residues	Mineral Prœessing
	Solids in Plant Washdown	Mineral Prœessing
Lead (continued)	Spent Furnace Brick	Mineral Prœessing
	Stockpiled Miscellaneous Plant Waste	Mineral Processing
	Surface Impoundment Waste Liquids	Mineral Processing
	Surface Impoundment Waste Solids	Mineral Processing
	SVG Backwash	Mineral Processing
	WWTP Liquid Effluent	Mineral Processing
	WWTP Sludges/Solids	Mineral Prœessing
Lightweight	Overburden	Extraction/Beneficiation
Aggregate	Screenings	Extraction/Beneficiation
	APC control scrubber water and solids	Mineral Prœessing
	APC Dust/Sludge	Mineral Prœessing
	Surface impoundment waste liquids	Mineral Prœessing
	WWTP liquid effluent	Mineral Prœessing
Lithium and	Acid roaster gases	Extraction/Beneficiation
Lithium Carbonate	Flotation Tailings	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Gangue	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Magnesium/Calcium Sludge	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Roaster Off-gases	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Salt solutions	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Wastewater from Wet Scrubber	Extraction/Beneficiation
Magnesium and Magnesia	Calcium sludge	Extraction/Beneficiation
from Brines	Offgases	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent seawater	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Tailings	Extraction/Beneficiation
	APC Dust/Sludge	Mineral Processing
	Calciner offgas es	Mineral Processing
	Calcium sludge	Mineral Processing
	Casthouse Dust	Mineral Processing
	Casting plant slag	Mineral Processing
	Cathode Scrubber Liquor	Mineral Processing
	Slag	Mineral Processing
	Smut	Mineral Processing
	Spent Brines	Mineral Processing
Manganese, Manganese Dioxide, Ferromanganese	Flotation tailings	Extraction/Beneficiation
and Silicomanganese	Gangue	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent Flotation Reagents	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Wastewater	Extraction/Beneficiation
	APC Dust/Sludge	Mineral Processing
	APC Water	Mineral Processing

Commodity	Waste Stream	Nature of Operation
Manganese, Manganese	Electrolyte Purification Waste	Mineral Prœessing
Dioxide, Ferromanganese and Silicomanganese (continued)	Iron Sulfide Sludge	Mineral Prœessing
2 \	Ore Residues	Mineral Prœessing
	Slag	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent Graphite Anode	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent Process Liquor	Mineral Prœessing
	Waste Electrolyte	Mineral Prœessing
	Wastewater (CMD)	Mineral Prœessing
	Wastewater (EMD)	Mineral Prœessing
	Wastewater Treatment Solids	Mineral Prœessing
Mercury	Concentrator Wastewater	Mineral Prœessing
	Dust	Mineral Prœessing
	Mercury Quench Water	Mineral Prœessing
	Filter Cake Waste	Mineral Prœessing
	Furnace Residue	Mineral Processing
Molybdenum,	Flotation tailings	Extraction/Beneficiation
Ferromolybdenum, and Ammonium Molybdate	Gangue	Extraction/Beneficiation
Animonium Molybuate	Spent Flotation Reagents	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Wastewater	Extraction/Beneficiation
	APC Dust/Sludge	Mineral Processing
	Flue Dust/Gases	Mineral Processing
	Liquid Residues	Mineral Processing
	H2 Reduction Furnace Scrubber Water	Mineral Processing
	Molybdic Oxide R efining Wastes	Mineral Processing
	Refining Wastes	Mineral Processing
	Roaster Gas Blowdown Solids	Mineral Processing
	Slag	Mineral Processing
	Solid Residues	Mineral Processing
	Treatment Solids	Mineral Processing
Phosphoric Acid	Waste Scale	Mineral Processing
Platinum Group	Filtrate	Extraction/Beneficiation
Metals	Tailings	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Wastewater	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Slag	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent Acids	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent Notes Spent Solvents	Mineral Processing
Pyrobitumens,	Spent coal	Extraction/Beneficiation
Mineral Waxes,	Spent solvents	Extraction/Beneficiation
and Naturel Asphalts	Still bottoms	Mineral Prœessing
Pyrobitumens, Mineral Waxes, and Naturel Asphalts (continued)	Waste catalysts	Mineral Processing
Rare Earths	Magnetic fractions	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Tailings	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent ammonium nitrate processing solution	Mineral Processing
	Electrolytic cell caustic wet APC waste	Mineral Processing

Commodity	Waste Stream	Nature of Operation
	Spent Electrolytic cell quench water and scrubber water	Mineral Processing
	Spent hydroxide cake	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent iron/lead filter cake	Mineral Processing
	Lead backwash sludge	Mineral Processing
	Monazite solids	Mineral Processing
	Process wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Spent scrubber liquor	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent sodium fluoride	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent sodium hypochlorite filter backwash	Mineral Processing
	Solvent extraction crud	Mineral Processing
	Spent surface impoundment solids	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent surface impoundment liquids	Mineral Prœessing
	Waste filtrate	Mineral Prœessing
	Waste solvent	Mineral Prœessing
	Wastewater from caustic wet APC	Mineral Prœessing
	Waste zinc contaminated with mercury	Mineral Processing
Rhenium	APC Dust/Sludge	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent Barren Scrubber Liquor	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent Rhenium Raffinate	Mineral Prœessing
	Roaster Dust	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent Ion Exchange/SX Solutions	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent Salt Solutions	Mineral Prœessing
	Slag	Mineral Processing
Scandium	Crud from the bottom of the solvent extraction unit	Mineral Prœessing
	Dusts and spent filters from decomposition	Mineral Processing
	Spent acids	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent ion exchange resins and backwash	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent solvents from solvent extraction	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent wash water	Mineral Prœessing
	Waste chlorine solution	Mineral Processing
	Waste solutions/solids from leaching and precipitation	Mineral ProcessingSeleniumSpent filter cakeMineral Processing
	Plant process was tewater	Mineral Prœessing
	Slag	Mineral Prœessing
	Tellurium slime wastes	Mineral Prœessing
	Waste Solids	Mineral Prœessing
Silicon and	Gangue	Extraction/Beneficiation
Ferrosilicon	Spent Wash Water	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Tailings	Extraction/Beneficiation
	APC Dust Sludge	Mineral Processing
	Dross discard	Mineral Processing
	Slag	Mineral Processing
Soda Ash	Airborne emissions	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Calciner offgas es	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Filter aid and carbon absorbent	Extraction/Beneficiation

Commodity	Waste Stream	Nature of Operation
	Mother liquor	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Ore insolubles	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Ore residues	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Overburden	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Particulate emissions from driers	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Particulates	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Purge liquor	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Scrubber water	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent brine	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent carbon and filter wastes	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent dissolution wastes	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Suspended particulate matter	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Tailings	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Trona ore particulates	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Trona ore processing waste	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Waste mother liquor	Extraction/Beneficiation
Sodium Sulfate	Waste Brine	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Wastewater	Extraction/Beneficiation
Strontium	Calciner offgas	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Dilute sodium sulfide solution	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Filter muds	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent Ore	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Vacuum drum filtrate	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Waste solution	Extraction/BeneficiationSulfur
		Air emissionsExtraction/Beneficia tion
	Filter cake	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Frasch process residues	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Sludge	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Wastewater	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent catalysts (Claus process)	Mineral Processing
	Spent vanadium pentoxide catalysts from sulfuric acid production	Mineral Processing
	Spilled product (Claus process)	Mineral Processing
	Wastewater from wet-scrubbing, spilled product and condens ates	Mineral Processing
Synthetic Rutile	APC Dust/Slud ges	Mineral Processing
	Spent Iron Oxide Slurry	Mineral Processing
	Spent Acid Solution	Mineral Processing
Tantalum, Columbium	APC Dust Sludge	Mineral Processing
and Ferrocolumbium	Digester Sludge	Mineral Processing
	Spent Potassium Titanium Chloride	Mineral Processing
	Process Wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Spent Raffinate Solids	Mineral Processing
	Scrubber Overflow	Mineral Processing
	Slag	Mineral Processing
	WWTP Liquid Effluent	Mineral Processing

Commodity	Waste Stream	Nature of Operation
	WWTP Sludge	Mineral Processing
Tellurium	Slag	Mineral Processing
	Solid waste residues	Mineral Processing
	Waste Electrolyte and Wastewater	Mineral Prœessing
	Wastewater	Mineral Processing
Tin	Process Wastewater	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Tailings Slurry	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Brick Lining and Fabric Filters	Mineral Processing
	Dross	Mineral Processing
	Process Wastewater and Treatment Sludge	Mineral Processing
	Reactor slurry ac id and slud ges	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Slag	Mineral Prœessing
	Slimes	Mineral Processing
	Waste acids	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Waste Acid and Alkaline baths	Mineral Processing
	Waste liquids	Extraction/BeneficiationTit
		um and Titanium OxideFlotation CellsExtraction/Beneficiation
	Tailings	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent Brine Treatment Filter Cake	Mineral Processing
	FeCl Treatment Slud ge	Mineral Processing
	Waste Ferric Chloride	Mineral Processing
	Finishing Scrap	Mineral Processing
	Leach Liquor and Sponge Wash Water	Mineral Processing
	Waste Non-Contact Cooling Water	Mineral Processing
	Pickling Liquor and Wash Water	Mineral Processing
	Scrap Detergent Wash Water	Mineral Processing
	Scrap Milling Scrubber Water	Mineral Processing
	Reduction Area Scrubber Water	Mineral Processing
	Chlorination Off gas Scrubb er Water	Mineral Processing
	Chlorination Area - Vent Scrubber Water	Mineral Processing
	Melt Cell Scrubb er Water	Mineral Processing
	Chlorine Liquefaction Scrubber Water	Mineral Processing
	Chip Crushing Scrubber Water	Mineral Processing
	Casting Crucible Contact Cooling Water	Mineral Processing
	Smut from Mg Recovery	Mineral Processing
	Spent Surface Impoundment Liquids	Mineral Processing
	Spent SurfaceImpoundment Solids	Mineral Processing
	TiCl4 Purification Effluent	Mineral Processing
	Spent Vanadium Oxychloride	Mineral Processing
	Sodium Reduction Container Reconditioning Wash Water	Mineral Processing
	Casting Crucible Wash Water	Mineral Processing
	Waste Acids (Chloride process)	Mineral Processing
	Waste Acids (Sulfate process)	Mineral Processing
	Waste Solids (Sulfate process)	Mineral Prœessing

Commodity	Waste Stream	Nature of Operation
	WWTP Liquid Effluent	Mineral Prœessing
	WWTP Sludge/Solids	Mineral Processing
Tungsten	Alkali leach wash	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Calcium tungstate precipitate wash	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Ion exchange raffinate	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Ion exchange resins	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Leach filter cake residues and impurities	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Molybdenum sulfide precipitation wet air pollution control	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Scrubber wastewater	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent mother liquor	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Tungstic acid rinse water	Extraction/Beneficiation
Tungsten (continued)	Waste fines	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Waste rock and tailings	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Wastewater	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Wet scrubber wast ewater	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent Acid and Rinse water	Mineral Processing
	Scrubber wastewa ter	Mineral Processing
	Process wastewater treatment plant effluent	Mineral Processing
	Water of formation	Mineral Processing
Uranium	Waste Rock	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Tailings	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent Extraction/Leaching Solutions	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Particulate Emissions	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Miscellaneous Sludges	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent Ion Exchange Resins	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Tailing Pond Seepage	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Waste Acids from Solvent Extraction	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Barren Lixiviant	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Slimes from Solvent Extraction	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Waste Solvents	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Waste Nitric Acid from Production of UO ₂	Mineral Processing
	Vaporizer Condensate Superheater Condensate	Mineral Prœessing Mineral Prœessing
		Mineral Processing
	Slag Uranium Chips from Ingot Production	Mineral Processing
	Waste Calcium Fluoride	Mineral Processing
17 1:		Extraction/Beneficiation
Vanadium	Roaster Off-gases	
	Solid residues	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent Filtrate	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent Solvent	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Filtrate and Process Wastewaters	Mineral Processing
	Solid Waste	Mineral Processing
	Spent Precipitate	Mineral Prœessing
	Slag	Mineral Prœessing
	Wet scrubber wast ewater	Mineral Processing

Commodity	Waste Stream	Nature of Operation
Zinc	Refuse	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Tailings	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Waste rock	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Acid Plant Blowdown	Mineral Processing
	Spent Cloths, Bags, and Filters	Mineral Processing
Zinc (continued)	Waste Ferrosilicon	Mineral Processing
	Spent Goethite and Leach Cake Residues	Mineral Processing
	Process Wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Discarded Refractory Brick	Mineral Processing
	Spent Surface Impoundment Liquid	Mineral Processing
	Spent Surface Impoundment Solids	Mineral Processing
	Spent Synthetic Gypsum	Mineral Processing
	TCA Tower Blowdown (ZCA Bartlesville, OK - Electrolytic Plant)	Mineral Processing
	Wastewater Treatment Plant Liquid Effluent	Mineral Processing
	Wastewater Treatment Plant Sludge	Mineral Processing
	Zinc-lean Slag	Mineral Processing
Zirconium and	Monazite	Extraction/Beneficiation
Hafnium	Wastewater	Extraction/Beneficiation
	Spent Acid leachate from zirconium alloy production	Mineral Processing
	Acid leachate from zirconium metal production	Mineral Processing
	Ammonium Thiocyanate Bleed Stream	Mineral Processing
	Reduction a rea-vent wet APC wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Caustic wet APC wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Feed makeup wet APC was tewater	Mineral Processing
	Filter cake/sludge	Mineral Processing
	Furnace residue	Mineral Processing
	Hafnium filtrate wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Iron extraction stream stripper bottoms	Mineral Processing
	Leaching rinse water from zirconium alloy production	Mineral Processing
	Leaching rinse water from zirconium metal production	Mineral Processing
	Magnesium rec overy area vent wet APC wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Magnesium rec overy off-gas wet APC wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Sand Chlorin ation Off-Gas Wet APC wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Sand Chlorination Area Vent Wet APC wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Silicon Tetrach loride Purification Wet APC wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Wet APC wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Zirconium chip crushing wet APC wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Zirconium filt rate wastewater	Mineral Processing

EXHIBIT 5-2
SUMMARY OF MINERAL PROCESSING WASTE STREAMS BY COMMODITY

Commodity	Waste Stream	Nature of Operation
Aluminum and Alumina	Anode prep waste	Mineral Processing
	APC dust/sludge	Mineral Processing
	Baghouse bags and spent plant filters	Mineral Processing
	Bauxite residue	Mineral Processing
	Cast house dust	Mineral Processing
	Cryolite recovery residue	Mineral Processing
	Wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Discarded Dross	Mineral Processing
	Flue Dust	Mineral Processing
	Electrolysis waste	Mineral Processing
	Evaporator salt wastes	Mineral Processing
	Miscellaneous wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Pisolites	Mineral Processing
	Scrap furnace brick	Mineral Processing
	Skims	Mineral Processing
	Sludge	Mineral Processing
	Spent cleaning residue	Mineral Processing
	Sweepings	Mineral Processing
	Treatment Plant Effluent	Mineral Processing
	Waste alumina	Mineral Processing
Antimony	Gangue	Mineral Processing
	Wastewater	Mineral Processing
	APC Dust/Sludge	Mineral Processing
	Autoclave Filtrate	Mineral Processing
	Spent Barren Solution	Mineral Processing
	Gangue (Filter Cak e)	Mineral Processing
	Leach Residue	Mineral Processing
	Refining Dross	Mineral Processing
	Slag and Fumace Residue	Mineral Processing
	Sludge from Treating Process Waste Water	Mineral Processing
	Stripped Analyte Solids	Mineral Processing
Beryllium	Acid Conversion Stream	Mineral Processing
•	Spent Barren filtrate streams	Mineral Processing
	Bertrandite thickener slurry	Mineral Processing
	Beryl thickener slurry	Mineral Processing
	Beryllium hydroxide supernatant	Mineral Processing
	Chip Treatment Wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Dross discard	Mineral Processing
	Filtration discard	Mineral Processing
Beryllium (continued)	Leaching discard	Mineral Processing
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	Neutralization discard	Mineral Processing
	Pebble Plant Area Vent Scrubber Water	Mineral Processing
	Precipitation discard	Mineral Processing
	Process wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Spent Raffinate	Mineral Processing
	Scrubber Liquor	Mineral Processing

Commodity	Waste Stream	Nature of Operation
	Separation slurry	Mineral Processing
	Sump Water	Mineral Processing
	Waste Solids	Mineral Processing
Bismuth	Alloy residues	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent Caustic Soda	Mineral Prœessing
	Electrolytic Slimes	Mineral Processing
	Excess chlorine	Mineral Prœessing
	Lead and Zinc chlorides	Mineral Processing
	Metal Chlorid e Residues	Mineral Prœessing
	Slag	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent Electrolyte	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent Material	Mineral Processing
	Spent soda solution	Mineral Processing
	Waste acid solutions	Mineral Processing
	Waste Acids	Mineral Processing
	Wastewater	Mineral Processing
Boron	Spent Sodium Sulfate	Mineral Processing
	Waste liquor	Mineral Processing
	Underflow Mud	Mineral Processing
Cadmium	Caustic wash water	Mineral Processing
	Copper and Lead Sulfate Filter Cakes	Mineral Processing
	Copper Removal Filter Cake	Mineral Processing
	Iron containing impurities	Mineral Processing
	Spent Leach solution	Mineral Processing
	Lead Sulfate waste	Mineral Processing
	Post-leach Filter Cakes	Mineral Processing
	Spent Purification solution	Mineral Processing
	Scrubber wastewa ter	Mineral Processing
	Spent electrolyte	Mineral Processing
	Zinc Precipitates	Mineral Processing
Calcium Metal	Calcium Alumi nate wastes	Mineral Processing
	Dust with Quicklime	Mineral ProcessingCesium/RubidiumC hemical ResiduesMineral Processing
	Digester waste	Mineral Processing
	Electrolytic Slimes	Mineral Processing
	Pyrolytic Residue	Mineral Processing
	Slag	Mineral Processing
Chromium, Ferrochromium, and	Dust or Sludge from ferrochromium production	Mineral Processing
Ferrochromium-Silicon	Dust or Sludge from ferrochromium-silicon production	Mineral Processing
	Slag and Residues	Mineral Processing
Coal Gas	API Oil/Water Separator Sludge	Mineral Processing
	API Water	Mineral Processing
	Cooling To wer Blowdown	Mineral Processing
	Dissolved Air Flotation (DAF) Sludge	Mineral Processing
	Flue Dust Residues	Mineral Processing
	Liquid Waste Incinerator Blowdown	Mineral Processing
	Liquid Waste Incinerator Pond Sludge	Mineral Processing
	Multiple Effects Evaporator Concentrate	Mineral Prœessing
	Multiple Effects Evaporator Pond Sludge	Mineral Prœessing

Commodity	Waste Stream	Nature of Operation
	Sludge and Filter Cake	Mineral Processing
	Spent Methanol Catalyst	Mineral Processing
	Stretford Solution Purge Stream	Mineral Processing
	Surface Impoundment Solids	Mineral Processing
	Vacuum Filter Sludge	Mineral Processing
	Zeolite Softening PWW	Mineral Processing
Copper	Acid plant blowdown	Mineral Processing
	Acid plant thickener sludge	Mineral Processing
	APC dusts/slu dges	Mineral Processing
	Spent bleed electrolyte	Mineral Processing
	Chamber solids/scrubber sludge	Mineral Processing
	Waste contact cooling water	Mineral Processing
	Discarded furnace brick	Mineral Processing
	Non-recyclable APC dusts	Mineral Processing
	Process wastewaters	Mineral Processing
	Scrubb er blowdown	Mineral Processing
	Spent black sulfuric acid sludge	Mineral Prœessing
	Surface impoundment waste liquids	Mineral Prœessing
	Tankhouse slimes	Mineral Processing
	WWTP liquid effluent	Mineral Prœessing
	WWTP sludge	Mineral ProcessingElementa PhosphorousCondenser phos water discardMineral Processing
	Cooling water	Mineral Processing
	AFM rinsate	Mineral Prœessing
	Dust	Mineral Prœessing
	Waste ferrophosphorus	Mineral Prœessing
	Furnace offgas solids	Mineral Processing
	Furnace s crubber blowdown	Mineral Processing
	Precipitator slurry scrubber wat er	Mineral Processing
	Slag quenchwater	Mineral Prœessing
	Sludge	Mineral Processing
	Spent furnace brick	Mineral Processing
	Surface impoundment waste liquids	Mineral Processing
	Surface impoundment wasteriquids Surface impoundment wasterolids	
		Mineral Processing
	Waste filter media	Mineral Processing
	WWTP liquid effluent	Mineral Processing
	WWTP Sludge/Solids	Mineral Processing
Fluorspar and Hydrofluoric Acid	APC Dusts	Mineral Processing
	Off-spec fluosilicic acid	Mineral Prœessing
	Sludges	Mineral Prœessing
Germanium	Waste Acid Wash and Rinse Water	Mineral Prœessing
	Chlorinator Wet Air Pollution Control Sludge	Mineral Prœessing
	Hydrolysis Filtrate	Mineral Prœessing
	Leach Residues	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent Acid/Leachate	Mineral Prœessing
	Waste Still Liquor	Mineral Prœessing
	Wastewater	Mineral Processing
Gold and Silver	Spent Furnace Dust	Mineral Prœessing
	Refining wastes	Mineral Prœessing

Commodity	Waste Stream	Nature of Operation
	Slag	Mineral Processing
	Wastewater treatment sludge	Mineral Processing
	Wastewater	Mineral Prœessing
Iron and Steel	Wastewater	Mineral Prœessing
Lead	Acid Plant Blowdown	Mineral Prœessing
	Acid Plant Sludge	Mineral Processing
	Baghouse Dust	Mineral Processing
	Baghouse Incinerator Ash	Mineral Processing
	Cooling Tower Blowdown	Mineral Processing
	Waste Nickel Matte	Mineral Processing
	Process Wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Slurried APC Dust	Mineral Processing
	Solid Residues	Mineral Processing
Lead (continued)	Solids in Plant Washdown	Mineral Processing
Zeau (conunacu)	Spent Furnace Brick	Mineral Processing
	Stockpiled Miscellaneous Plant Waste	Mineral Processing Mineral Processing
	Surface Impoundment Waste Liquids	Mineral Processing
	Surface Impoundment Waste Enquis Surface Impoundment Waste Solids	Mineral Processing
	SVG Backwash	Mineral Processing Mineral Processing
	WWTP Liquid Effluent	Mineral Processing Mineral Processing
	WWTP Sludges/Solids	Mineral Processing Mineral Processing
Lightweight Aggregate	APC control scrubber water and solids	Mineral Processing Mineral Processing
Lightwaght Aggregate	APC Dust/Sludge	Mineral Processing
	Surface impoundment waste liquids	Mineral Processing
N . 134	WWTP liquid effluent	Mineral Processing
Magnesium and Magnesia from Brines	APC Dust/Sludge	Mineral Processing
	Calciner offgases	Mineral Processing
	Calcium sludge	Mineral Processing
	Casthouse Dust	Mineral Processing
	Casting plant slag	Mineral Processing
	Cathode Scrubber Liquor	Mineral Processing
	Slag	Mineral Processing
	Smut	Mineral Processing
	Spent Brines	Mineral Processing
Manganese, Manganese Dioxide, Ferromanganese, and	APC Dust/Sludge	Mineral Prœessing
Silicomanganese	APC Water	Mineral Prœessing
	Electrolyte Purification Waste	Mineral Prœessing
	Iron Sulfide Sludge	Mineral Prœessing
	Ore Residues	Mineral Prœessing
	Slag	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent Graphite Anode	Mineral Processing
	Spent Process Liquor	Mineral Processing
	Waste Electrolyte	Mineral Processing
	Wastewater (CMD)	Mineral Prœessing
	Westervieter (EMD)	Mineral Processing
	Wastewater (EMD)	8
	Wastewater Treatment Solids	Mineral Processing
Mercury	` ′	
Mercury	Wastewater Treatment Solids	Mineral Processing
Mercury	Wastewater Treatment Solids Concentrator Wastewater	Mineral Processing Mineral Processing

Commodity	Waste Stream	Nature of Operation
	Furnace Residue	Mineral Processing
Molybdenum, Ferromolybdenum, and	APC Dust/Sludge	Mineral Processing
Ammonium Molybdate	Flue Dust/Gases	Mineral Processing
Molybdenum, Ferromolybdenum, and	Liquid Residues	Mineral Processing
Ammonium Molybdate (continued)	H2 Reduction Furnace Scrubber Water	Mineral Processing
	Molybdic Oxide R efining Wastes	Mineral Processing
	Refining Wastes	Mineral Processing
	Roaster Gas Blowdown Solids	Mineral Processing
	Slag	Mineral Processing
	Solid Residues	Mineral Processing
	Treatment Solids	Mineral Processing
Phosphoric Acid	Waste Scale	Mineral Processing
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Platinum Group Metals	Slag	Mineral Processing
	Spent Acids	Mineral Processing
	Spent Solvents	Mineral Processing
Pyrobitumens, Mineral Waxes, and Natural Asphalts	Still bottoms	Mineral Processing
•	Waste catalysts	Mineral Processing
Rare Earths	Spent ammonium nitrate processing solution	Mineral Processing
	Electrolytic cell caustic wet APC waste	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent Electrolytic cell quench water and scrubber water	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent hydroxide cake	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent iron/lead filter cake	Mineral Processing
	Lead backwash sludge	Mineral Processing
	Monazite solids	Mineral Processing
	Process wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Spent scrubber liquor	Mineral Processing
	Spent sodium fluoride	Mineral Processing
	Spent sodium hypochlorite filter backwash	Mineral Prœessing
	Solvent extraction crud	Mineral Processing
	Spent surface impoundment solids	Mineral Processing
	Spent surface impoundment liquids	Mineral Prœessing
	Waste filtrate	Mineral Processing
	Waste solvent	Mineral Processing
	Wastewater from caustic wet APC	
		Mineral Processing
DI :	Waste zinc contaminated with mercury	Mineral Processing
Rhenium	APC Dust/Sludge	Mineral Processing
	Spent Barren Scrubber Liquor	Mineral Processing
	Spent Rhenium Raffinate	Mineral Processing
	Roaster Dust	Mineral Processing
	Spent Ion Exchange/SX Solutions	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent Salt Solutions	Mineral Prœessing
	Slag	Mineral Prœessing
Scandium	Crud from the bottom of the solvent extraction unit	Mineral Prœessing
	Dusts and spent filters from decomposition	Mineral Prœessing
Scandium (continued)	Spent acids	Mineral Processing
	Spent ion exchange resins and backwash	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent solvents from solvent extraction	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent wash water	Mineral Prœessing
	Waste chlorine solution	Mineral Prœessing
	Waste solutions/solids from leaching and precipitation	Mineral Prœessing

Commodity	Waste Stream	Nature of Operation
Selenium	Spent filter cake	Mineral Processing
	Plant process was tewater	Mineral Prœessing
	Slag	Mineral Prœessing
	Tellurium slime wastes	Mineral Processing
	Waste Solids	Mineral Processing
Silicon and Ferrosilicon	APC Dust Sludge	Mineral Processing
	Dross discard	Mineral Processing
	Slag	Mineral Prœessing
Sulfur	Spent catalysts (Claus process)	Mineral Processing
	Spent vanadium pentoxide catalysts from sulfuric acid production	Mineral Processing
	Spilled product (Claus process)	Mineral Processing
	Wastewater from wet-scrubbing, spilled product and condens ates	Mineral Processing
Synthetic Rutile	APC Dust/Slud ges	Mineral Processing
	Spent Iron Oxide Slurry	Mineral Prœessing
	Spent Acid Solution	Mineral Processing
Γantalum, Columbium and	APC Dust Sludge	Mineral Processing
Ferrocolumbium	Digester Sludge	Mineral Processing
	Spent Potassium Titanium Chloride	Mineral Processing
	Process Wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Spent Raffinate Solids	Mineral Processing
	Scrubber Overflow	Mineral Processing
	Slag	Mineral Processing
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	WWTP CL. 1	Mineral Processing
T. 11	WWTP Sludge	Mineral Processing
Гellurium	Slag	Mineral Processing
	Solid waste residues	Mineral Processing
	Waste Electrolyte and Wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Wastewater	Mineral Prœessing
Γin	Brick Lining and Fabric Filters	Mineral Processing
	Dross	Mineral Processing
	Process Wastewater and Treatment Sludge	Mineral Processing
	Slag	Mineral Processing
	Slimes	Mineral Processing
	Waste Acid and Alkaline baths	Mineral Processing
Γitanium and Titanium Dioxide	Spent Brine Treatment Filter Cake	Mineral Processing
Titanium and Titanium Dioxide	FeCl Treatment Slud ge	Mineral Processing
(continued)	Waste Ferric Chloride	Mineral Processing
	Finishing Scrap	Mineral Processing
	Leach Liquor and Sponge Wash Water	Mineral Processing
	Waste Non-Contact Cooling Water	Mineral Prœessing
	Pickling Liquor and Wash Water	Mineral Prœessing
	Scrap Detergent Wash Water	Mineral Processing
	Scrap Milling Scrubber Water	Mineral Processing
	Reduction Area Scrubber Water	Mineral Processing
	Chlorination Off gas Scrubb er Water	Mineral Processing
	Chlorination Area - Vent Scrub ber Water	Mineral Processing
	Melt Cell Scrubber Water	Mineral Processing
	Chlorine Liquefaction Scrubber Water	Mineral Processing
	Chip Crush ing Scrubber Water Chip Crush ing Scrubber Water	
	Casting Crucible Contact Cooling Water	Mineral Processing Mineral Processing

Commodity	Waste Stream	Nature of Operation
	Smut from Mg Recovery	Mineral Processing
	Spent Surface Impoundment Liquids	Mineral Processing
	Spent Surface Impoundment Solids	Mineral Processing
	TiCl4 Purification Effluent	Mineral Processing
	Spent Vanadium Oxychloride	Mineral Processing
	Sodium Reduction Container Reconditioning Wash Water	Mineral Processing
	Casting Crucible Wash Water	Mineral Processing
	Waste Acids (Chloride process)	Mineral Processing
	Waste Acids (Sulfate process)	Mineral Processing
	Waste Solids (Sulfate process)	Mineral Processing
	WWTP Liquid Effluent	Mineral Processing
	WWTP Sludge/Solids	Mineral Processing
Γungsten	Spent Acid and Rinse water	Mineral Processing
	Scrubber wastewa ter	Mineral Processing
	Process wastewater treatment plant effluent	Mineral Processing
	Water of formation	Mineral Processing
Uranium	Waste Nitric Acid from Production of UO	Mineral Processing
Stantani	Vaporizer Condensate	Mineral Processing
	Superheater Condensate	Mineral Processing
	Slag	Mineral Processing
	Uranium Chips from Ingot Production	Mineral Processing
	Waste Calcium Fluoride	Mineral Processing
Vanadium	Filtrate and Process Wastewaters	Mineral Processing
vanadrum	Solid Waste	Mineral Processing
	Spent Precipitate	Mineral Processing
	Slag	Mineral Processing
Vanadium (continued)	Wet scrubber wastewater	Mineral Processing
Zinc	Acid Plant Blowdown	Mineral Processing
LINC	Spent Cloths, Bags, and Filters	Mineral Processing
	Waste Ferrosilicon	Mineral Processing
		Mineral Processing
	Spent Goethite and Leach Cake Residues Process Wastewater	- U
		Mineral Processing
	Discarded Refractory Brick	Mineral Processing
	Spent Surface Impoundment Liquid	Mineral Processing
	Spent Surface Impoundment Solids	Mineral Processing
	Spent Synthetic Gypsum	Mineral Processing
	TCA Tower Blowdown (ZCA Bartlesville, OK - Electrolytic Plant)	Mineral Processing
	Wastewater Treatment Plant Liquid Effluent	Mineral Processing
	Wastewater Treatment Plant Sludge	Mineral Processing
	Zinc-lean Slag	Mineral Processing
Zirconium and Hafnium	Spent Acid leachate from zirconium alloy production	Mineral Processing
	Acid leachate from zirconium metal production	Mineral Processing
	Ammonium Thiocyanate Bleed Stream	Mineral Processing
	Reduction a rea-vent wet APC wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Caustic wet APC wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Feed makeup wet APC was tewater	Mineral Processing
	Filter cake/sludge	Mineral Processing
	Furnace residue	Mineral Processing
	Hafnium filtrate wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Iron extraction stream stripper bottoms	Mineral Processing

Commodity	Waste Stream	Nature of Operation
	Leaching rinse water from zirconium alloy production	Mineral Processing
	Leaching rinse water from zirconium metal production	Mineral Processing
	Magnesium rec overy area vent wet APC wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Magnesium rec overy off-gas wet APC wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Sand Chlorin ation Off-Gas Wet APC wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Sand Chlorin ation Area Vent Wet APC wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Silicon Tetrach loride Purification Wet APC wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Wet APC wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Zirconium chip crushing wet APC wastewater	Mineral Processing
	Zirconium filt rate wastewater	Mineral Processing

EXHIBIT 5-3
LISTING OF HAZARDOUS MINERAL PROCESSING WASTES BY COMMODITY SECTOR

		Reported Generation		ted Gene 000 mt/y					TC N	1 etals				Other Hazardo Characteristics			
Commodity and Summary Description	Waste Stream	(1000 mt/yr)	Low	Med.	High	As	Ba	Cd	Cr	Pb	Hg	Se	Ag	Corr	Ignit	Rctv	
Alumina and Aluminum Metallurgical grade alumina is extracted from bauxite by the Bayer process and aluminum is obtained from this purified ore by electrolysis via the Hall-Heroult process. The Bayer process consists of the following five steps: (1) ore preparation, (2) bauxite digestion, (3) clarification, (4) aluminum hydroxide precipitation, and (5) calcination to anhydrous alumina. In the Hall-Heroult process, aluminum is produced through the electrolysis of alumina dissolved in a molten cryolite-based bath, with molten aluminum being deposited on a carbon cathode.	Cast house dust	19	-	-	-			Y			Y			N?	N?	N?	
	Electrolysis waste	58	-	-	-					Y?				N?	N?	N?	
Antimony Primary antimony is usually produced as a by-product or co-product of	Autoclave filtrate	-	0.38	32	64	Y?		Y?		Y?	Y?			Y?	N?	N?	
mining, smelting, and refining of other antimony-containing ores such as tetrahedrite or lead ore. Antimony can be produced using either pyrometallurgical processes or a hydrometallurgical process. For the pyrometallurgical processes, the method of recovery depends on the	Slag and furnace residue	32	-	-	-					Y?				N?	N?	N?	
antimony content of the sulfide ore, and will consist of either volatilization, smelting in a blast furnace, liquation, or iron precipitation. Antimony also can be recovered hydrometallurgically by leaching and electrowinning.	Stripped anolyte solids	0.19	-	-	-	Y?								N?	N?	N?	
Beryllium Bertrandite and beryl ores are treated using two separate processes to	Spent barren filtrate streams	88	-	-	-							Y		N?	N?	N?	
produce beryllium sulfate, BeSO ₄ : a counter-current extraction process and the Kjellgren-Sawyer process. The intermediates from the two ore extraction	Bertrandite thickener slurry	370	-	-	-									Y?	N?	N?	
processes are combined and fed to another extraction process. This extraction process removes impurities solubilized during the processing of the bertrandite and beryl ores and converts the beryllium sulphate to	Beryl thickener slurry	3	-	ı	-									Y	N?	N?	
beryllium hydroxide, Be(OH) ₂ . The beryllium hydroxide is further converted to beryllium fluoride, BeF ₂ , which is then catalytically reduced to form metallic beryllium.	Chip treatment wastewater	-	0.2	100	2000				Y?					N?	N?	N?	
	Filtration discard	-	0.2	45	90					Y?				N?	N?	N?	
	Spent raffinate	380	-	-	-							Y		Y	N?	N?	
Bismuth	Alloy residues	-	0.1	3	6					Y?				N?	N?	N?	
Bismuth is recovered mainly during the smelting of copper and lead ores. Bismuth-containing dust from copper smelting operations is transferred to lead smelting operations for recovery. At lead smelting operations bismuth	Spent caustic soda	-	0.1	6.1	12					Y?				N?	N?	N?	
is recovered either by the Betterton-Kroll process or the Betts Electrolytic process. In the Betterton-Kroll process, magnesium and calcium are mixed with molten lead to form a dross that contains b ismuth. The dross is treated with chlorine or lead chloride and oxidized by using air or caustic soda to remove impurities. In the Betts Electrolytic process, lead bullion is	Electrolytic slimes	-	0	0.02	0.2					Y?				N?	N?	N?	
	Lead and zinc chlorides	-	0.1	3	6					Y?				N?	N?	N?	
electrolyzed. The resulting impurities, including bismuth, are smelted, reduced and refined.	Metal chloride residues	3	-	-	-					Y?				N?	N?	N?	

		Reported Generation (1000		ted Gene 100 mt/yr					TC N	Aetals				Other Hazardou Characteristics				
Commodity and Summary Description	Waste Stream	mt/yr)	Low	Med.	High	As	Ba	Cd	Cr	Pb	Hg	Se	Ag	Corr	Ignit	Retv		
	Slag	-	0.1	1	10					Y?				N?	N?	N?		
	Spent electrolyte	-	0.1	6.1	12					Y?				N?	N?	N?		
	Spent soda solution	-	0.1	6.1	12					Y?				Υ?	N?	N?		
	Waste acid solutions	-	0.1	6.1	12									Υ?	N?	N?		
	Waste acids	-	0	0.1	0.2									Y?	N?	N?		
Boron (borax) is either recovered from ones or from natural mineral-rich lake brines by two companies in the U.S. Recovery from ores involves the following steps: (1) ore is dissolved in water; (2) the resulting insoluble material is separated from the solution; and (3) crystals of sodium borate are separated from the weak solution and dried. Bor on is recovered from brines involves solvent extraction, aci dification, and fractional distillation followed by evaporation.	Waste liquor	-	0.3	150	300	Υ?								N?	N?	N?		
Cadmium	Caustic washwater	-	0.19	1.9	19			Y?						Y?	N?	N?		
Cadmium is obtained as a byproduct of zinc metal production. Cadmium metal is obtained from zinc fumes or precipitates via a hydrometallurgical or a pyrometallurgical process. The hydrometallurgical process consists of the	Copper and lead sulfate filter cakes	-	0.19	1.9	19			Y?		Y?				N?	N?	N?		
following steps: (1) precipitates leached with sulfuric acid, (2) cadmium precipitated with a zinc dust addition, (3) precipitate filtered and pressed into filter cake, (4) impurities removed from filter cake to produce sponge,	Copper removal filter cake	-	0.19	1.9	19			Y?						N?	N?	N?		
(5) sponge dissolved with sulfuric acid, (6) electrolysis of solution, and (7) cadmium metal melted and cast. The pyrometallurgical process consists of the following steps: (1) cadmium fumes converted to water- or acid-soluble	Iron containing impurities	-	0.19	1.9	19			Y?						N?	N?	N?		
form, (2) leached solution purified, (3) galvanic precipitation or electrolysis, and (4) metal briquetted or cast.	Spent leach solution	-	0.19	1.9	19	Υ?		Y?		Y?				Υ?	N?	N?		
	Lead sulfate waste	-	0.19	1.9	19			Y?		Y?				N?	N?	N?		
	Post-leach filter cake	-	0.19	1.9	19			Y?						N?	N?	N?		
	Spent purification solution	-	0.19	1.9	19			Y?						Υ?	N?	N?		
	Scrubber wastewater	-	0.19	1.9	19			Y?						Υ?	N?	N?		
	Spent electrolyte	-	0.19	1.9	19			Y?						Y?	N?	N?		
	Zinc precipi tates	-	0.19	1.9	19			Y?						N?	N?	N?		

		Reported Generation (1000		ted Gene 100 mt/yr					TC M	1etals			Other Hazardor Characteristics				
Commodity and Summary Description	Waste Stream	mt/yr)	Low	Med.	High	As	Ba	Cd	Cr	Pb	Hg	Se	Ag	Corr	Ignit	Retv	
Calcium Metal																	
Calcium metal is produced by the Aluminothermic method. In the Aluminothermic method, calcium oxide, obtained by quarrying and calcining calcium limestone, is blended with finely divided aluminum and reduced under a high temperature vacuum. The process produces 99% pure calcium metal which can be further purified through distillation.	Dust with quicklime	-	0.04	0.04	0.04									Y?	N?	N?	
Coal Gas																	
Coal is crushed and gasified in the presence of steam and oxygen, producing carbon dioxide and carbon monoxide, which further react to produce carbon oxides, methane and hydrogen. The product gas is separated from the flue gas, and is processed and purified to saleable methane.	Multiple effects evaporator concentrate	-	0	0	65	Y						Y		N?	N?	N?	
Copper Copper is recovered from ores using either pyrometallurgical or hydrometallurgical processes. In both cases, the copper-bearing ore is	Acid plant blowdown	4800	-	-	-	Y		Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	Y	N?	N?	
crushed, ground, and concentrated (except in dump leaching). Pyrometallurgical processing can take as many as five steps: roasting, smelting, converting, fire refining, and electrorefining. Hydrometallurgical	APC dusts/slud ges	-	1	220	450	Y?								N?	N?	N?	
processing involves leaching, followed by either precipitation or solvent extraction and electrowinning.	Spent bleed electrolyte	310	1	ı	1	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	N?	N?	
	Waste contact cooling water	13	1	i	1	Y?								N?	N?	N?	
	Process wastewaters	4900	ı	i	ı	Y		Y		Y	Y	Y?		Y	N?	N?	
	Scrubber blowdown	-	49	490	4900	Y		Y			Y?	Y		N?	N?	N?	
	Surface impoundment waste liquids	620	-	-	-	Y?				Y?		Y?		Y	N?	N?	
	Tankhouse slimes	4	-	-	-	Y?				Y?		Y?	Y?	N?	N?	N?	

		Reported Generation	Estima (10	ted Gene 000 mt/y	ration r)				TC N	Metals	Other Hazardous Characteristics <u>1</u> /					
Commodity and Summary Description	Waste Stream	(1000 mt/yr)	Low	Med.	High	As	Ba	Cd	Cr	Pb	Hg	Se	Ag	Corr	Ignit	Rctv
	WWTP sludge	6			-			Y?		Y?				N?	N?	N?El emen tal Phos phor us Phos phate rock or sinter ed/ag glom erate d fines are charg ed into an electric arc furna ce with coke and silica . This yield s calci um silica te slag and ferro phos phor us, which are tappe d. Dust s are remo ved from

		Reported Generation		ted Gene 000 mt/y					TC N	Aetals					er Hazaı racterist	
Commodity and Summary Description	Waste Stream	(1000 mt/yr)	Low	Med.	High	As	Ba	Cd	Cr	Pb	Hg	Se	Ag	Corr	Ignit	Rctv
	AFM rinsate	2	-	_	_			Y				Y		N?	N?	N?
	Furnace offgas solids	24	-	-	-			Y						N?	N?	N?
	Furnace scrubber blowdown	-	-	-	270			Y						YS	N?	N?
	Slag quenchwat er	-	0	0	1000			Y?		Y?				N?	N?	N?
Fluorspar and Hydrofluoric Acid Raw fluorspar ore is crushed, ground, and concentrated. Acid grade fluorspar (a pure form of concentrate) is mixed with sulfuric acid in a heated retort kiln, reacting to produce hydrogen fluoride gas and fluorogypsum. The gas is cooled, scrubbed, and condensed, and sold as either hydrofluoric acid solution or anhydrous hydrogen fluoride.	Off-spec fluosilicic acid	-	0	15	44									Y?	N?	N?
Germanium	Waste acid wash and rinse water	-	0.4	2.2	4	Y?		Y?	Y?	Y?		Y?	Y?	Y?	N?	N?
Germanium is recovered as a by-product of other metals, mostly copper, zinc, and lead. Germanium-bearing residues from zinc-ore processing facilities, a main source of germanium metal, are roasted and sintered. The sintering fumes, containing oxidized germanium, are leached with sulfuric	Chlorinator wet air pollution control sludge	-	0.01	0.21	0.4	Υ?		Υ?	Υ?	Y?		Y?	Υ?	N?	N?	N?
acid to form a solution. Germanium is precipitated from the solution by adding zinc dust. Following precipitation, the germanium concentrates are	Hydrolysis filtrate	-	0.01	0.21	0.4	Y?		Y?	Y?	Y?		Y?	Y?	N?	N?	N?
refined by adding hydrochloric acid or chlorine gas to produce germanium tetrachloride, which is hydrolyzed to produce solid germanium dioxide. The final step involves reducing germanium dioxide with hydrogen to produce	Leach residues	0.01	-	-	-			Y?		Y?				N?	N?	N?
germanium metal.	Spent acid/leachate	-	0.4	2.2	4	Y?				Y?				Y?	N?	N?
	Waste still liquor	-	0.01	0.21	0.4	Y?		Y?	Y?	Y?		Y?	Y?	N?	Y?	N?
Gold and Silver Gold and silver may be recovered from either ore or the refining of base	Spent furnace dust	-	0.1	360	720								Y?	Y?	N?	N?
metals. Extracted ore is crushed or ground and then subjected to oxidation by roasting autoclaving bio-oxidation, or chlorination, and then cyanide leaching (heap, vat, or agitation). The metals are recovered by activated carbon loading or the Merrill Crowe process. Activated carbon loading	Refining wastes	-	0.1	360	720								Y?	N?	N?	N?
involves bringing precious met al leach solutions into contact with activated carbon by the carbon-in-column, carbon-in-pulp, or carbon-in-leach process. Gold and silver are then separated by acid leaching or electrolysis. The	Slag	-	0.1	360	720								Y?	N?	N?	N?
Merrill Crowe process consists of filtering and deaerating the leach solution and then precipitating the precious metals with zinc powder. The solids are filtered out, melted, and cast into bars. The recovery of precious metals from lead refinery slimes is a normal part of the operation called	Wastewater treatment sludge	-	0.1	360	720								Y?	N?	N?	N?
"desilverizing." Lead from previous stages of refining is brought into contact with a zinc bath which absorbs the precious metals. Base metals are removed and the doré is sent to refining.	Wastewater	-	440	870	1700	Υ?		Υ?	Υ?	Y?			Y?	N?	N?	N?

		Reported Generation		ted Gene 000 mt/y					TC M	1etals					er Haza racteris	
Commodity and Summary Description	Waste Stream	(1000 mt/yr)	Low	Med.	High	As	Ba	Cd	Cr	Pb	Hg	Se	Ag	Corr	Ignit	Rctv
Lead	Acid plant blowdown	560	-	-	-	Y		Y		Y	Y?	Y		Y	N?	N?
Lead ores are crushed, ground, and concentrated. Pelletized concentrates are then fed to a sinter unit with other materials (e.g., smelter byproducts, coke).	Acid plant sludge	14	-	-	-									Y?	N?	N?
The sintered material is then introduced into a blast furnace along with coke and fluxes. The resulting bullion is drossed to remove lead and other metal	Baghouse dust	46	-		-			Y		Y				N?	N?	N?
oxides. The lead bullion may also be decopperized before being sent to the refining stages. Refining operations generally consist of several steps, including (in sequence) softening, desilverizing, dezincing, bismuth removal and final refining. During final refining lead bullion is mixed with various	Baghouse incinerator ash	-	0.7	3	30			Y		Y				N?	N?	N?
and final refining. During final refining lead bullion is mixed with various fluxes and reagents to remove remaining impurities.	Process wastewater	4000	-	-	-	Y		Y		Y	Y?	Y		N?	N?	N?
	Slurried APC dust	7	-	-	-			Y		Y				N?	N?	N?
	Solid residues	0.4	-	-	-					Y?				N?	N?	N?
	Spent furnace brick	1	-	-	-					Y				N?	N?	N?Le ad (cont inue d)Sto ckpil ed misc ellan eous plant wast e- 0.48 0100 YYN ?N?
	Surface impoundment waste liquids	1100	-	-	-	Y?		Y?		Y?				N?	N?	N?
	WWTP liquid effluent	3500	-	-	-					Y?				Y	N?	N?
	WWTP sludges/solids	380	-	-	-			Y?		Y?				Y	N?	N?

		Reported Generation		ted Gene 100 mt/yr					TC N	1etals					er Haza racteris	
Commodity and Summary Description	Waste Stream	(1000 mt/yr)	Low	Med.	High	As	Ba	Cd	Cr	Pb	Hg	Se	Ag	Corr	Ignit	Retv
Magnesium and Magnesia from Brines Magnesium is recover through two processes: (1) electrolytic and (2) thermal. In electrolytic production with hydrous feed, magnesium hydroxide is precipitated from seawater and settled out. The underflow is dewatered, washed, reslurried with wash water, and neutralized with Hcl and H ₂ SO ₄ . The brine is filtered, purified, dried, and fed into the electrolytic cells. Alternatively, surface brine is pumped to solar evaporation ponds, where it is dried, concentrated, and purified. The resulting powder is melted, fed into	Cast house dust	-	0.076	0.76	7.6		Y ?							N?	N?	N?
the electrolytic cells, and then casted. The two ther mal production processes for magnesium are the carbothermic process and the silicothermic process. In the carbothermic process, magnesium oxide is reduced with carbon to produce magnesium in the vapor phase, which is recovered by shock cooling. In the silicothermic process, silica is reacted with carbon to give silicon metal which is subsequently used to produce magnesium. Magnesia is produced by calcining magnesite or magnesium hydroxide or by the thermal decomposition of magnesium chloride, magnesium sulfate, magnesium sulfate, nesquehonite, or the basic carbonate.	Smut	26	-	-	-		Y							N?	N?	N?
Mercury Mercury currently is recovered only from gold ores. Sulfide-bearing gold	Dust	0.01	-	-	-						Y?			N?	N?	N?
ore is roasted, and the mercury is recovered from the exhaust gas. Oxide- based gold ore is crushed and mixed with water, and sent to a classifier, followed by a concentrator. The concentrate is sent to an agitator, where it is leached with cyanide. The slurry is filtered and the filtrate is sent to electrowinning, where the gold and mercury are deposited onto stainless	Mercury quench water	-	81	99	540					Y?	Y?			N?	N?	N?
steel wool cathodes. The cathodes are sent to a retort, where the mercury vaporizes with other impurities. The vapor is condensed to recover the mercury which is then purified.	Furnace residue	0.1	-	-	-						Y?			N?	N?	N?
Molybde num, Ferromolybdenum, and Ammonium Molybdate Production of molybdenum and molybdenum products, including	Flue dust/gases	-	1.2	270	540					Y?				N?	N?	N?
ammonium molybdate, begins with roasting. Technical grade molybdic oxide is made by roasting concentrated ore. Pure molybdic oxide is produced from technical grade molybdic oxide either by sublimation and condensing, or by leaching. Ammonium molybdate is formed by reacting technical grade oxide with ammonium hydroxide and crystallizing out the	Liquid residu es	1	-	-	-	Y?		Y?		Y?		Y?		N?	N?	N?
pure molybdate. Molybdenum powder is formed using hydrogen to reduce ammonium molybdate or pure molybdic oxide. Ferromolybdenum is typically produced by reaction of technical grade molybdic oxide and iron oxide with a conventional metallothermic process using silicon and/or aluminum as the reductant.	Molybdic oxide refining wastes	2	-	-	-						Y?			N?	N?	N?

		Reported Generation		ted Gene 100 mt/yr					TC M	Ietals					er Hazaı racterist	
Commodity and Summary Description	Waste Stream	(1000 mt/yr)	Low	Med.	High	As	Ba	Cd	Cr	Pb	Hg	Se	Ag	Corr	Ignit	Retv
Platinum Group Metals Platinum-group metals can be recovered from a variety of different sources.	Slag	-	0.0046	0.046	0.46					Y?		Y?		N?	N?	N?
including electrolytic slimes from copper refineries and metal ores. The production of platinum-group metals from ore involves mining, concentrating, smelting, and refining. In the concentrating step, platinum ore is crushed and treated by froth flotation. The concentrates are dried,	Spent acids	-	0.3	1.7	3					Y?			Y?	Y?	N?	N?
roasted, and fused in a smelter furnace, which results in the formation of platinum-containing sulfide matte. Solvent extraction is used to separate and purify the six platinum-group metals in the sulfide matte.	Spent solvents	-	0.3	1.7	3					Y?			Y?	N?	Y?	N?
Pyrobitumens, Mineral Waxes, and Natural Asphalt The production process for pyrobitumens consists of cracking in a still,	Still bottoms	-	0.002	45	90									N?	Y?	N?
recondensation, and grading. Mineral wax processing consists of solvent extraction from lignite or cannel coal. To produce natural asphalt, ore is processed through a vibrating bed dryer, and sorted ac cording to particle size. The material is either loaded directly as bulk product, fed to a bagging machine, or fed into a pulverizer for further size reduction.	Waste catalysts	-	0.002	10	20			Y?				Y?				
Rare Earths Rare earth elements are produced from monazite and bastnasite ores by	Spent ammonium nitrate processing solution	14	-	-	-									Y	N?	N?
sulfuric and hydrochloric ac id digestion. Processing of rare earths involves fractional crystallization and precipitation followed by solvent extraction to separate individual rare earth elements from one another. Ion exchange or calcium reduction produces highly pure rare earths in small quantities.	Electrolytic cell caustic wet APC waste	-	0.07	0.7	7									Y?	N?	N?
Electrolytic reduction of rare earth chlorides followed by crushing produces a complex alloy of rare earth metals commonly known as mischmetal.	Spent lead filter cake	-	3.3	4.2	5					Y?				N?	N?	N?
	Process wastewater	7	-	-	-					Y				Y?	N?	N?
	Spent scrub ber liquor	=	0.1	500	1000									YS	N?	N?
	Solvent extraction crud	=	2	45	90									N?	Y?	N?
	Waste solvent	-	2	1000	2000									N?	Y?	N?
	Wastewater from caustic wet APC	-	0.1	500	1000				Y?	Y?				Y?	N?	N?
	Waste zinc contaminated with mercury	-	2	45	90						Y?			N?	N?	N?

		Reported Generation		ted Gene 100 mt/yı					TC M	Ietals					er Hazai racterist	
Commodity and Summary Description	Waste Stream	(1000 mt/yr)	Low	Med.	High	As	Ba	Cd	Cr	Pb	Hg	Se	Ag	Corr	Ignit	Rctv
Rhenium In general, rhenium is recovered from the off-gases produced when molybdenite, a byproduct of the processing of porphyry copper ores for molybdenum, is roasted. During the roasting process, molybdenite concentrates are converted to molybdic oxide and rhenium is converted to	Spent barren scrubber liquor	-	0	0.1	0.2							Y?		N?	N	N
rhenium heptoxide. The thenium oxides are sublimed and carried off with the roaster flue gas. Rhenium is then recovered from the off-gases by the following five steps: (1) scrubbing; (2) solvent extraction or ion exchange; (3) precipitation (addition of H ₂ S and Hcl) and filtration; (4) oxidation and evaporation; and (5) reduction.	Spent rhenium raffinate	88	-	-	-					Y?				N?	N?	N?
Scandium Scandium is generally produced by small bench-scale batch processes. The principal domestic scandium resource is fluorite tailings containing thortveitite and associated scandium-enriched minerals. Scandium can be	Spent acids	-	0.7	3.9	7									Y?	N?	N?
recovered from thortveitite using several methods. Each method involves a distinct initial step (i.e., acid di gestion, grinding, or chlorin ation) followed by a set of common recovery steps, including leaching, precipitation, filtration, washing, and ignition at 900 °C to form scandium oxide.	Spent solvents from solvent extraction	-	0.7	3.9	7									N?	Y?	N?
Selenium	Spent filter cake	-	0.05	0.5	5							Y?		N?	N?	N?
The two principle processes for selenium recovery are smelting with soda ash and roasting with soda ash. Other methods include roasting with fluxes, during which the selenium is either volatilized as an oxide and recovered from the flue gas, or is incorporated in a soluble calcine that is subsequently	Plant process wastewater	66	-	-	-					Y				Y	N?	N?
leached for selenium. In some processes, the selenium is recovered both from the flue gas and from the calcine. To purify the crude selenium, it is	Slag	-	0.05	0.5	5							Y?		N?	N?	N?
dissolved in sodium sulfite and filtered to remove unwanted solids. The resulting filtrate is acidified with sulfuric acid to precipitate selenium. The selenium precipitate is distilled to drive off impurities.	Tellurium slime wastes	-	0.05	0.5	5							N?		Y?	N?	N?
	Waste solids	-	0.05	0.5	5							Y?		N?	N?	N?
Synthetic Rutile Synthetic rutile is manufactured through the upgrading of ilmenite ore to remove impurities (mostly iron) and yield a feedstock for production of	APC dust/slud ges	30	-	-	-			Y?	Y?					N?	N?	N?
titanium tetrachloride through the chlori de process. The vari ous processes developed can be organized in three categories: (1) processes in which the iron in the ilmenite ore is completely reduced to metal and separated either chemically or physically; (2) processes in which iron is reduced to the	Spent iron oxide slurry	45	-	-	-			Y?	Y?					N?	N?	N?
ferrous state and chemically leached from the ore; and (3) processes in which selective chlorination is used to remove the iron. In addition, a process called the Benedite Cyclic process uses hydrochloric acid to leach iron from reduced ilmenite.	Spent acid solution	30	-	-	-			Y?	Y?					Y?	N?	N?

		Reported Generation (1000		ted Gene 000 mt/y					TC M	Aetals					er Haza racteris	
Commodity and Summary Description	Waste Stream	mt/yr)	Low	Med.	High	As	Ba	Cd	Cr	Pb	Hg	Se	Ag	Corr	Ignit	Rctv
Tantalum, Columbium, and Ferrocolumbium	Digester sludge	1	-	-	-									Y	N?	N?
Tantalum and columbium ores are processed by physically and chemically breaking down the ore to form columbium and tantalum salts or oxides, and separating the columbium and tantalum salts or oxides from one another. These salts or oxides may be sold, or further processed to reduce the salts to	Process wastewater	150	-	-	-	Y?		Y?	Y?	Y?		Y?		Y	N?	N?
the respective metals. Ferrocolumbium is made by smelting the ore with iron, and can be sold as a product or further processed to produce tantalum and columbium products.	Spent raffinate solids	2	-	-	-									Y	N?	N?
Tellurium The process flow for the production of tellurium can be separated into two	Slag	-	0.1	1	4.5							Y?		N?	N?	N?
stages. The first stage involves the removal of copper from the copper slimes. The second stage involves the recovery of tellurium metal and purification of the recovered tellurium. Copper is generally removed from	Solid waste residues	-	0.1	1	4.5							Y?		N?	N?	Y?
slimes by aeration in dilute sulfuric acid, oxidative pressure-leaching with sulfuric acid, or digestion with strong acid. Tellurous acid (in the form of precipitates) is then recovered by cementing, leaching the cement mud, and	Waste electrolyte	-	0.1	1	10					Y?		Y?		N?	N?	N?
neutralizing with sulfuric a cid. Tellurium is recovered from the precipitated tellurous acid by the following three methods: (1) direct reduction; (2) acid precipitation; and (3) electrolytic purification.	Wastewater	-	0.1	10	20							Y?		Y	N?	N?
Titanium and Titanium Dioxide	Waste ferric chloride	-	22	29	35			Y	Y	Y			Y	Υ?	N?	N?
Titanium ores a re utilized in the production of four major titanium-based products: titanium dioxide (TiO_2) pigment, titanium tetrachloride (TiO_4), titanium sponge, and titanium ingot/metal. The primary titanium ores for	Pickle liquor and wash water	-	2.2	2.7	3.2			Υ?	Υ?	Υ?				Y?	N?	N?
manufacture of these products are ilmenite and rutile. TiO, pigment is manufactured through either the sulfate, chloride, or chloride-ilmenite process. The sulfate process employs digestion of ilmenite ore or TiO,-rich	Scrap milling scrubber water	-	4	5	6			Y?	Υ?	Y?		Υ?		N?	N?	N?
slag with sulfuric acid to produce a cake, which is purified and calcined to produce TiO, pigment. In the chloride process, rutile, synthetic rutile, or high-purity ilmenite is chlorinated to form TiCl ₄ , which is purified to form	Scrap detergent wash water	-	360	450	540			Υ?	Υ?	Υ?		Υ?		Y	N?	N?
TiO ₂ pigment. In the chloride-ilmenite process, a low-purity ilmenite is converted to TiCl ₄ in a two-stage chlorination process. Titanium sponge is produced by purifying TiCl ₄ generated by the chloride or chloride-ilmenite	Smut from Mg recovery	-	0.1	22	45									N?	N?	Y
produced by purifying InCl ₄ generated by the chloride of chloride-limente process. Titanium sponge is cast into ingots for further processing into titanium metal.	Leach liquor and sponge wash water	-	380	480	580				Y?	Y?				Y	N?	Y?
	Spent surface impoundment liquids	-	.63	3.4	6.7				Y?	Υ?				N?	N?	N?
	Spent surface impoundments solids	36	-	-	-				Y?	Y?				N?	N?	N?

		Reported Generation		ted Gene 000 mt/yı					TC N	Aetals					er Haza racteris	
Commodity and Summary Description	Waste Stream	(1000 mt/yr)	Low	Med.	High	As	Ba	Cd	Cr	Pb	Hg	Se	Ag	Corr	Ignit	Retv
	Waste acids (Chloride process)	49	-	-	-				Y?	Y?		Y?		Y	N	N
	Waste acids (Sulfate process)	-	0.2	39	77	Y			Y			Y	Y	Y	N	N
	WWTP sludge/ solids	420	-	-	ı				Y					N	N	N
Tungsten Tungsten production consists of four distinct stages: (1) ore preparation, (2) leaching, (3) purification to APT, and (4) reducing APT to metal. Ore preparation involves gravity and flotation methods. Concentration is usually accomplished by froth flotation, supplemented by leaching, roasting, or magnetic or high tension separation. The concentrate is then processed to	Spent acid and rinse water	-	0	0	21									Y?	N?	N?
APT via either sodium tungstate or tungstic acid (which was digested with aqueous ammonia) to solubilize the tungsten as ammonia tungstate. Further purification and processing yields APT. APT is converted to tungsten oxide by calcining in a rotary furnace. Tungsten oxides are reduced to metal powder in high temperature furnaces. Tungsten carbide is formed by reducing APT or tungsten oxides in the presence of carbon.	Process wastewater	-	1.8	3.7	7.3									Y?	N?	N?
Uranium Uranium ore is recovered using either conventional milling or solution mining (in situ leaching). Beneficiation of conventionally mined ores	Waste nitric acid from UO ₂ production	-	1.7	2.5	3.4									Y?	N?	N?
involves crushing and grinding the extracted ores followed by a leaching circuit. <i>In situ</i> operations use a leach solution to dissolve desirable	Vaporizer condensate	-	1.7	9.3	17									Y?	N?	N?
uraniferous minerals from deposits in-place. Uranium in either case is removed from pregnant leach liquor and concentrated using solvent extraction or ion exchange and precipitated to form yellowcake. Yellowcake	Superheater condensate	-	1.7	9.3	17									Y?	N?	N?
is then processed to produce uranium fluoride (UF ₆), which is then enriched and further refined to produce the fuel rods used in nuclear reactors.	Slag	-	0	8.5	17									N?	Y?	N?
	Uranium chips from ingot production	-	1.7	2.5	3.4									N?	Y?	N?

		Reported Generation		ted Gene 100 mt/yı					TC N	Aetals					er Haza racteris	
Commodity and Summary Description	Waste Stream	(1000 mt/yr)	Low	Med.	High	As	Ba	Cd	Cr	Pb	Hg	Se	Ag	Corr	Ignit	Retv
Zinc	Acid plant blowdown	130	-	-	-	Y		Y	Y	Y?	Y?	Y	Y	Y	N	N
Zinc-bearing ores are crushed and undergo flotation to produce concentrates of 50 to 60% zinc. Zinc is then processed through either of two primary	Waste ferrosilicon	17	-	-	-					Y?				N?	N?	N?
processing methods: electrolytic or pyrometallurgical. Electrolytic processing involves digestion with sulfuric acid and electrolytic refining. In pyrometallurgical processing, calcine is sintered and smelted in batch horizontal retorts, externally-heated continuous vertical retorts, or	Spent goethite and leach cake residues	15	-	-	-	Y		Y	Y	Y?	Y?	Y	Y	N?	N?	N?
electrothermic furnaces. In addition, zinc is smelted in blast furnaces through the Imperial Smelting Furnace process, which is capable of recovering both zinc and lead from mixed zinc-lead concentrates.	Process wastewater	6600	-	-	-	Y		Y	Y	Y		Y	Y	Y	N?	N?
	Discarded refractory brick	1	1	1	-	Y?		Y?	Y?	Y?				N?	N?	N?
	Spent cloths, bags, and filters	0.2	1	1	-			Y?		Y?	Y?	Y?	Y?	N?	N?	N?
	Spent surface impoundment liquids	2500	-	-	-			Y?						Y	N?	N?
	Spent surface impoundment solids	1	-	-	-	Y?		Y?		Y?	Y?	Y?	Y?	N?	N?	N?
	Spent synthetic gypsum	21	-	-	-	Y?		Y		Y?				N?	N?	N?
	TCA tower blowdown (ZCA Bartlesville, OK-Electrolytic plant)	.25	-	-	-			Y?		Y?	Y?	Y?		Y?	N?	N?
	WWTP liquid effluent	3500	-	-	-			Y?						N?	N?	N?
	Zinc-lean slag	17	-	-	-					Y?				N?	N?	N?
Zirconium and Hafnium The production processes used at primary zirconium and hafnium manufacturing plants depend largely on the raw material used. Six basic	Spent acid leachate from zirconium alloy production	-	0	0	850									Y?	N?	N?
operations may be performed: (1) sand chlorination, (2) separation, (3) calcining, (4) pure chlorination, (5) reduction, and (6) purification. Plants that produce zirconium and hafnium from zircon sand use all six of these process steps. Plants which produce zirconium from zirconium dioxide	Spent acid leachate from zirconium metal production	-	0	0	1600									Y?	N?	N?

		Reported Generation		ted Gene 100 mt/yı					TC M	Ietals					er Haza racteris	
Commodity and Summary Description	Waste Stream	(1000 mt/yr)	Low	Med.	High	As	Ba	Cd	Cr	Pb	Hg	Se	Ag	Corr	Ignit	Retv
	Leaching rinse water from zirconium alloy production	-	34	42	51									Y?	N?	N?
	Leaching rinse water from zirconium metal production	-	0.2	1000	2000									Y?	N?	N?

EXHIBIT 5-4

IDENTIFICATION OF HAZARDOUS MINERAL PROCESSING WASTE STREAMS LIKELY SUBJECT TO THE LDRS

		Estimated A (Rounded t	nnual Generation Rate o the Nearest 2 Signific	e (1,000 mt/yr) cant Figures)
Mineral Processing Commodity Sectors	Number of Waste Streams <u>1</u> /	Low Estimate	Medium Estimate	High Estimate
Alumina and Aluminum	2	77	77	77
Antimony	3	33	64	96
Beryllium	6	740	990	2,900
Bismuth	10	3.7	35	73
Boron	1	0.30	150	300
Cadmium	11	2.1	21	210
Calcium Metal	1	0.040	0.040	0.040
Coal Gas	1	0	0	65
Copper	9	10,000	11,000	15,000
Elemental Phosphorus	5	30	30	1,300
Fluorsparand Hydrofluoric Acid	1	0	15	44
Germanium	6	0.84	5.0	9.2
Gold and Silver	5	440	2,300	4,600
Lead	12	9,600	9,700	9,800
Magnesium and Magnesia from Brines	2	26	27	34
Mercury	3	81	99	540
Molybdenum, Ferromolybdenum, and Ammonium Molybdate	3	4.2	270	540
Platinum Group Metals	3	0.60	3.5	6.5
Pyrobitumens, Mineral Waxes, and Natural Asphalt	2	0.0040	55	110
Rare Earths	9	39	2,100	4,200

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Mineral Processing Commodity Sectors	Number of Waste Streams <u>1</u> /	Low Estimate	Medium Estimate	High Estimate
Rhenium	2	88	88	88
Scandium	2	1.4	7.8	14
Selenium	5	66	68	86
Synthetic Rutile	3	100	100	100
Tantalum, Columbium, and Ferrocolumbium	3	150	150	150
Tellurium	4	0.40	13	39
Titanium and Titanium Dioxide	11	1,300	1,500	1,800
Tungsten	2	1.8	3.7	28
Uranium	5	6.8	32	58
Zinc	12	13,000	13,000	13,000
Zirconium and Hafnium	4	34	1,000	4,500
TOTAL:	148	36,000	43,000	60,000