

KONKOLA MINE

MMGR/011/80

14th July, 2023

The Director-General,
Zambia Environmental Management Agency,
Corner Church and Suez Road,
P O Box 35131,
LUSAKA.



Attention: **The Client Manager-- Pollution Control**

Dear Sir/Madam,

RE: BI-ANNUAL STATUTORY REPORT FOR KMRL KONKOLA MINE

In fulfilment of the requirements under The Environmental Management Act 2011, Environmental Management (Licensing) Regulation 112 of 2013 which requires submission of bi-annual reports to the Zambia Environmental Management Agency Inspectorate, please find enclosed a copy of the statutory report covering the licences listed below for the period January to June 2023:

1. Pesticides and Toxic Substances Licence -- NDL/PTS/00667/Z10/2014/2

- Storage of Pesticides and Toxic Substances -- Concentrator, Analytical Services & Public Health
- Importation of Pesticides and Toxic Substances -- Concentrator
- Fumigation of Pesticides and Toxic Substances -- Public Health
- Blending of Pesticides and Toxic Substances -- Public Health

2. Emission Licence -- NDL/EMM/00667/Z10/2014/2

- Discharge of Effluent -- Combined Discharge Point No. 209
- Discharge of Effluent -- Lubengele Tailings Dam Overflow Discharge Point No. 208
- Discharge of Effluent -- Engineering Workshops Discharge Point No. 225
- Emission of Air Pollutants at Incinerator -- Mine Hospital
- Emission of Air Pollutants at Diesel Generator Set No. 1, 2 and 3 -- Power Plant

3. Hazardous Waste Licence -- NDL/LHWM/00667/Z10/2014/2

- Generation of Used Oil, Fluorescent Tubes and Batteries -- Engineering Services, Shaft 1 & 3
- Storage of Used Oil, Fluorescent Tubes and Batteries -- Engineering Services, Shaft 1 and 3
- Generation and Storage of Healthcare Waste -- Health Centre No. 1, 4, 5 and Mine Hospital
- Transportation of Healthcare Waste
- Generation, Transportation and Handling of Expired Chemicals

4. Waste Management Licence – NDL/WM/00667/Z10/2014/2

- Own and operate Lubengele Tailings Dam – Concentrator
- Own and operate Waste Rock Dump A and B – Shaft 1 and 3 Respectively
- Transportation of Tailings by Pipeline – Concentrator
- Transportation of Overburden Material/Waste Rock by road – Shaft 1 & 3

5. Ozone Depleting Substances Licence – NDL/ODS/00667/Z10/2014/2

- Handling of ozone depleting substances (ODS) – Engineering Services

We thank you for your continued support.

Yours faithfully,



JOHN LUKAKI
MANAGER/HOLDER

CC Manager ZEMA – Northern Region



**BI-ANNUAL REPORT TO THE ZAMBIA ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT AGENCY
(ZEMA) FOR THE PERIOD JANUARY TO JUNE 2023**

PART 1: The Environmental Management (Licensing) Regulations, 2013

1. PESTICIDE AND TOXIC SUBSTANCE LICENCE (Regulations 25, 27 and 28)

1.1 Reagents – Processing

The main reagents at Konkola Mine are used in the concentrator and they include Xanthate, Sodium hydrosulphide and Frother. The reagents are used in the processing of copper ore to produce copper concentrates. In order to prevent pollution and other health hazards associated with these substances, Konkola Mine ensures transportation, handling, storage and use of these chemicals is in line with good international industry practice by providing preventive and protective measures, training of workers and emergency prevention, preparedness and response arrangements.

1.1.1 Storage – All process reagents are kept at the central storage shed and transported on demand to the reagent mixing shed, which is under a roof and adequately banded. The store is sized to hold approximately twelve month's operating requirements. A summary of the storage and use of reagents in the reporting period is provided in Table 1 below.



Fig.1: Concentrator Plant



Fig.2: Reagents Storage Shed

Table 1: Process Reagents

| S/n | Name | Closing Stock | Opening Stock | From Sister Units | Imported | Stored | Used | Closing Stock | Source | Transporter |
|-----|-------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------------|----------|---------|---------|---------------|---|---------------------|
| | | 31-Dec 22 | 1-Jan 23 | Jan-Jun | Jan-Jun | Jan-Jun | Jan-Jun | Jan-Jun | | |
| 1 | Sodium Hydrosulphide, solid (NaHS) | 18,650 | 18,650 | - | 106,700 | | 57,550 | 67,800 | Tianjin Forever International Ltd- China | C Steinweg – Durban |
| 2 | Sodium Isopropyl Xanthate (SIPX) | - | - | - | 35,500 | | 10,000 | 25,500 | TC China (Charles Tennant Mining Chemical)- China | C Steinweg - Durban |
| 3 | Betafroth FZK 245, liquid (Frother) | 24,000 | 24,000 | - | 30,000 | | 41,000 | 13,000 | Betachem Pty Ltd – South Africa | C Steinweg - Durban |
| 4 | Flex 1 | 3,600 | 3,600 | - | 72,000 | | 34,950 | 40,650 | Betachem Pty Ltd – South Africa | C Steinweg - Durban |

Table 1 Cont.

| S/n | Chemical Name | Source | Transporter | Description Of Storage Facility | Emergency Equipment Available |
|-----|------------------------------------|---|---------------------|--|--|
| 1 | Sodium Hydrosulphide, solid (NaHS) | Tianjin Forever International Ltd- China | C Steinweg – Durban | The storage facility is properly constructed and surrounded by bund walls of sufficient strength capable of retaining one hundred and ten per cent of the amount of reagent contained in the container. Access is restricted by fencing and locking. | Emergency equipment/kit available consists of recirculation pumps, gloves, gas mask, broom, container of absorbent (sawdust/sand), dust pan/spade, empty container for collecting cleaned material |
| 2 | Sodium Isopropyl Xanthate (SIPX) | TC China (Charles Tennant Mining Chemical)- China | C Steinweg – Durban | The storage facility is properly constructed and surrounded by bund walls of sufficient strength capable of retaining one hundred and ten per cent of the amount of reagent contained in the container. Access is restricted by fencing and locking. | Emergency equipment/kit available consists of recirculation pumps, gloves, gas mask, broom, container of absorbent (sawdust/sand), dust pan/spade, empty container for collecting cleaned material |

| | | | | | |
|---|---|---------------------------------------|------------------------|--|--|
| 3 | Betafroth FZK 245, liquid (Frother) | Betachem Pty Ltd – South Africa | C Steinweg – Durban | The storage facility is properly constructed and surrounded by bund walls of sufficient strength capable of retaining one hundred and ten per cent of the amount of reagent contained in the container. Access is restricted by fencing and locking. | Emergency equipment/kit available consists of recirculation pumps, gloves, gas mask, broom, container of absorbent (sawdust/sand), dust pan/spade, empty container for collecting cleaned material |
| 4 | Flexs 1 | Betachem Pty Ltd – South Africa | C Steinweg – Durban | The storage facility is properly constructed and surrounded by bund walls of sufficient strength capable of retaining one hundred and ten per cent of the amount of reagent contained in the container. Access is restricted by fencing and locking. | Emergency equipment/kit available consists of recirculation pumps, gloves, gas mask, broom, container of absorbent (sawdust/sand), dust pan/spade, empty container for collecting cleaned material |

NOTE

- Unit of measure is tons
- The storage facility is properly constructed and surrounded by bund walls of sufficient strength capable of retaining one hundred and ten per cent of the amount of reagent contained in the container. Access is restricted by fencing and locking.
- Emergency equipment/kit available consists of recirculation pumps, gloves, gas mask, broom, container of absorbent (sawdust/sand), dust pan/spade, empty container for collecting cleaned material.

1.1.2 Importation – All process reagents are imported. Importation of the reagents only takes place once in a year for reagent 1 and 2 while reagent 3 is imported twice. Table 2 below provides a summary of the imported reagents, the source and the transporter (C Steinweg Bridge (Pty) Ltd – 151 South Coast Road, Rossburgh Durban) for the reporting period.

Table 2: Imported Reagents

| S/n | Name | Closing Stock | Opening Stock | From Sister Units | Imported | Stored | Used | Closing Stock | Source | Transporter |
|-----|-------------------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------------|----------|---------|---------|---------------|---|---------------------|
| | | 31-Dec 22 | 1-Jan 23 | Jan-Jun | Jan-Jun | Jan-Jun | Jan-Jun | Jan-Jun | | |
| 1 | Sodium Hydrosulphide, solid (NaHS) | 18,650 | 18,650 | | 106,700 | | 57,550 | 67,800 | Tianjin Forever International Ltd– China | C Steinweg – Durban |
| 2 | Sodium Isopropyl Xanthate (SIPX) | - | - | | 35,500 | | 10,000 | 25,500 | TC China (Charles Tennant Mining Chemical)- China | C Steinweg - Durban |
| 3 | Betafroth FZK 245, liquid (Frother) | 24,000 | 24,000 | | 30,000 | | 41,000 | 13,000 | Betachem Pty Ltd – South Africa | C Steinweg - Durban |
| 4 | Flex 1 | 3,600 | 3,600 | - | 72,000 | | 34,950 | 40,650 | Betachem Pty Ltd – South Africa | C Steinweg - Durban |

NOTE

- Unit of measure is tons

1.2 Reagents - Analytical

The analytical facilities at the mine include an assay laboratory, facilities for the analysis of selected water samples and the hospital laboratory. Table 3 below provides a summary of the chemical reagents that were stored and used in the period under review:



Fig.3: Analytical Services Laboratory



Fig.4: Reagent Storage Facility

Table 3: Analytical Reagents

| S/n | Name | UoM | Closing Stock | Opening Stock | To Sister Units | From Sister Units | Quantity Procured | Quantity Stored | Quantity Used | Closing Stock | Source |
|-----|---|-----|---------------|---------------|-----------------|-------------------|-------------------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------|----------------------------------|
| | | | Dec-22 | Jan-23 | Jan - June 2023 | Jan - June 2023 | Jan - June 2023 | Jan - June 2023 | Jan - June 2023 | Jun-23 | |
| 1 | CHEMICAL,AMMONIUM CHLORIDE,PROCESS | KG | 202 | 202 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 202 | NCHANGA MINE |
| 2 | CHEMICAL,AMMONIUM ACETATE | GM | 18000 | 18000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 18000 | MICIL INVESTMENTS LTD |
| 3 | CHEMICAL,AMMONIUM NITRATE,500 GM | GM | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | PHISHA GEN CHEM & SCI SUPPLY LTD |
| 4 | CHEMICAL,DIETHYL-P-PHENYLENE DIAMINE | EA | 5 | 5 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 5 | Old Stock (No record) |
| 5 | CHEMICAL,HYDROXYAMMONIUM CHLORIDE,500 G | GM | 7000 | 7000 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 7000 | Old Stock (No record) |
| 6 | CHEMICAL,ORTHOPHOSPHORIC ACID,REAGENT | EA | 25 | 25 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 25 | NCHANGA MINE |

| | | | | | | | | | | | |
|----|---|----|----|----|---|---|-------|-------|-------|---|---------------------------------|
| 7 | chemical, perchloric acid, process, 2.5 ltr | L | 50 | 50 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 50 | 50 | 0 | MICIL INVESTMENTS LTD |
| 8 | chemical, potassium chloride, 500 g | KG | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 100 | 100 | 100 | 0 | Old Stock (No record) |
| 9 | chemical, potassium iodide, reagent, 500 g | GM | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 15000 | 15000 | 15000 | 0 | OCTAHEDRON ENTERPRISES LTD |
| 10 | chemical, sodium sulphite, anhydrous | GM | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 10000 | 10000 | 10000 | 0 | PHISHA GEN CHEM & SCI SUPPL LTD |
| 11 | chemical, zinc, laboratory, 500 g | KG | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | OCTAHEDRON ENTERPRISES LTD |

NOTE

- The storage room is properly constructed with concreted floor, surrounded by enclosed walls of sufficient strength with an iron roof and a steel door. Access to the facility is restricted.
- Emergency equipment/kit available consists of PVC Apron, gloves, gas mask, broom, container of absorbent (sawdust/sand), dust pan/spade, empty container for collecting cleaned material.

1.3 Pesticides – Health and Sanitation

KMRL-Konkola Public Health Department uses a number of pesticides to control various pests that may pose a danger to the workforce and the general public within our area of operation. In order to prevent the risks associated with these substances including potential misuse, spills, and accidental human exposure, the department ensures safety guidelines for the storage, transport, and use of pesticides are applied into day-to-day activities. Table 4 below provides a summary of the pesticides usage and quantities in stock. No pesticides and toxic substances were stored at Konkola storage facility in the reporting period as the facility was temporarily suspended for use and rehabilitation works have just been completed. During the period under review, all substances used were collected from Nchanga Public Health Centre and used upon demand.



Fig.5: Public Health Centre



Fig.6: Pesticides Storage Facility

Table 4: Pesticides and Toxic Substances

| S/n | Chemical Name | Closing Stock | Opening Stock | To/from Sister Units | Quantity Procured | Quantity Stored | Quantity Used | Closing Stock | Source |
|-----|-----------------|---------------|---------------|----------------------|-------------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------|--------------------|
| | | 31-Dec | 31-Jan | 31-Jan | Jan-Jun | Jan-Jun | Jan-Jun | Jan-Jun | |
| 1 | Reskol (Litres) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Afrizet Zambia Ltd |
| 2 | Pynol (Litres) | 0 | 160 | 160 | 0 | 160 | 100 | 60 | Afrizet Zambia Ltd |

NOTE

- The storage area is constructed with concreted floor, walls, roof and a steel door. Access to the facility is restricted as the area is under lock and key.
- Emergency equipment/kit available consists of PVC Apron, gloves, gas mask, broom, container of absorbent (sawdust/sand), dust pan/spade, empty container for collecting cleaned material.

1.3.1 Fumigation –A summary of the quantities of the pesticides and toxic substances used in the reporting period is provided in Table 5, and the medical records of personnel involved in the handling of these substances is provided are Table 6 below.

Table 5: Pesticides and Toxic Substances used in fumigation

| S/n | Name | Closing Stock | Opening Stock | To/from Sister Units | Quantity Procured | Quantity Stored | Quantity Used | Closing Stock | Source |
|-----|-----------------|---------------|---------------|----------------------|-------------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------|--------------------|
| | | 31-Dec | 31-Jan | 31-Jan | Jan-Jun | Jan-Jun | Jan-Jun | Jan-Jun | |
| 1 | Reskol (Litres) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Afrizet Zambia Ltd |
| 2 | Pynol (Litres) | 0 | 160 | 160 | 0 | 160 | 100 | 60 | Afrizet Zambia Ltd |

Table 6: Personnel involved in fumigation of Pesticides and Toxic Substances

| S/n | Name | Mine No. | Date Tested | Medical Centre |
|-----|-------------------|----------|-------------|---|
| 1 | Bangwa Jonathan | 22000706 | 22.03.2023 | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 2 | Simpungwe Michael | 22001429 | 02.02.2023 | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |

NB – medical tests are conducted once a year for public health officers

Blending –A summary of the quantities of the pesticides and toxic substances used in blending for the reporting period is provided in Table 7, and the medical records of personnel involved in the handling of these substances are provided in Table 8 below.

Table 7: Pesticides and Toxic Substances used in blending

| S/n | Name | Closing Stock | Opening Stock | To/from Sister Units | Quantity Procured | Quantity Stored | Quantity Used | Closing Stock | Source |
|-----|-----------------|---------------|---------------|----------------------|-------------------|-----------------|---------------|---------------|--------------------|
| | | 31-Dec | 31-Jan | 31-Jan | Jan-Jun | Jan-Jun | Jan-Jun | Jan-Jun | |
| 1 | Reskol (Litres) | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | Afrizet Zambia Ltd |
| 2 | Pynol (Litres) | 0 | 160 | 160 | 0 | 160 | 100 | 60 | Afrizet Zambia Ltd |

Table 8: Personnel involved in blending of Pesticides and Toxic Substances

| S/n | Name | Mine No. | Date Tested | Medical Centre |
|-----|-------------------|----------|-------------|---|
| 1 | Bangwa Jonathan | 22000706 | 22.03.2023 | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 2 | Simpungwe Michael | 22001429 | 02.02.2023 | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |

NB: The same personnel involved in blending are also involved in fumigation of the pesticides and toxic substances. Medical tests are conducted once a year for public health officers

PART 2: The Environmental Management (Licensing) Regulations, 2013

2. EMISSION LICENCE (EFFLUENT DISCHARGE, Regulation 4)

In order to prevent effluent through our three licenced discharge points from polluting the environment, Konkola mine uses various management and engineering controls. At Konkola, the most significant environmental actions aim at reducing and controlling spillage and leaks from a process control basis. Operational controls are continually improved through internal and external audits; containment areas are constructed and maintained; ponds, containment areas and drains are regularly cleaned out to remove accumulated debris; worn and leaky pipelines are replaced; systems have been put in place to return spillage to the process stream in order to reduce discharges to a minimum; treatment systems are installed on site for effluents prior to being released to the environment. Our Environmental Management System, EMS, includes actions required to prevent pollutants from entering discharges from the mine and hence the environment. Clean-up actions are also addressed. KCM is committed to not only meeting the limits set by Zambian Regulations but achieving the World Bank and IFC guidelines as part of its sustainability program. Below is a summary of the effluent quality and quantity through the licenced drains as monitored in the reporting period.



Fig.7: Combined Drain



Fig.8: Pipe Columns from Underground



Fig.9: Lubengele Tailings Dam Overflow



Fig.10: Engineering Workshops Drain

2.1. UNDERGROUND AND PLANT OVERFLOW INTO KAKOSA STREAM – COMBINED DISCHARGE POINT No. 209.

Konkola Mine is one of the wettest mining operations in the world, and for the safe operation of the underground workings, it is necessary to pump approximately 350, 000m³/day of groundwater from the mine. This amounts to a continuous flow of approximately 4.1m³/s, which is ultimately discharged into the Kafue River.

In order to dewater the Konkola underground mining operations, water is pumped from underground via the following multiple pipes:

- Two 500 mm (16”) diameter pipes (new and old) and one 600 mm (20”) diameter pipe which provide the process water for the concentrator plant
- One 1200 mm (48”) diameter pipe, which discharges directly to the environment
- One 200 mm (8”) diameter pipe, which discharges directly to the environment
- One 600 mm (20”) diameter pipe, which is treated in sedimentation ponds for domestic water use
- One 200 mm (8”) diameter pipe, which is treated in sedimentation ponds before discharge to the environment
- One 200 mm (8”) diameter pipe, which is treated in a 250ft thickener before discharge to the environment
- Four 500 mm (16”) diameter pipes, which discharges directly to the environment

Konkola mine has a total of 20 settlers underground, 5 Settlers on 1850ft level at Shaft 3, 5 Settlers on 2212ft level at Shaft 1, 4 Settlers on 1150ft level at Shaft 1 and 6 Settlers on 3150ft level at Shaft 1. The settlers are 20m deep and 12m wide. On surface, there are 5 Settlers in which part of the water from underground and concentrator dewatering activities is further treated prior to discharge. Table 9 below provides a summary of the monitoring results for the combined drain in the reporting period. Details of related incidents and causes are provided in table 14.

Table 9: Underground and Plant combined effluent monitoring results (Monthly averages)

| MONTH | FLOW RATE (m ³ /day) | pH | Cond | TSS | TDS | TCu | TFe | TMn | TCo | TPb |
|------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| January | 337274.00 | 7.39 | NR | 30.25 | NR | 0.39 | 0.27 | 0.04 | 0.07 | 0.08 |
| February | 365935.00 | 7.28 | NR | 32.25 | NR | 0.99 | 0.84 | <0.01 | 0.05 | 0.03 |
| March | 335771.00 | 7.26 | 453.00 | 42.75 | 226.00 | 0.61 | 0.88 | 0.15 | 0.03 | 0.25 |
| April | 330723.25 | 7.33 | 873.50 | 47.00 | 436.00 | 1.04 | 0.59 | 0.52 | 0.03 | <0.01 |
| May | 345378.00 | 7.35 | 457.75 | 20.50 | 228.50 | 0.52 | 0.44 | 0.06 | 0.04 | <0.01 |
| June | NR | 7.34 | 411.50 | 18.50 | 233.75 | 0.41 | 0.81 | 0.03 | 0.14 | <0.01 |
| Average | 343016.30 | 7.33 | 548.94 | 31.88 | 281.06 | 0.66 | 0.64 | 0.16 | 0.06 | 0.12 |
| <i>Statutory Limit</i> | <i>ND</i> | <i>6.0 - 9.0</i> | <i>4300</i> | <i>100</i> | <i>3000</i> | <i>1.50</i> | <i>2.00</i> | <i>1.00</i> | <i>1.00</i> | <i>0.50</i> |

Table 9 Cont.

| MONTH | TCd | Hg | TAs | TCa | TMg | DSO ₄ | BOD | COD | DO ₂ | NO ₄ |
|------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|-------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| January | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 37.94 | 10.71 | NR | 6.40 | 13.20 | 5.80 | <0.01 |
| February | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 44.48 | 17.67 | 69.56 | 5.20 | 11.20 | 7.20 | 2.31 |
| March | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 36.39 | 16.45 | 158.97 | 12.00 | 9.80 | 6.00 | 2.31 |
| April | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 38.46 | 15.15 | 22.64 | 3.80 | <0.01 | 7.80 | <0.01 |
| May | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 43.91 | 16.66 | NR | 10.20 | 23.20 | 7.60 | <0.01 |
| June | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 41.23 | 17.11 | NR | 16 | 0.7 | 3.7 | <0.01 |
| Average | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 40.40 | 15.63 | 83.72 | 8.93 | 11.62 | 6.35 | 2.31 |
| <i>Statutory Limit</i> | <i>0.500</i> | <i>0.002</i> | <i>0.05</i> | <i>100</i> | <i>500</i> | <i>1500</i> | <i>50</i> | <i>90.0</i> | <i>5.00</i> | <i>50.0</i> |

Table 9 Cont.

| MONTH | NO ₃ | NH ₄ | PO ₄ | Cl | Ur | Temp | Turb | Color | Oil | TC |
|------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|
| January | 0.48 | 40.00 | 0.06 | 22.64 | 0.03 | 23.25 | 5.15 | 0.72 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| February | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.05 | 28.64 | <0.01 | 24.45 | 13.76 | 1.08 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| March | 0.44 | <0.01 | 0.04 | 26.20 | <0.01 | 23.28 | 13.06 | 0.94 | 0.02 | 0.01 |
| April | 0.36 | <0.01 | 0.04 | 31.36 | <0.01 | 22.50 | 24.26 | 4.28 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| May | 0.36 | <0.01 | 0.04 | 31.36 | <0.01 | 21.78 | 7.74 | 1.28 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| June | 0.68 | <0.01 | 0.04 | 28.26 | <0.01 | 20.70 | 5.60 | 1.22 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| Average | 0.46 | 40.00 | 0.05 | 28.08 | 0.03 | 22.66 | 11.59 | 1.59 | 0.02 | 0.01 |
| <i>Statutory Limit</i> | <i>2.00</i> | <i>50.00</i> | <i>6.00</i> | <i>800</i> | <i>0.03</i> | <i>40.0</i> | <i>15.0</i> | <i>20.0</i> | <i>5.00</i> | <i>10.00</i> |

NOTE

- Analyses are in mg/l except pH, Conductivity (µS/cm), Temperature (°C), Turbidity and Colour.
- ND means not defined
- NR mean not analysed due to faulty/unavailable equipment

2.2. LUBENGELE TAILINGS DAM OVERFLOW INTO LUBENGELE STREAM – DISCHARGE POINT No. 208.

The tailings from the existing concentrator are presently pumped to the Lubengele Tailings Disposal Facility. Overflow from the tailings dam is conveyed to the discharge point through the spillway. Accordingly, samples of discharge water are collected from the concrete channel downstream of the tailings facility (Discharge point 208). Table 10 below provides a summary of the monitoring results for the tailings dam overflow in the reporting period. Details of related incidents and causes are provided in table 14.

Table 10: Tailings Dam Overflow monitoring results (Monthly averages)

| MONTH | FLOW RATE (m ³ /day) | pH | Cond | TSS | TDS | TCu | TFe | TMn | TCO | TPb |
|------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|---------------|-------------|---------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| January | 338428.00 | 7.25 | NR | 7.00 | NR | <0.01 | 0.14 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| February | 128431.00 | 7.31 | NR | 6.00 | NR | <0.01 | 0.38 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| March | 235201.00 | 7.27 | 232.00 | 7.50 | 117.00 | <0.01 | 0.89 | 0.07 | <0.01 | 0.03 |
| April | 174706.00 | 7.32 | 431.00 | 9.00 | 214.50 | <0.01 | 0.38 | 0.11 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| May | 49775.00 | 7.53 | 232.25 | 15.75 | 115.75 | 0.05 | 0.38 | 0.03 | 0.01 | <0.01 |
| June | 19654.00 | 7.48 | 241.25 | 14 | 120.25 | 0.09 | 1.63 | 0.01 | 0.09 | <0.01 |
| Average | 157699.17 | 7.36 | 284.13 | 9.88 | 141.88 | 0.05 | 0.63 | 0.05 | 0.05 | 0.03 |
| <i>Statutory Limit</i> | <i>ND</i> | <i>6.0 - 9.0</i> | <i>4300</i> | <i>100</i> | <i>3000</i> | <i>1.50</i> | <i>2.00</i> | <i>1.00</i> | <i>1.00</i> | <i>0.50</i> |

Table 10: Cont.

| MONTH | TCd | Hg | TAs | TCa | TMg | DSO ₄ | BOD | COD | DO ₂ | NO ₄ |
|------------------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|------------------|-------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| January | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 27.09 | 7.93 | NR | 7.20 | 10.40 | 6.20 | <0.01 |
| February | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 14.59 | 8.66 | 101.25 | 8.80 | 18.60 | 6.70 | 0.24 |
| March | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 14.04 | 4.48 | 102.17 | 11.00 | 8.20 | 7.30 | 0.24 |
| April | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 30.03 | 5.98 | 23.56 | 4.20 | 10.40 | 7.60 | <0.01 |
| May | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 35.97 | 4.84 | NR | 8.00 | 22.50 | 7.80 | <0.01 |
| June | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 8.65 | 7.19 | NR | 15.00 | 1.70 | 4.00 | <0.01 |
| Average | 0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | 21.73 | 6.51 | 75.66 | 9.03 | 11.97 | 6.6 | 0.24 |
| <i>Statutory Limit</i> | <i>0.50</i> | <i>0.002</i> | <i>0.05</i> | <i>100</i> | <i>500</i> | <i>1500</i> | <i>50</i> | <i>90.0</i> | <i>5.00</i> | <i>50.00</i> |

Table 10: Cont.

| MONTH | NO ₃ | NH ₄ | PO ₄ | Cl | Ur | Temp | Turb | Color | Oil | TC |
|------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| January | 0.23 | 11.00 | 0.03 | 26.00 | 0.02 | 24.90 | 10.90 | 0.22 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| February | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.03 | 13.24 | <0.01 | 24.40 | 10.50 | 64.00 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| March | 0.42 | <0.01 | 0.04 | 8.61 | <0.01 | 23.08 | 9.79 | 1.10 | 0.02 | 0.01 |
| April | 0.11 | <0.01 | 0.02 | 7.56 | <0.01 | 22.63 | 7.13 | 0.86 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| May | 0.11 | <0.01 | 0.02 | 7.56 | <0.01 | 21.73 | 7.25 | 1.24 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| June | 0.09 | <0.01 | 0.02 | 6.52 | <0.01 | 20.58 | 7.56 | 1.28 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| Average | 0.19 | 11.00 | 0.03 | 11.58 | 0.02 | 22.89 | 8.85 | 11.45 | 0.02 | 0.01 |
| Statutory Limit | 2.00 | 50.00 | 6.00 | 800 | 0.03 | 40.0 | 15.0 | 20.0 | 5.00 | 10.00 |

NOTE

- Analyses are in mg/l except pH, Conductivity (µS/cm), Temperature (°C), Turbidity and Colour.
- ND mean not defined/minimal flow
- NF mean no flow
- MF mean Minimal flow
- NR mean not analysed due to faulty/unavailable equipment

2.3. ENGINEERING WORKSHOP OVERFLOW INTO LUBENGELE STREAM – DISCHARGE POINT No. 225.

Routine service, repair and overhauls of equipment as well as cleaning of fuelling facilities require the use of water to a limited extent. Accordingly, samples of discharge water are collected from the concrete channel downstream of the central workshops on surface workshops at Engineering Services (Discharge point 225). Table 11 below provides a summary of the monitoring results for the engineering workshops overflow in the reporting period. Details of related incidents and causes are provided in table 14.

Table 11: Engineering Workshops Overflow monitoring results (Monthly averages)

| MONTH | FLOW RATE (m ³ /day) | pH | Cond | TSS | TDS | TCu | TFe | TMn | TCO | TPb |
|------------------------|---------------------------------|------------------|---------------|--------------|---------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| January | 320.00 | 6.89 | NR | 12.25 | NR | 0.08 | 0.20 | 0.13 | 0.00 | 0.14 |
| February | 290.00 | 6.77 | NR | 22.25 | NR | 0.19 | 0.83 | 0.22 | <0.01 | 0.05 |
| March | 287.00 | 6.84 | 193.50 | 17.25 | 97.00 | 0.13 | 1.05 | 0.15 | <0.01 | 0.01 |
| April | 285.00 | 6.47 | 514.00 | 37.25 | 258.00 | 0.21 | 0.85 | 0.37 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| May | 225.00 | 6.69 | 329.50 | 41.50 | 165.50 | 0.11 | 0.81 | 0.24 | 0.04 | <0.01 |
| June | 220.00 | 6.58 | 541.50 | 24.25 | 272.25 | 0.4175 | 1.885 | 0.2 | 0.1275 | <0.01 |
| Average | 271.17 | 6.71 | 394.63 | 25.79 | 198.19 | 0.19 | 0.94 | 0.22 | 0.06 | 0.07 |
| Statutory Limit | ND | 6.0 - 9.0 | 4300 | 100 | 3000 | 1.50 | 2.00 | 1.00 | 1.00 | 0.50 |

Table 11 Cont.

| MONTH | TCd | Hg | TAs | TCa | TMg | DSO ₄ | BOD | COD | DO ₂ | NO ₄ |
|------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------|--------------|------------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| January | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 27.46 | 9.28 | NR | 41.20 | 76.00 | 2.60 | <0.01 |
| February | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 28.66 | 9.64 | 45.68 | 38.00 | 64.30 | 2.20 | 2.78 |
| March | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 46.23 | 9.71 | 267.42 | 13.80 | 21.80 | 5.60 | 2.78 |
| April | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 30.78 | 6.60 | 17.39 | 4.10 | 8.42 | 7.50 | <0.01 |
| May | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 69.15 | 17.23 | NR | 14.60 | 25.00 | 7.50 | <0.01 |
| June | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 39.55 | 17.86 | NR | 14.6 | 1.70 | 4.20 | <0.01 |
| Average | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 40.31 | 11.72 | 110.16 | 21.05 | 32.87 | 4.93 | 2.78 |
| Statutory Limit | 0.50 | 0.002 | 0.05 | 100 | 500 | 1500 | 50 | 90.0 | 5.0 | 50.00 |

Table 11 Cont.

| MONTH | NO ₃ | NH ₄ | PO ₄ | Cl | Ur | Tem | Turb | Color | Oil | TC |
|------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|--------------|-------------|--------------|--------------|-------------|-----------------|--------------|
| January | 0.54 | 31.00 | 0.21 | 39.40 | 0.02 | 23.28 | 3.37 | 1.50 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| February | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.04 | 14.62 | <0.01 | 24.43 | 20.12 | 1.47 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| March | 0.54 | <0.01 | 0.13 | 33.45 | <0.01 | 23.23 | 13.56 | 0.41 | <0.01 | 0.02 |
| April | 0.21 | <0.01 | 0.06 | 18.63 | <0.01 | 22.60 | 7.80 | 2.03 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| May | 0.21 | <0.01 | 0.06 | 18.63 | <0.01 | 21.80 | 12.49 | 2.03 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| June | 0.42 | <0.01 | 0.06 | 16.52 | <0.01 | 20.45 | 51.30 | 1.87 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| Average | 0.38 | 31 | 0.09 | 23.54 | 0.02 | 22.63 | 18.12 | 1.55 | <0.01 | 0.02 |
| Statutory Limit | 2.00 | 50.0 | 6.00 | 800 | 0.03 | 40.0 | 15.0 | 20.0 | 5.00 | 10.00 |

NOTE

- Analyses are in mg/l except pH, Conductivity (µS/cm), Temperature (°C), Turbidity and Colour.
- ND mean not defined/minimal flow

PART 3: The Environmental Management (Licensing) Regulations, 2013

3. EMISSION LICENCE (EMISSION TO AIR, Regulation 4)

The permits to emit air pollutants at Konkola Mine relates to the operations of the incinerator at Konkola Mine Hospital and the Emergency Diesel Generators at KDMP (4 Shaft). In order to comply with the general requirements of The Environmental Management (Licensing) Regulations, 2013, Konkola mine has engaged Tibon Environmental Solutions to monitor emissions from the stacks.



Fig.11: Hospital Incinerator Stack



Fig.12: Diesel Generator Stacks

3.1 Emissions To Air – Hospital Incinerator Stack

- Solid waste from the mine hospital, including contaminated medical waste, is collected at the hospital, incinerated and the waste ash disposed of at the designated incinerator ash disposal facility which is a concreted below ground pit.

| Month | Rate (Nm ³ /Hr) | Dust | CO | SO ₂ | NO _x | Hg | Cu | Cd | Pb |
|------------------------|----------------------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------------|--------------|---------------|
| January | 1153.87 | 47.62 | 99.56 | 15.24 | 19.19 | 0.000047 | 0.2943 | 0.0043 | 0.1719 |
| February | 1115.27 | 44.18 | 77.48 | 23.82 | 31.68 | 0.000088 | 0.2730 | 0.0046 | 0.1101 |
| March | 1262.10 | 39.74 | 87.48 | 5.72 | 24.54 | 0.000079 | 0.3089 | 0.0029 | 0.1268 |
| April | 1259.15 | 46.19 | 83.31 | 6.67 | 28.56 | 0.000092 | 0.4259 | 0.0041 | 0.1335 |
| May | 1140.09 | 38.99 | 51.24 | 16.20 | 17.40 | 0.000078 | 0.4082 | 0.0045 | 0.0952 |
| June | 1130.98 | 43.38 | 34.57 | 8.57 | 21.87 | 0.000086 | 0.6271 | 0.0041 | 0.1816 |
| Average | 1176.91 | 43.35 | 72.27 | 12.70 | 23.87 | 0.000078 | 0.39 | 0.004 | 0.1365 |
| Statutory Limit | ND | 50 | 100 | 850 | 460 | 0.05 | 1 | 0.05 | 0.2 |

3.2 Emissions To Air – Diesel Generator Stacks

The diesel generators were installed to provide power required for ventilation, man riding and pumping in an emergency. Table 13 below provides a summary of the monitoring results for the stacks. Details of related incidents and causes are provided in table 14.

Table 13: DG Set stack monitoring results

| MONTH | Stack 1 | | | | Stack 2 | | | | Stack 3 | | | |
|------------|---------------------------|-------|-------|-----------------|---------------------------|-------|--------|-----------------|---------------------------|-------|-------|-----------------|
| | Rate (Nm ³ /H) | Dust | CO | SO ₂ | Rate (Nm ³ /H) | Dust | CO | SO ₂ | Rate (Nm ³ /H) | Dust | CO | SO ₂ |
| January | 26054.95 | 44.31 | 98.31 | 69.55 | 27776.06 | 46.07 | 108.72 | 29.53 | NS | | | |
| February | 28835.28 | 41.81 | 98.73 | 51.45 | 30498.23 | 47.71 | 99.56 | 46.68 | 30930.26 | 42.02 | 91.64 | 75.26 |
| March | 28494.05 | 39.36 | 84.98 | 67.64 | 29910.51 | 46.33 | 101.64 | 66.69 | 29276.58 | 44.85 | 98.31 | 68.60 |
| April | 32206.8 | 41.04 | 89.56 | 34.47 | 28275.66 | 43.64 | 97.06 | 68.60 | 30936.45 | 44.29 | 97.89 | 74.31 |
| May | 32206.81 | 38.19 | 89.56 | 67.64 | 28325.24 | 40.88 | 87.06 | 55.26 | 28937.98 | 42.39 | 89.14 | 35.25 |
| June | 32225.03 | 37.76 | 75.40 | 45.73 | 30097.40 | 42.25 | 98.31 | 49.54 | 30706.13 | 39.91 | 87.89 | 30.49 |
| Average | 30003.82 | 40.41 | 89.42 | 56.08 | 29147.18 | 44.48 | 98.73 | 52.72 | 29388.62 | 42.69 | 92.97 | 56.78 |
| Stat Limit | ND | 50 | 100 | 850 | ND | 50 | 100 | 850 | ND | 50 | 100 | 850 |

NOTE

- Unit of measure is mg/Nm³.
- NS mean not sampled due to equipment being offline during the reporting period.

INCIDENTS RECORDED:

Table 14: Emission related incidents

| Date | Purpose of Operation | Details of Noncompliance | Cause | Corrective/Preventive Measures | Current Status |
|------------------|--|---|--------------------|--------------------------------|---|
| January-May 2023 | Waste disposal/ Tailings Dam Station (208) | Dissolved Oxygen (DO) was above the statutory limit at the Tailings dam overflow- 208: January(6.20mg/l), February (6.0mg/l), March (7.3mg/l), April (7.6mg/l), May (7.8mg/l) against 5.00mg/l) | Natural Occurrence | N/A | Effective implementation of water pollution controls is ongoing |

| | | | | | |
|-------------------|--|--|---|---|---|
| February-May 2023 | Underground Dewatering (209) | Dissolved Oxygen (DO) was above the statutory limit at the Combined Drain 209: February (7.20mg/l), March (6.0mg/l) and April (7.8mg/l), May (7.6) against 5.00mg/l) | Natural Occurrence | N/A | Effective implementation of water pollution controls is ongoing |
| April and May | Equipment maintenance and repair (225) | Dissolved Oxygen (DO) was above the statutory limit at the Engineering Drain 225: April (7.5mg/l) and May (7.5mg/l) against (5.00mg/l) | Natural Occurrence | N/A | Effective implementation of water pollution controls is ongoing |
| April | Underground Dewatering (209) | Turbidity was above the statutory limit at Combined Drain-209: in April (24.26) against (15) | Contaminated material from the immediate surroundings was washed/carried over into the drain. | Effective implementation of water pollution control procedure (KMRL-EP-01). | On-going |
| January and June | Equipment maintenance and repair (225) | Turbidity was above the statutory limit at Engineering Drain-225, (20.12) in January, (51.3) in June against (15). | Contaminated material from the immediate surroundings was washed/carried over into the drain. | Effective implementation of water pollution control procedure (KMRL-EP-01). | On-going |

PART 4: The Environmental Management (Licensing) Regulations, 2013

4. HAZARDOUS WASTE LICENCE (GENERATION AND STORAGE, Regulation 19)

The plant generates hazardous waste namely; waste oil, used fluorescent tubes and used batteries. Waste oil is stored on constructed bays with impervious floors and bund walls and eventually reused at Nchanga Smelter as fuel. Spent fluorescent tubes are stored within the plant premises in fabricated storage drums while batteries are stored in the hazardous materials store before it is disposed of through recycling/reuse contractors. The quantities generated are presented in table 15 below.



Fig.14: Used Oil Store – Shaft 1

Fig.15: Used Batteries and Fluorescent

Tubes Store – Salvage Yard

4.1 HAZARDOUS WASTE GENERATED, STORED AND DISPOSED

Table 15 (a): Hazardous waste

| Month | Opening Stock | Used Oil Generated | | | | Used Oil Stored | | | Used Oil Disposed | Closing Stock |
|--------------|-----------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|-----------------|--------------|-----------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| | | Eng. | Shaft 1 | Shaft 3 | Total | Shaft 1 | Shaft 3 | Total | Konkola | |
| Dec-22 | 484.609 | 0 | 6.3 | 12.51 | 18.81 | 6.3 | 12.51 | 503.419 | 11.43 | 491.989 |
| Jan-23 | 491.991 | 0 | 7.98 | 5.88 | 13.86 | 7.98 | 5.88 | 505.851 | 12.12 | 493.731 |
| Feb-23 | 411.381 | 0 | 18.96 | 4.83 | 23.79 | 18.96 | 4.83 | 435.171 | 9.86 | 425.311 |
| Mar-23 | 433.181 | 0 | 8.7 | 5.46 | 14.16 | 8.7 | 5.46 | 447.341 | 14.45 | 432.891 |
| Apr-23 | 440.961 | 0 | 12.03 | 6.3 | 18.33 | 12.03 | 6.3 | 459.291 | 13.07 | 446.221 |
| May-23 | 463.881 | 0 | 11.4 | 5.88 | 17.28 | 11.4 | 5.88 | 481.161 | 9.69 | 471.471 |
| Jun-23 | 484.609 | 0 | 4.2 | 5.46 | 9.66 | 4.2 | 5.46 | 494.269 | 10.71 | 483.559 |
| TOTAL | 3210.613 | 0 | 69.57 | 46.32 | 115.89 | 69.57 | 46.32 | 3326.503 | 81.33 | 3245.173 |

NOTE

Unit of measure is tons.

Table 15 (b): Hazardous waste

| Month | Opening Stock | Used Batteries Generated | | | | Used Batteries Stored | | | Used Batteries Disposed | Closing Stock |
|--------------|---------------|--------------------------|----------|-------------|-------------|-----------------------|-------------|--------------|-------------------------|---------------|
| | | Eng. | Shaft 1 | Shaft 3 | Total | Shaft 1 | Shaft 3 | Total | Konkola | |
| Dec-22 | 10.16 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0.00 | 10.16 | 0.00 | 10.16 |
| Jan-23 | 10.16 | 0 | 0 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0 | 0.00 | 10.16 | 0.00 | 10.16 |
| Feb-23 | 10.16 | 0 | 0 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0 | 0.00 | 10.16 | 0.00 | 10.16 |
| Mar-23 | 10.16 | 0 | 0 | 0.00 | 0.00 | 0 | 0.00 | 10.16 | 0.00 | 10.16 |
| Apr-23 | 10.16 | 0 | 0 | 0.60 | 0.60 | 0 | 0.06 | 10.22 | 0.06 | 10.16 |
| May-23 | 10.16 | 0 | 0 | 0.60 | 0.60 | 0 | 0.06 | 10.28 | 0.06 | 10.16 |
| Jun-23 | 10.16 | 0 | 0 | 0.06 | 0.06 | 0 | 0.06 | 10.34 | 0.06 | 10.16 |
| TOTAL | 71.12 | 0 | 0 | 1.26 | 1.26 | 0 | 0.18 | 71.48 | 0.18 | 71.12 |

NOTE

Unit of measure is tons.

Table 15 (c): Hazardous waste

| Month | Opening Stock | Used Fluorescent Tubes Generated | | | | Used Fluorescent Tubes Stored | | | Used Fluorescent Tubes Disposed | Closing Stock |
|--------------|---------------|----------------------------------|----------|--------------|--------------|-------------------------------|--------------|--------------|---------------------------------|---------------|
| | | Eng. | Shaft 1 | Shaft 3 | Total | Shaft 1 | Shaft 3 | Total | Konkola | |
| Dec-22 | 1.211 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1.211 | 0 | 1.211 |
| Jan-23 | 1.211 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1.211 | 0 | 1.211 |
| Feb-23 | 1.211 | 0 | 0 | 0.004 | 0.004 | 0 | 0.004 | 1.215 | 0.004 | 1.211 |
| Mar-23 | 1.211 | 0 | 0 | 0.002 | 0.002 | 0 | 0.002 | 1.213 | 0.002 | 1.211 |
| Apr-23 | 1.211 | 0 | 0 | 0.003 | 0.003 | 0 | 0.003 | 1.214 | 0.003 | 1.211 |
| May-23 | 1.211 | 0 | 0 | 0.003 | 0.003 | 0 | 0.003 | 1.214 | 0.003 | 1.211 |
| Jun-23 | 1.211 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | | 0 | 1.211 |
| TOTAL | 8.477 | 0 | 0 | 0.012 | 0.012 | 0 | 0.012 | 7.278 | 0.012 | 8.477 |

NOTE

Unit of measure is tons.

4.2 PERSONNEL INVOLVED IN MANAGEMENT OF HAZARDOUS WASTE

32 employees involved in management of hazardous waste underwent tetanus vaccinations in the period under review.

| S/N. | EMPLOYEE NAME | Medical Centre |
|------|---------------------|---|
| 1. | CHABU DORRIAN | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 2. | NAWEJI MICHEAL | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 3. | MOGHA TOWARD | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 4. | SIMUTOWE JAMES | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 5. | CHIBEKA JOSEPH | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 6. | FISANGA EMMANUEL | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 7. | MUSANKABALA FLOYD | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 8. | MUGALA JACK | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 9. | KAPEMBWA PROSPER | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 10. | KATEBE GILLAN | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 11. | KAKUNGU KABANDA | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 12. | MUWOWO MARTIN | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 13. | KALENGE JOHN | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 14. | MULUNDU HONEST | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 15. | KAUNDA GERSHOM | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 16. | MUSONDA THOMAS | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 17. | MPASHILE KATAI | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 18. | CHUNGU DAVID | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 19. | LUNDA LYUBA | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 20. | CHILUFYA ASTON | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 21. | SAKALA PAUL | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 22. | CHILWILA RICHARD | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 23. | CHIBWE FLINT | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 24. | KUMWENDA HAUDSON | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 25. | TEMBO PETER | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 26. | CHOLA KASEKE | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 27. | FISANGA EMMANUEL | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 28. | KASEVU HOSEA | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 29. | MULENGA CHILESHE | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 30. | BANDA ALEFA | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 31. | KAPAIPI CHRISTOPHER | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |
| 32. | KABWE ISAAC | Konkola Mine Hospital – Occupational Health |

4.3 GENERATION OF HEALTHCARE WASTE

Solid waste from the mine hospitals, including contaminated medical waste, is collected at the hospital, incinerated and the waste ash disposed of at the designated incinerator ash disposal facility which is a concreted below ground pit. The quantities generated are presented in Table 17 below

Table 17: Healthcare waste generated

| Month | Opening Stock | Clinical Waste Generated | | | Clinical Waste Stored | | Clinical Waste Incinerated | Ash Generated Jan-Jun |
|--------------|---------------|--------------------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------------|--------------|----------------------------|-----------------------|
| | | Clinics | Hospital | Total | Clinics | Hospital | Konkola Mine Hospital | |
| Dec-22 | 0 | 0.066 | 0.829 | 0.895 | 0.066 | 0.829 | 0.895 | 0 |
| Jan-23 | 0 | 0.905 | 0.059 | 0.924 | 0.865 | 0.059 | 0.924 | 0.1305 |
| Feb-23 | 0 | 0.939 | 0.041 | 0.980 | 0.939 | 0.041 | 0.98 | 0.1070 |
| Mar-23 | 0 | 0.918 | 0.073 | 0.991 | 0.918 | 0.073 | 0.991 | 0.1099 |
| Apr-23 | 0 | 0.855 | 0.053 | 0.908 | 0.855 | 0.053 | 0.908 | 0.0995 |
| May-23 | 0 | 0.844 | 0.031 | 0.875 | 0.844 | 0.031 | 0.875 | 0.1005 |
| Jun-23 | 0 | 0.835 | 0.094 | 0.929 | 0.835 | 0.094 | 0.929 | 0.0960 |
| TOTAL | 0 | 5.296 | 0.351 | 5.647 | 5.256 | 0.351 | 5.607 | 0.6434 |

NOTE

Unit of measure is Tons.

4.4 TRANSPORTATION OF HEALTHCARE WASTE

Healthcare waste generated from Konkola Mine Hospital & the satellite clinics was transported to Nchanga Mine hospital for incineration. Waste is put in a special container and transported on the back of a van. Hazard warning signage is placed on the container and van during transportation. Table 18 below presents a summary of the healthcare waste transported. No incidences/accidental spillages relating to the transportation of healthcare waste were recorded in the reporting period.

Table 18: Healthcare waste transported

| Month | Source | Quantity | Mode of Transport | Destination | Disposal |
|--------------|--------------|--------------|--------------------------|------------------|--------------|
| January | HC 1,4 and 5 | 0.924 | Van with steel container | Nchanga Hospital | Incineration |
| February | HC 1,4 and 5 | 0.980 | Van with steel container | Nchanga Hospital | Incineration |
| March | HC 1,4 and 5 | 0.991 | Van with steel container | Nchanga Hospital | Incineration |
| April | HC 1,4 and 5 | 0.908 | Van with steel container | Nchanga Hospital | Incineration |
| May | HC 1,4 and 5 | 0.875 | Van with steel container | Nchanga Hospital | Incineration |
| June | HC 1,4 and 5 | 0.929 | Van with steel container | Nchanga Hospital | Incineration |
| TOTAL | HC 1,4 and 5 | 5.647 | Van with steel container | Nchanga Hospital | Incineration |

NOTE

- Unit of measure is tons.
- HC means Health Centre

4.5 GENERATION, TRANSPORTATION AND HANDLING OF EXPIRED CHEMICALS

During the period under review (January – June, 2023) 15 tons of expired Magnafloc 1597 and 13,440 Liters of Magnafloc 10 that was stored at Commercial Department was disposed of by re-using/dosing into the conventional thickeners at the Concentrator.

PART 5: The Environmental Management (Licensing) Regulations, 2013

5. WASTE MANAGEMENT LICENCE

There are two waste rock dumps, adjacent to each of the shafts. The “A” Dump is situated adjacent to and to the South West of No. 1 Shaft. This dump was started in 1955, covers approximately 22.5ha. The “B” Dump, started in 1957, is situated adjacent and to the North West of the No. 3 Shaft, covers an area of approximately 11ha. Reclamation of waste rock from the dumps for aggregate production is ongoing in a controlled manner.

Tailings are pumped to the Lubengele Tailings Dam, which lies to the North of the plant site. The Lubengele Tailings Dam is a valley dam (started in 1964) with a 28.5m high wall formed with cycloned coarse tailings. The current maximum available capacity is 105Mt and about 100.535Mt has been deposited since it was started in 1964. Tailings material is transported from the concentrator through one of two steel pipelines, operated alternately, and is discharged primarily from the Eastern side of the impoundment. The Lubengele Dam is located in a large catchment area of 61km² and captures the drainage from four streams, namely the Lubengele, Kawiri, Michelo and the Ming’omba streams. Runoff from this area together with tailings water is decanted through the spillway into the Lubengele Stream and ultimately into the Kafue River.

5.1 LUBENGELE TAILINGS DAM

In order to ensure safe operating conditions of the tailings dam, Konkola mine has engaged an independent consultant [Knight Piesold] to conduct periodical assessments. Below is a summary of the status of the dam.



Fig.16: Lubengele Tailings Dam Wall



Fig.17: Lubengele Tailings Dam Beach



Fig.16: Lubengele Tailings Dam Wall



Fig.17: Tailings Discharge Column

5.1.1 Embankment Integrity

a) Stability

The embankment is generally maintained in good order with vegetation well established on most portions of the slope.



Fig.18: Lubengele Tailings Dam Wall



Fig.19: Lubengele Tailings Dam Wall

b) Vegetation

Work towards revegetation of areas of the tailings embankments to reduce on erosion is undertaken on an ongoing basis. The replanting involves a selection of tree and grass species and stock is obtained from local suppliers.



Fig.20: Lubengele Tailings Dam Surrounding



Fig.21: Lubengele Tailings Dam Surrounding

c) Seepage

There are a number of dug wells adjacent to and upstream of the dam. Table 15 below shows the quality of groundwater around the dam. SDH19 and SDS01 are controls.



Fig.22: Lubengele Tailings Dam Borehole



Fig.23: Lubengele Tailings Dam Borehole

d) Access Restrictions to the Dam

The tailings dam is a vast area and therefore no fencing has been provided to restrict access. However, in order to prevent illegal entry by unauthorized persons, appropriate warning signage is displayed at various points around the dam. The perimeter is also under 24Hours surveillance by Mine Security Personnel. Despite all the effort, illegal fishing and washing of clothing is occasionally practiced. Due to the fact that unauthorised fishing from the dam could represent a health risk, fish and water quality from the dam is periodically tested. Sampling of fish and water from the Lubengele Tailings Dam was conducted in the review period.



Fig.24: Lubengele Tailings Dam



Fig.25: Lubengele Tailings Dam

5.1.2 Concentrator Plant Material Balances

Table 19: Concentrator plant material

| Month | Input to Plant | Concentrates Produced | Tailings Disposed at Lubengele Dam (Dump C) | Tailings Used In Backfilling | Balance |
|--------------|----------------|-----------------------|---|------------------------------|--------------|
| January | 63415 | 5267 | 58151 | 0 | -3 |
| February | 72316 | 5819 | 66336 | 0 | 161 |
| March | 67830 | 5040 | 62287 | 0 | 503 |
| April | 95468 | 7736 | 86989 | 0 | 743 |
| May | 78464 | 5182 | 71467 | 0 | 1,815 |
| June | 44564 | 4099 | 40154 | 0 | 311 |
| TOTAL | 358,642 | 27,876 | 327,233 | 0 | 1,303 |

NOTE

1. Unit of measure is tons.
2. The difference in mass balance is mainly due to moisture content



Fig.26: West Backfill Plant



Fig.27: East Backfill Plant

5.1.3 Chemical Analysis of tailings to the Lubengele Tailings Dam

Table 20: Tailings composition

| Month | %Cu | %ASCu | %Co | %Fe | %S | %SiO ₂ |
|----------------|-------------|-------------|--------------|-----------|-----------|-------------------|
| January | 0.38 | 0.16 | 0.030 | RF | RF | RF |
| February | 0.57 | 0.37 | 0.035 | RF | RF | RF |
| March | 0.42 | 0.20 | 0.037 | RF | RF | RF |
| April | 0.64 | 0.28 | 0.041 | RF | RF | RF |
| May | 0.54 | 0.19 | RF | RF | RF | RF |
| June | 0.76 | 0.43 | 0.042 | RF | RF | RF |
| Average | 0.55 | 0.27 | 0.037 | RF | RF | RF |

NOTE

1. Assays done on monthly composite samples
2. RF Means Results to Follow

5.1.4 Quality of Groundwater As Monitored In Wells and Boreholes Around The Dam

Table 21: Groundwater quality (Monthly averages)

| MONTH | Well/Bore hole | pH | Cond | TSS | TDS | TCu | TFe | TMn | TCo | TPb |
|------------------------|----------------|------|------|-----|-----|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| January | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lubengele Tailings Dam | SDH17 | 6.12 | NR | 7 | NR | <0.01 | 0.29 | 0.14 | <0.01 | 0.13 |
| | SDH19 | 6.18 | NR | 14 | NR | <0.01 | 0.26 | 0.21 | <0.01 | 0.23 |
| | KO6 | 6.20 | NR | 11 | NR | <0.01 | 0.22 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.27 |
| | SDS01 | 6.06 | NR | 12 | NR | <0.01 | 0.39 | 0.28 | <0.01 | 0.13 |
| | PPZ | 5.89 | NR | 7 | NR | 0.01 | 0.71 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.15 |
| February | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lubengele Tailings Dam | SDH17 | 4.94 | NR | 10 | NR | <0.01 | 0.76 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.68 |
| | SDH19 | 4.67 | NR | 22 | NR | <0.01 | 0.78 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| | KO6 | 5.94 | NR | 4 | NR | <0.01 | 0.82 | 0.05 | <0.01 | 12.16 |
| | SDS01 | 6.14 | NR | 1 | NR | <0.01 | 0.56 | 0.20 | <0.01 | 11.61 |
| | PPZ | 5.24 | NR | 23 | NR | 0.25 | 2.95 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 8.02 |
| March | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lubengele Tailings Dam | SDH17 | 4.91 | 26 | 4 | 13 | <0.01 | 1.60 | 0.02 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| | SDH19 | 4.68 | 20 | 1 | 10 | <0.01 | 1.63 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| | KO6 | 4.51 | 21 | 1 | 11 | <0.01 | 2.30 | 0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| | SDS01 | 6.43 | 269 | 12 | 148 | <0.01 | 2.14 | 0.01 | <0.01 | 10.53 |
| | PPZ | 4.96 | 435 | 11 | 219 | <0.01 | 1.64 | 0.28 | <0.01 | 6.64 |
| April | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lubengele Tailings Dam | SDH17 | 5.90 | 26 | 3 | 13 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.64 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| | SDH19 | 5.29 | 20 | 11 | 10 | <0.01 | 0.07 | 0.68 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| | KO6 | 4.95 | 30 | 1 | 15 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 1.30 | <0.01 | <0.01 |

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|------------------------|-------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| | SDS01 | 6.55 | 179 | 4 | 90 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 2.69 | <0.01 | 9.62 |
| | PPZ | 5.02 | 437 | 6 | 219 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 1.81 | <0.01 | 1.48 |
| May | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lubengele Tailings Dam | SDH17 | 6.03 | 42 | 4 | 21 | 0.06 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.01 |
| | SDH19 | 5.41 | 23 | 7 | 11 | 0.06 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.01 |
| | KO6 | 5.75 | 116 | 13 | 58 | 0.36 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.01 |
| | SDS01 | 6.41 | 412 | 2 | 205 | <0.01 | 0.17 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 15.42 |
| | PPZ | 5.23 | 419 | 13 | 209 | 0.03 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 3.56 |
| June | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lubengele Tailings Dam | SDH17 | 5.96 | 80 | 6 | 40 | 0.14 | 2.27 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 1.12 |
| | SDH19 | 6.04 | 72 | 10 | 36 | 0.09 | 2.31 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.01 |
| | KO6 | 5.16 | 374 | 24 | 189 | 0.64 | 2.78 | 0.10 | <0.01 | 4.89 |
| | SDS01 | 5.89 | 96 | 8 | 48 | 0.10 | 1.71 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.67 |
| | PPZ | 5.05 | 390 | 2 | 195 | 0.29 | 1.67 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 4.76 |
| Statutory Limit | | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND |

Table 21: Cont.

| MONTH | | TCd | Hg | TAs | TCa | TMg | DSO ₄ | BOD | COD | DO ₂ |
|------------------------|--------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|------------------|------|-------|-----------------|
| January | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lubengele Tailings Dam | SDS 1 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 55.81 | 5.02 | NR | 16.0 | 28.4 | 5.6 |
| | SDH 17 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 62.43 | 6.86 | NR | 5.6 | 12.2 | 6.2 |
| | SDH 19 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 63.74 | 5.08 | NR | 4.0 | 7.2 | 6.4 |
| | KO 6 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 61.02 | 4.39 | NR | 6.6 | 15.2 | 6.3 |
| | PPZ | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 44.51 | <0.01 | NR | 6.40 | 12.6 | 6.0 |
| February | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lubengele Tailings Dam | SDS 1 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 9.57 | 11.61 | 73.67 | 6.0 | 4.2 | 11.3 |
| | SDH 17 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.68 | 27.58 | 10.0 | 16.4 | 6.2 |
| | SDH 19 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 29.22 | 8.0 | 13.2 | 5.0 |
| | KO 6 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 3.66 | 12.16 | 104.95 | 12.0 | 14.3 | 5.4 |
| | PPZ | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 5.61 | 8.02 | 73.26 | 11.0 | 5.4 | 23.0 |
| March | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lubengele Tailings Dam | SDS 1 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 10.53 | 105.36 | 3.6 | 2.43 | 6.8 |
| | SDH 17 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 81.08 | 7.3 | 11.2 | 6.8 |
| | SDH 19 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 74.49 | 7.6 | 12.8 | 6.9 |
| | KO 6 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 32.51 | 4.5 | 7.5 | 7.2 |
| | PPZ | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 6.64 | 48.15 | 2.0 | 5.3 | 7.4 |
| April | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lubengele Tailings Dam | SDS 1 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 38.90 | 9.62 | NR | 4.00 | 8.8 | 7.8 |
| | SDH 17 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 25.15 | <0.01 | NR | 4.30 | 9.36 | 7.0 |
| | SDH 19 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 24.85 | <0.01 | NR | 5.00 | 10.02 | 7.1 |
| | KO 6 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 25.76 | <0.01 | NR | 4.20 | 11.3 | 7.8 |

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|------------------------|--------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| | PPZ | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 29.29 | 1.48 | NR | 18.00 | 33.21 | 3.3 |
| May | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lubengele Tailings Dam | SDS 1 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 40.92 | 15.42 | NR | 9.2 | 27.1 | 7.1 |
| | SDH 17 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 14.38 | 0.01 | NR | 8.30 | 27.2 | 7.4 |
| | SDH 19 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 14.34 | 0.01 | NR | 8.10 | 27.3 | 7.6 |
| | KO 6 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 34.99 | 0.01 | NR | 9.40 | 23.6 | 7.2 |
| | PPZ | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 17.12 | 3.56 | NR | 9.20 | 26.9 | 7.1 |
| June | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lubengele Tailings Dam | SDS 1 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.01 | 0.67 | NR | 8.3 | 3.2 | 5.2 |
| | SDH 17 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.01 | 1.12 | NR | 8.2 | 2.9 | 5.6 |
| | SDH 19 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.01 | 0.01 | NR | 7.3 | 2.3 | 5.1 |
| | KO 6 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.01 | 4.89 | NR | 7.4 | 3.0 | 2.9 |
| | PPZ | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.01 | 4.76 | NR | 12.4 | 2.7 | 5.2 |
| Statutory Limit | | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND |

Table 21: Cont.

| MONTH | | NO ₄ | NO ₃ | NH ₄ | PO ₄ | Cl | Ur | Tem | Turb | Color |
|------------------------|-------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-------|-------|------|------|-------|
| January | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lubengele Tailings Dam | SDH17 | <0.01 | 0.33 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 27.36 | <0.01 | 21.5 | 1.80 | 0.53 |
| | SDH19 | <0.01 | 0.21 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 4.58 | <0.01 | 21.5 | 2.11 | 0.78 |
| | KO6 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 3.11 | <0.01 | 21.6 | 1.77 | 0.50 |
| | SDS01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 4.87 | <0.01 | 21.5 | 5.68 | 0.51 |
| | PPZ | <0.01 | 0.46 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 11.06 | <0.01 | 21.5 | 7.83 | 0.22 |
| February | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lubengele Tailings Dam | SDH17 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.34 | <0.01 | 27.06 | <0.01 | 26.5 | 1.74 | 0.77 |
| | SDH19 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 2.23 | <0.01 | 26.4 | 1.26 | 0.53 |
| | KO6 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 2.21 | <0.01 | 26.4 | 1.47 | 0.59 |
| | SDS01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.23 | <0.01 | 28.43 | <0.01 | 26.7 | 1.39 | 0.56 |
| | PPZ | <0.01 | <0.039 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 15.04 | <0.01 | 26.6 | 3.89 | 0.13 |
| March | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lubengele Tailings Dam | SDH17 | <0.01 | 0.36 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 26.3 | <0.01 | 22.2 | 7.48 | 0.84 |
| | SDH19 | <0.01 | 0.33 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 2.61 | <0.01 | 22.2 | 5.78 | 0.44 |
| | KO6 | <0.01 | 0.29 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 2.48 | <0.01 | 22.2 | 6.13 | 0.36 |
| | SDS01 | <0.01 | 0.27 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 5.53 | <0.01 | 22.2 | 5.88 | 0.33 |
| | PPZ | <0.01 | 2.33 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 12.26 | <0.01 | 22.3 | 6.46 | 1.1 |
| April | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lubengele Tailings Dam | SDH17 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 4.33 | <0.01 | 21.4 | 2.23 | 0.48 |
| | SDH19 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 3.64 | <0.01 | 21.4 | 3.21 | 0.73 |
| | KO6 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 6.38 | <0.01 | 21.5 | 2.51 | 1368 |
| | SDS01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 27.1 | <0.01 | 21.3 | 13.8 | 1.51 |
| | PPZ | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 15.03 | <0.01 | 21.6 | 4.13 | 0.89 |

| | | | | | | | | | | |
|------------------------|-------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| May | | | | | | | | | | |
| Lubengele Tailings Dam | SDH17 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 4.36 | <0.01 | 22.6 | 1.28 | 1.00 |
| | SDH19 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 3.69 | <0.01 | 22.5 | 0.23 | 1.13 |
| | KO6 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 6.68 | <0.01 | 22.4 | 0.26 | 1.21 |
| | SDS01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 32.1 | <0.01 | 22.6 | 0.22 | 1.11 |
| | PPZ | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 13.67 | <0.01 | 22.9 | 0.28 | 1.13 |
| June | 1.07 | 1.18 | 1.27 | 1.31 | | | | | | |
| Lubengele Tailings Dam | SDH17 | <0.01 | 0.11 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 4.56 | <0.01 | 22.4 | 2.88 | 1.07 |
| | SDH19 | <0.01 | 0.06 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 3.49 | <0.01 | 22.2 | 2.56 | 1.18 |
| | KO6 | <0.01 | 1.87 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 6.88 | <0.01 | 23.2 | 1.61 | 1.27 |
| | SDS01 | <0.01 | 0.06 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 30.2 | <0.01 | 22.4 | 3.29 | 1.31 |
| | PPZ | <0.01 | 1.85 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 12.62 | <0.01 | 22.3 | 2.08 | 1.33 |
| Statutory Limit | | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND |

NOTE

- ND means not defined

Lubengele Tailings Dam fish toxicological tests

- Fish and water from the tailings dam was sampled on 20th June 2022. Awaiting analysis and results from university of Zambia School of Agriculture Laboratory. Results to be submitted to ZEMA on or before 31st July 2023.

5.2 LUBENGELE TAILINGS PIPELINE

5.2.1 Physical State

- The tailings pipeline is a 300 mm diameter, 8.4 km long rubber lined steel pipeline which delivers tailings from the process plant for disposal in the tailings facility. The pipeline was newly installed with a 25 year guarantee. A second tailings pipeline is available for use during maintenance of the main pipeline.



Fig.28: Lubengele Tailings Pipeline



Fig.29: Lubengele Tailings Pipeline

5.2.2 Accidental Spillage/Leakage

Daily monitoring of the pipeline is undertaken to ensure that any spillages are identified and dealt with quickly. Visual inspections of the entire length of the tailings delivery line are undertaken by the Dam Operator of the Concentrator Department. Any spillages detected are immediately reported to the Plant Manager who ensures that the following actions are undertaken:

- The tailings delivery is switched into the second pipeline, and the damage to the main pipeline is repaired. Once the repairs are complete, use of the main pipeline resumes
- A clean-up team is dispatched immediately once the spillage has been reported. Spilled tailings are returned to the tailings facility
- Monthly inspections to check for deterioration of the pipeline (e.g. corrosion) are undertaken

No instances of spillages/leaks from the pipeline were recorded in the reporting period.

5.3 WASTE ROCK DUMPS

Monitoring of the waste rock dumps is undertaken on an ongoing basis regarding volumes of waste rock disposed on the dumps and visual inspection for sign of instability and/or erosion.



Fig.30: Waste Rock Dump A



Fig.31: Waste Rock Dump B

5.3.1 Dump Integrity

a) Stability

The dumps are generally well maintained. Both dumps are currently being reclaimed for building/construction material. Slopes are stable and top surfaces well maintained. Tension cracks are filled as they appear.



Fig.32: Waste Rock Dump A



Fig.33: Waste Rock Dump B

b) Vegetation

There is no vegetation on the dump. The surrounding areas are however well vegetated with no evidence of negative effects arising from erosion.



Fig.34: Waste Rock Dump A



Fig.35: Waste Rock Dump B

c) Seepage

There are two monitoring boreholes on each waste rock dump to monitor the quality of groundwater to ascertain whether our operations are impacting on the groundwater resources. Monitoring results are presented in Table 20 above. WDA 1 and WDB 1 are controls.



Fig.36: Waste Rock Dump A Borehole



Fig.37: Waste Rock Dump B Borehole

Table 23: Groundwater quality – Waste Rock Dump A and B

| MONTH | Well/Bore hole | pH | Cond | TSS | TDS | TCu | TFe | TMn | TCo | TPb |
|-------------------|----------------|------|------|-----|-----|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| January | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waste Rock Dump A | WDA01 | 5.58 | " | 19 | " | 0.14 | 0.36 | 0.16 | <0.01 | 0.06 |
| | WDA02 | 6.03 | " | 6 | " | <0.01 | 0.44 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| Waste Rock Dump B | WDB01 | 5.44 | " | 5 | " | 0.01 | 0.40 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| | WDB02 | 5.76 | " | 10 | " | <0.01 | 0.40 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.13 |
| February | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waste Rock Dump A | WDA01 | 6.75 | " | 3 | " | <0.01 | 0.58 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| | WDA02 | 6.62 | " | 6 | " | <0.01 | 0.62 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| Waste Rock Dump B | WDB01 | 5.56 | " | 11 | " | <0.01 | 1.34 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| | WDB02 | 5.45 | " | 3 | " | <0.01 | 1.10 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| March | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waste Rock Dump A | WDA01 | 5.39 | 437 | 10 | 219 | 0.16 | 3.72 | 0.15 | <0.01 | 0.18 |
| | WDA02 | 6.39 | 364 | 2 | 182 | 0.23 | 4.31 | 0.19 | <0.01 | 0.24 |
| Waste Rock Dump B | WDB01 | 6.29 | 242 | 2 | 121 | <0.01 | 3.16 | 0.16 | <0.01 | 0.18 |
| | WDB02 | 6.26 | 243 | 13 | 122 | <0.01 | 2.43 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.18 |
| April | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waste Rock Dump A | WDA01 | 6.72 | 277 | 20 | 137 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 1.91 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| | WDA02 | 6.59 | 143 | 19 | 71 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.82 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| Waste Rock Dump B | WDB01 | 6.57 | 184 | 17 | 92 | <0.01 | 0.86 | 1.81 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| | WDB02 | 6.56 | 217 | 15 | 109 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.94 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| May | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waste Rock Dump A | WDA01 | 6.06 | 416 | 7 | 206 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.01 | <0.01 |
| | WDA02 | 6.23 | 407 | 9 | 203 | <0.01 | 0.04 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| Waste Rock Dump B | WDB01 | 6.47 | 340 | 5 | 170 | <0.01 | 0.22 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 |
| | WDB02 | 6.54 | 336 | 3 | 169 | 0.14 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 |

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|------------------------|-------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| June | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waste Rock Dump A | WDA01 | 6.55 | 235 | 2 | 117 | <0.01 | 1.18 | <0.01 | 0.05 | <0.01 |
| | WDA02 | 6.57 | 81 | 8 | 41 | <0.01 | 1.67 | <0.01 | 0.01 | <0.01 |
| Waste Rock Dump B | WDB01 | 5.51 | 374 | 2 | 189 | 0.06 | 1.08 | <0.01 | 0.01 | <0.01 |
| | WDB02 | 5.36 | 390 | 3 | 195 | 0.07 | 1.07 | <0.01 | 0.01 | <0.01 |
| Statutory Limit | | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND |

Table 23: Cont.

| MONTH | | TCd | Hg | TAs | TCa | TMg | DSO₄ | BOD | COD | DO₂ |
|------------------------|-------|------------|-----------|------------|------------|------------|------------------------|------------|------------|-----------------------|
| January | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waste Rock Dump A | WDA01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 27.31 | <0.01 | NR | 8.4 | 12.8 | 6.4 |
| | WDA02 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 27.29 | <0.01 | NR | 8.8 | 14.7 | 6.0 |
| Waste Rock Dump B | WDB01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 33.38 | 1.96 | NR | 44.2 | 82.1 | 2.8 |
| | WDB02 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 36.89 | <0.01 | NR | 8.0 | 13.7 | 6.3 |
| February | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waste Rock Dump A | WDA01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 6.59 | 9.82 | 74.91 | 4.0 | 7.8 | 7.2 |
| | WDA02 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 10.33 | 46.92 | 7.6 | 12.3 | 6.6 |
| Waste Rock Dump B | WDB01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 8.28 | 54.33 | 6.0 | 10.37 | 6.6 |
| | WDB02 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 7.83 | 21.40 | 10.0 | 12.4 | 6.8 |
| March | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waste Rock Dump A | WDA01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.22 | 9.78 | 86.43 | 8.0 | 5.40 | 7.5 |
| | WDA02 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 28.55 | 12.65 | 153.5 | 4.30 | 5.6 | 7.6 |
| Waste Rock Dump B | WDB01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 5.50 | 6.75 | 112.3 | 5.60 | 9.0 | 6.6 |
| | WDB02 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 2.82 | 86.43 | 4.40 | 15.0 | 7.4 |
| April | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waste Rock Dump A | WDA01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 38.34 | 7.69 | NR | 4.2 | 12.2 | 7.3 |
| | WDA02 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 39.96 | 9.07 | NR | 6.2 | 24.4 | 6.6 |
| Waste Rock Dump B | WDB01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 38.19 | 7.91 | NR | 4.8 | 14.4 | 7.2 |
| | WDB02 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 35.45 | 7.68 | NR | 4.01 | 28 | 7.7 |
| May | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waste Rock Dump A | WDA01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 17.95 | 7.47 | NR | 8.9 | 24.2 | 7.8 |
| | WDA02 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 40.28 | 15.35 | NR | 9.4 | 25.3 | 7.2 |
| Waste Rock Dump B | WDB01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 33.58 | 10.43 | NR | 9.8 | 24.9 | 7.8 |
| | WDB02 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 32.18 | 10.01 | NR | 9.6 | 26.1 | 7.7 |
| June | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waste Rock Dump A | WDA01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.01 | 2.46 | NR | 6.3 | 2.5 | 3.6 |
| | WDA02 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.01 | 0.04 | NR | 7.6 | 2.7 | 5.8 |
| Waste Rock Dump B | WDB01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.01 | 3.89 | NR | 12.3 | 3.3 | 3.9 |
| | WDB02 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.01 | 4.35 | NR | 14.6 | 1.6 | 3.5 |
| Statutory Limit | | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND |

Table 23: Cont.

| MONTH | | NO ₄ | NO ₃ | NH ₄ | PO ₄ | Cl | Ur | Temp | Turb | Color |
|------------------------|-------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| January | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waste Rock Dump A | WDA01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 13.4 | <0.01 | 21.5 | 7.96 | 1.27 |
| | WDA02 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 30.12 | <0.01 | 21.6 | 7.58 | 0.78 |
| Waste Rock Dump B | WDB01 | <0.01 | 0.03 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 36.22 | <0.01 | 21.6 | 7.41 | 0.54 |
| | WDB02 | <0.01 | 0.02 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 37.26 | <0.01 | 21.6 | 3.16 | 0.52 |
| February | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waste Rock Dump A | WDA01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 13.22 | <0.01 | 26.6 | 2.55 | 0.94 |
| | WDA02 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 12.87 | <0.01 | 26.4 | 2.47 | 1.06 |
| Waste Rock Dump B | WDB01 | <0.01 | 0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 14.63 | <0.01 | 26.7 | 1.49 | 0.68 |
| | WDB02 | <0.01 | 0.02 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 14.02 | <0.01 | 26.6 | 2.05 | 1.11 |
| March | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waste Rock Dump A | WDA01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.2 | <0.01 | 5.42 | <0.01 | 22.1 | 6.16 | 0.74 |
| | WDA02 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 0.18 | <0.01 | 3.82 | <0.01 | 22.2 | 7.62 | 1.0 |
| Waste Rock Dump B | WDB01 | <0.01 | 0.03 | 0.23 | <0.01 | 6.74 | <0.01 | 22.2 | 7.37 | 1.01 |
| | WDB02 | <0.01 | 0.02 | 0.23 | <0.01 | 6.92 | <0.01 | 22.2 | 0.00 | 0.84 |
| April | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waste Rock Dump A | WDA01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 13.3 | <0.01 | 21.4 | 11.5 | 1.42 |
| | WDA02 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 8.63 | <0.01 | 21.5 | 10.2 | 1.17 |
| Waste Rock Dump B | WDB01 | <0.01 | 0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 9.68 | <0.01 | 21.5 | 11.0 | 2.12 |
| | WDB02 | <0.01 | 0.02 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 8.67 | <0.01 | 21.5 | 3.0 | 0.84 |
| May | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waste Rock Dump A | WDA01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 11.3 | <0.01 | 26.70 | 1.17 | 1.42 |
| | WDA02 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 8.67 | <0.01 | 26.20 | 0.28 | 1.07 |
| Waste Rock Dump B | WDB01 | <0.01 | 0.01 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 9.63 | <0.01 | 24.00 | 0.37 | 2.56 |
| | WDB02 | <0.01 | 0.02 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 9.71 | <0.01 | 23.70 | 0.24 | 1.84 |
| June | | | | | | | | | | |
| Waste Rock Dump A | WDA01 | <0.01 | 1.85 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 13.1 | <0.01 | 18.70 | 2.42 | 1.48 |
| | WDA02 | <0.01 | 0.11 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 8.37 | <0.01 | 18.70 | 3.21 | 1.17 |
| Waste Rock Dump B | WDB01 | <0.01 | 1.89 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 9.23 | <0.01 | 18.70 | 1.97 | 2.36 |
| | WDB02 | <0.01 | 1.88 | <0.01 | <0.01 | 13.1 | <0.01 | 18.80 | 2.34 | 1.64 |
| Statutory Limit | | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND | ND |

NOTE

- ND mean not defined.

d) Access Restrictions to the Dumps

In order to prevent illegal entry by unauthorized persons, appropriate warning signage is displayed at various points around the dumps. Table 16 below details the quantities of waste rock generated and disposed at licensed Dumps A and B.



Fig.38: Waste Rock Dump A



Fig.39: Waste Rock Dump B

5.3.2 Quantities Disposed and Reclaimed

Both A and B Dumps continue to be reclaimed for production of aggregate for construction. Currently A is being reclaimed by Crushteck and Sensele while B is not being reclaimed.

Table 24: Waste rock

| Month | Dump A | | Dump B | |
|--------------|--------------|---------------|--------------|--------------|
| | Dumped | Reclaimed | Dumped | Reclaimed |
| January | 14370 | 13776 | 1242 | 0 |
| February | 17280 | 38864 | 4151 | 0 |
| March | 16680 | 54368 | 4206 | 0 |
| April | 13680 | 45096 | 957 | 20440 |
| May | 30780 | 37744 | 4842 | 7205 |
| June | 4470 | 49056 | 7317 | 7800 |
| TOTAL | 97260 | 238904 | 22715 | 35445 |

NOTE

- Unit of measure is tons.
- At 1 & 4 Shafts, all waste rock generated from the mining is taken to Waste Rock Dump A.
- At 3 Shaft, waste rock from Konkola Extension & Konkola Flats Mining Blocks is used for backfilling in the Post Pillar Cut and Fill method of mining whilst waste from Konkola East Mining Block is taken to the Waste Rock Dump B.

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6. OZONE DEPLETING SUBSTANCES LICENCE

At Konkola Mine, ozone depleting substances are used in refrigeration and air conditioning equipment in office buildings, vehicles and at the hospital mortuary.

6.1 HANDLING AND STORAGE OF OZONE DEPLETING SUBSTANCES

Whenever an ODS using unit is being decommissioned or serviced, refrigerants are recovered. During the recovery process, refrigerants are transferred into a cylinder that is empty or that contains the same type of refrigerant. This is always carried out in ways that ensure ODS do not leak into the atmosphere. Only competent personnel are responsible for handling, storage, transportation and disposal of contaminated refrigerants. Tools are available to identify potential leakage points of refrigeration and air conditioning equipment. Hazard and safe working practices for installation, commissioning and handling of refrigerants are also in place. Table 25 below provides a summary of the status and usage of ODS at Konkola Mine.

Table 25: Ozone depleting substances

| Month | Ozone depleting substance | Quantity | Ozone Depleting Potential** | CFC Equivalent for the quarter | Sources of emission/area of usage |
|--------------|----------------------------------|-----------------|------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|--|
| January | R-12 | nil | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R-22 | 1.2kg | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R-134a | 0.7kg | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R404 | nil | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R410 | 4kg | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R-407c | nil | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| February | R-12 | nil | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R-22 | 2kg | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R-134a | nil | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R404 | nil | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R410 | 1kg | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R-407c | nil | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| March | R-12 | nil | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R-22 | 2.6kg | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R-134a | 0.9kg | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |


| | | | | | |
|--------------|--------|---------------|--|--|------------------------------------|
| | R404 | nil | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R410 | 2.3kg | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R-407c | nil | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| April | R-12 | nil | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R-22 | 1.3kg | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R-134a | 0.5kg | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R404 | nil | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R410 | 1.1kg | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R-407c | nil | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R-12 | nil | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R-22 | 1.4kg | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| May | R-134a | nil | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R404 | nil | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R410 | 1.2kg | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R-407c | nil | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R-12 | nil | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R-22 | 2kg | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| June | R-134a | nil | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R404 | nil | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R410 | 1kg | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| | R-407c | nil | | | Air Conditioners and Refrigeration |
| Total | | 46.6kg | | | |

NOTE

- Unit of measure is in Kgs.



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