## Preliminary Report of Accident

**PR001 11/07/2019**

### 1. Accident Type
- **F** - Fatal Injury

### 2. Accident Classification
- 12 - Powered Haulage

### 3. Date/Time of Accident
- 11/05/2019 9:35 AM

### 4. Date/Time of Death
- 11/05/2019 9:35 AM

### 5. Fatal Case No
- 21

### 6. Mine Information
- **a) Mining Company Name:** ArcelorMittal Minorca Mine Inc
- **b) Mine Name:** ArcelorMittal Minorca Mine Inc
- **c) Parent of Mining Company:** ArcelorMittal USA LLC

### 7. Mine Location Information
- **a) City:** VIRGINIA
- **b) County:** St Louis
- **c) State:** MN

### 8. Mine ID Number
- 21-02449

### 9. Union
- Yes

### 10. Primary Mineral Mined
- Iron Ore, N.E.C.

### 11. Number of Employees
- **a) Total:** 353
- **b) Underground:** 127
- **c) Open Pit/Quarry:** 226

### 12. Contractor Name

### 13. Contractor Union

### 14. Contractor ID Number

### 15. Contractor Address
- **a) City:**
- **b) County:**
- **c) State:**
- **d) Zip Code:**

### 16. Number of Contractor Employees
- **a) Total:**
- **b) Underground:**
- **c) Open Pit/Quarry:**
- **d) Mill/Prep Plant:**
- **e) Other:**

### 17. Number of Persons in Mine at Time of Accident
- **a) Mine Employees:** 178
- **b) Contractor Employees:**

### 18. Number of Persons Unaccounted for
- **a) Mine Employees:**
- **b) Contractor Employees:**

### 19. Accident Location
- 03 - Open Pit

### 20. Mining Height
- Feet

### 21. Nonfatal Injuries
- 2

### 22. Fatal Injuries
- 1

### 23. Victims Information

<table>
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<tr>
<th>Kenneth L. Mattson</th>
<th><strong>First Name:</strong></th>
<th><strong>Last Name:</strong></th>
<th><strong>MI:</strong></th>
<th><strong>Age:</strong></th>
<th><strong>Regular Job Title:</strong></th>
<th><strong>Activity at Time of Accident:</strong></th>
<th><strong>Employee:</strong></th>
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<tr>
<td></td>
<td>Kenneth</td>
<td>Mattson</td>
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<td>51</td>
<td>Mobile Maintenance</td>
<td>Driving maintenance vehicle</td>
<td>Mine Employee</td>
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### 24. Mining Experience
- **a) Total Experience:** 15 Years 26 Weeks Days
- **b) Experience at the Mine:** 15 Years 26 Weeks Days
- **c) Experience at the Activity at the Time of the Accident:** 13 Years 51 Weeks Days
- **d) Experience with Contractor:** 0 Years 0 Weeks 0 Days

### 25. Autopsy Performed
- Yes, Location
- Ramsey County, Minnesota

### 26. Mine Telephone No.
- (218) 749-5910

### 27. Description of Accident (include equipment involved, the exact location in the mine, and status and recovery operations)

A mobile maintenance mechanic was traveling east on the pit haulage road when the service truck he was operating left the roadway, contacted a berm and flipped onto its side. The victim was ejected from the cab of the vehicle.

**The information provided in this notice is based on preliminary data ONLY and does not represent final determination regarding the nature of the incident or conclusions regarding the cause of the accident.**

### 28. Equipment Manufacturer
- Freightliner

### 29. Model
- M2 Business Class

### 30. District
- M4000 - North Central District - Duluth

### 31. Field Office
- M4661 - Hibbing MN Field Office

### 32. Event Number
- 6747432

### 33. Accident Investigator
- **First Name:** Duane
- **Last Name:** Hongisto

### 34. MSHA Person Notified
- **First Name:** Richard
- **Last Name:** Boeckermann

### 35. Date/Time Notified
- 11/05/2019 9:49 AM

### 36. Type of Report
- Initial

### 37. Name of Preparer
- Gerald D Holeman

### 38. Date Prepared
- 11/07/2019

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