# **Section 1. Registration Information**

#### Source Identification

Facility Name: US Magnesium LLC Parent Company #1 Name: The Renco Group Inc.

Submission Type: Resubmission Receipt Date: April 2020

Facility Identification

Facility ID: 1000 0014 6683

**Dun and Bradstreet Numbers (DUNS)** 

Facility DUNS: 113405435

**Facility Location Address** 

Street 1: 15 Miles North of Exit 77 on I-80

Street 2: 12819 N Skull Valley Rd

 City:
 Rowley

 State:
 UT

 ZIP:
 84029

 ZIP4:
 N/A

 County:
 Tooele

Facility Latitude and Longitude

Latitude (decimal): 40.914167 Longitude (decimal): -112.731944

Local Emergency Planning Committee and Regulations

LEPC: Tooele County LEPC

OSHA PSM: Yes
EPCRA 302: Yes
CAA Title V: Yes

#### **Process Chemicals**

Program Level: Program Level 3 process

Chemical Name: Titanium tetrachloride [Titanium

chloride (TiCl4) (T-4)-]

CAS Number: 7550-45-0 Flammable/Toxic: Toxic

Program Level: Program Level 3 process

Chemical Name: Chlorine
CAS Number: 7782-50-5
Flammable/Toxic: Toxic

## **Process NAICS**

NAICS Code: 33141

NAICS Description: Nonferrous Metal (except Aluminum)

**Smelting and Refining** 

# **Section 6. Accident History**

# Accident History ID: Accident 1

Date of Accident: January 2020

Time Accident Began (HH:MM): 22:30
NAICS Code of Process Involved: 33141

NAICS Description: Nonferrous Metal (except Aluminum)

Smelting and Refining

Release Duration: 000 Hours 03 Minutes

#### Release Event

Gas Release: Yes
Liquid Spill/Evaporation: N/A
Fire: N/A
Explosion: N/A
Uncontrolled/Runaway Reaction: N/A

### Release Source

N/A Storage Vessel: N/A Piping: Process Vessel: Yes Transfer Hose: N/A Valve: N/A N/A Pump: Joint: N/A Other Release Source: N/A

## Weather Conditions at the Time of Event

Wind Speed: 0.1
Units: Miles/h
Direction: NW
Temperature: 30
Atmospheric Stability Class: N/A
Precipitation Present: N/A
Unknown Weather Conditions: N/A

## On-Site Impacts

Employee or Contractor Deaths: 0
Public Responder Deaths: 0
Public Deaths: 0
Employee or Contractor Injuries: 1
Public Responder Injuries: 0
Public Injuries: 0
On-Site Property Damage (\$): 0

# **Known Off-Site Impacts**

Deaths: 0
Hospitalizations: 0
Public Deaths: 0
Other Medical Treatments: 0
Evacuated: 0
Sheltered-in-Place: 0
Off-Site Property Damage (\$): 0

**Environmental Damage** 

Fish or Animal Kills:

Tree, Lawn, Shrub, or Crop Damage:

N/A

Water Contamination:

N/A

Soil Contamination:

N/A

Other Environmental Damage:

N/A

**Initiating Event** 

Initiating Event: Equipment Failure

Contributing Factors

**Equipment Failure:** N/A Human Error: N/A Improper Procedures: N/A Overpressurization: N/A **Upset Condition:** N/A N/A By-Pass Condition: Maintenance Activity/Inactivity: N/A Process Design Failure: N/A Unsuitable Equipment: N/A **Unusual Weather Condition:** N/A Management Error: N/A

Other Contributing Factor: Lack of vacuum on system

Off-Site Responders Notified

Off-Site Responders Notified: No, not notified

Changes Introduced as a Result of the Accident

Improved or Upgraded Equipment: N/A N/A Revised Maintenance: Revised Training: Yes **Revised Operating Procedures:** Yes **New Process Controls:** N/A N/A New Mitigation Systems: Revised Emergency Response Plan: N/A Changed Process: N/A N/A Reduced Inventory: N/A

Other Changes Introduced: Repaired the bad valve identified as the

release point

# Chemicals in Accident History

Quantity Released (lbs):10Percent Weight:100Chemical Name:ChlorineCAS Number:7782-50-5Flammable/Toxic:Toxic

# Accident History ID: Accident 2

Date of Accident: January 2017

Time Accident Began (HH:MM): 23:35
NAICS Code of Process Involved: 33141

NAICS Description: Nonferrous Metal (except Aluminum)

Smelting and Refining

Release Duration: 000 Hours 01 Minutes

#### Release Event

Gas Release:YesLiquid Spill/Evaporation:N/AFire:N/AExplosion:N/AUncontrolled/Runaway Reaction:N/A

## Release Source

 Storage Vessel:
 N/A

 Piping:
 N/A

 Process Vessel:
 N/A

 Transfer Hose:
 N/A

 Valve:
 N/A

 Pump:
 N/A

 Joint:
 N/A

Other Release Source: #2 cathode fan

#### Weather Conditions at the Time of Event

Wind Speed: 0.1
Units: Miles/h
Direction: ENE
Temperature: 5
Atmospheric Stability Class: N/A
Precipitation Present: N/A
Unknown Weather Conditions: N/A

# **On-Site Impacts**

Employee or Contractor Deaths: 0
Public Responder Deaths: 0
Public Deaths: 0
Employee or Contractor Injuries: 1
Public Responder Injuries: 0
Public Injuries: 0
On-Site Property Damage (\$): 0

# **Known Off-Site Impacts**

Deaths: 0
Hospitalizations: 0
Public Deaths: 0
Other Medical Treatments: 0
Evacuated: 0
Sheltered-in-Place: 0
Off-Site Property Damage (\$): 0

# **Environmental Damage**

Fish or Animal Kills:

Tree, Lawn, Shrub, or Crop Damage:

N/A

Water Contamination:

N/A

Soil Contamination:

N/A

Other Environmental Damage:

N/A

# **Initiating Event**

Initiating Event:

**Equipment Failure** 

# **Contributing Factors**

**Equipment Failure:** N/A Human Error: Yes Improper Procedures: N/A N/A Overpressurization: **Upset Condition:** N/A By-Pass Condition: N/A Maintenance Activity/Inactivity: Yes Process Design Failure: N/A Unsuitable Equipment: N/A **Unusual Weather Condition:** N/A Management Error: N/A Other Contributing Factor: N/A

# Off-Site Responders Notified

Off-Site Responders Notified: No, not notified

# Changes Introduced as a Result of the Accident

Improved or Upgraded Equipment: N/A Yes Revised Maintenance: Revised Training: N/A **Revised Operating Procedures:** N/A New Process Controls: N/A New Mitigation Systems: N/A Revised Emergency Response Plan: N/A **Changed Process:** N/A Reduced Inventory: N/A N/A None: Other Changes Introduced: N/A

### Chemicals in Accident History

Quantity Released (lbs):5Percent Weight:100Chemical Name:ChlorineCAS Number:7782-50-5Flammable/Toxic:Toxic

# Accident History ID: Accident 3

Date of Accident: October 2016

Time Accident Began (HH:MM): 01:00
NAICS Code of Process Involved: 33141

NAICS Description: Nonferrous Metal (except Aluminum)

Smelting and Refining

Release Duration: 000 Hours 03 Minutes

## Release Event

Gas Release:YesLiquid Spill/Evaporation:N/AFire:N/AExplosion:N/AUncontrolled/Runaway Reaction:N/A

#### Release Source

Storage Vessel: N/A Piping: N/A Process Vessel: Yes Transfer Hose: N/A Valve: N/A Pump: N/A Joint: N/A Other Release Source: N/A

### Weather Conditions at the Time of Event

Wind Speed: 8.0
Units: Miles/h
Direction: NNE
Temperature: 70
Atmospheric Stability Class: N/A
Precipitation Present: N/A
Unknown Weather Conditions: N/A

### **On-Site Impacts**

Employee or Contractor Deaths: 0
Public Responder Deaths: 0
Public Deaths: 0
Employee or Contractor Injuries: 1
Public Responder Injuries: 0
Public Injuries: 0
On-Site Property Damage (\$): 0

# **Known Off-Site Impacts**

Deaths: 0
Hospitalizations: 0
Public Deaths: 0
Other Medical Treatments: 0
Evacuated: 0
Sheltered-in-Place: 0
Off-Site Property Damage (\$): 0

# **Environmental Damage**

Fish or Animal Kills:

Tree, Lawn, Shrub, or Crop Damage:

N/A

Water Contamination:

N/A

Soil Contamination:

N/A

Other Environmental Damage:

N/A

# **Initiating Event**

Initiating Event:

**Equipment Failure** 

# **Contributing Factors**

**Equipment Failure:** Yes N/A Human Error: Improper Procedures: N/A Yes Overpressurization: **Upset Condition:** N/A By-Pass Condition: N/A Maintenance Activity/Inactivity: N/A Process Design Failure: N/A Unsuitable Equipment: N/A **Unusual Weather Condition:** N/A Management Error: N/A Other Contributing Factor: N/A

# Off-Site Responders Notified

Off-Site Responders Notified: No, not notified

# Changes Introduced as a Result of the Accident

Improved or Upgraded Equipment: N/A N/A Revised Maintenance: Revised Training: Yes **Revised Operating Procedures:** Yes New Process Controls: N/A New Mitigation Systems: N/A Revised Emergency Response Plan: N/A **Changed Process:** N/A Reduced Inventory: N/A N/A None: Other Changes Introduced: N/A

### Chemicals in Accident History

Quantity Released (lbs):5Percent Weight:99Chemical Name:ChlorineCAS Number:7782-50-5Flammable/Toxic:Toxic

# **Section 9. Emergency Response**

## Written Emergency Response (ER) Plan

Community Plan (Is facility included in written community emergency response plan?):

Yes

Facility Plan (Does facility have its own written emergency response plan?):

Yes

Response Actions (Does ER plan include specific actions to be taken in response to accidental releases of regulated substance(s)?):

Yes

Public Information (Does ER plan include procedures for informing the public and local agencies responding to accidental release?):

Yes

Healthcare (Does facility's ER plan include information on emergency health care?):

Yes

# **Local Agency**

Agency Name (Name of local agency with which the facility ER plan or response activities are coordinated):

Tooele County LEPC

Agency Phone Number (Phone number of local agency with which the facility ER plan or response activities are coordinated):

(435) 882-5600