



**MOJAVE DESERT AIR QUALITY MANAGEMENT DISTRICT**

14306 Park Avenue Victorville, CA 92392-2310  
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**PERMIT TO OPERATE**

B000709

Operation under this permit must be conducted in compliance with all information included with the initial application, initial permit condition, and conditions contained herein. The equipment must be maintained and kept in good operating condition at all times. This Permit to Operate or copy must be posted on or within 8 meters of equipment. If a copy is posted, the original must be maintained on site, available for inspection at all times.

**EXPIRES LAST DAY OF: DECEMBER 2026**

**OWNER OF OPERATOR (Co. #629)**

Specialty Minerals, Inc  
 6565 Meridian Road  
 Lucerne Valley, CA 92356

**EQUIPMENT LOCATION (Fac. #262)**

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**Description:**

METSTONE LOADOUT, RR AND TRUCK SYSTEM consisting of:

**EQUIPMENT**

Capacity	Equipment Description
7	646 KS Fines Stockpile Feeder
10	CBE 48 Fines Belt
1.4	645 KS Coarse Stockpile Feeder
10	CBE 47 Coarse Belt
15	CBE 49 Loadout Belt
0	Railcar Loadout (disabled)
0	Railcar Mover (disabled)
0	Truck Loadout
0	100' Truck Scale
0.5	DCL 72 Dust Return Rotary Lock

Fee Schedule: 1 (b)

Rating: 43.9 bhp

SIC: 1422

SCC: 30510505

Location/UTM(Km):  
 508E/3803N

This permit does not authorize the emission of air contaminants in excess of those allowed by law, including Division 26 of the Health and Safety Code of the State of California and the Rules and Regulations of the District. This permit cannot be construed as permission to violate existing laws, ordinances, statutes or regulations of this or other governmental agencies. This permit must be renewed by the expiration date above. If billing for renewal fee required by Rule 301(c) is not received by expiration date above, please contact the District.

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 Lucerne Valley, CA 92356

By: **COPY**  
 Brad Poiriez  
 Executive Director

**CONDITIONS:**

1. Materials processed by equipment in this permit shall contain sufficient natural and/or added moisture to ensure compliance with District Rules 401 and 403. Sufficient water and equipment in operable condition shall be maintained on-site and used as necessary to ensure compliance with the above-mentioned rules.

[District Rule 1302(B)(1)(a)]

2. This equipment shall operate concurrently with, and shall be vented to, the properly operating baghouse described on and under valid District permit C002396.

[District Rule 1302(B)(1)(a)]

3. A facility wide Comprehensive Emission Inventory (CEI) for all emitted criteria and toxic air pollutants must be submitted to the District, in a format approved by the District, upon District request.

[District Rule 107(b); H&S Code 39607 & 44341-44342; and 40 CFR 51, Subpart A]