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 DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
 U.S. GEOLOGICAL SURVEY
 986 NATIONAL CENTER
 RESTON, VIRGINIA 20192

INDIVIDUAL COMPANY
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IRON ORE
(Containing less than 5 percent manganese)

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 └ (Please correct if name or address has changed.)

FACSIMILE NUMBER
1-800-543-0661

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Please return this form in the enclosed envelope or fax to the above toll-free number **BY FEBRUARY 15TH**. Complete a separate form for each mineral establishment that was active during the reporting period. A mineral establishment is defined as a single physical location where mineral operations are conducted; for example, a mine only, a mine and preparation plant, or a preparation plant only. If you do not have exact data, please enter your best estimates and mark with an /e. Use zero (0) when appropriate. Do not report decimals or fractions. Round to the nearest whole number. If you have nothing to report, please complete "Establishment covered by this report", sign, and return the form. Please use the space for "Remarks" to provide any specific information that will help us in the use or interpretation of the data. Any statement on the effect of changes in economic conditions upon the reporting establishment will be useful. Additional forms are available upon request.

If you have any questions concerning completion of this form, please contact the Mineral Commodities Data Unit, U.S. Geological Survey, 985 National Center, Reston, VA 20192, Telephone (703) 648-7960.

NOTE: Submit a separate report for each mine and associated concentrator and agglomerator mill. Custom mills and agglomerators should not report mine production.

Establishment covered by this report

Name and location of mine

| | | | | |
|--------|-------|---------|----------------------|-------|
| Name | | | Nearest city or town | |
| County | State | Section | Township | Range |

Status during year (Check appropriate boxes)

| | | | | | |
|------------|--------------|---------------|------------------------------------|----------------|------|
| (1) Active | (2) Inactive | From | To | (3) Abandoned | Date |
| (4) Leased | (5) Sold | (6) Purchased | If transfer, occurred during year: | Date of change | |

| | |
|---------------------------------|---------|
| Name of other party in transfer | Address |
|---------------------------------|---------|

Is this establishment a subsidiary? Yes No If yes,

| | |
|-----------------------------|---------|
| Name of controlling company | Address |
|-----------------------------|---------|

1. Stocks, production, shipments, and value of usable ore for the report year.

Please report all production in **metric tons**; otherwise indicate reporting unit in the Remarks section.

1.1 Dominant mineralogical type of ore mined (check one)

Hematite Magnetite Other (specify) _____

1.2 Method of concentration (check all that apply)

Wash Magnetic Heavy media Flotation Other (specify) _____

1.3 **Iron Ore:** Stocks, production, shipments (in metric tons) and value (in US dollars). Do not include imports.

| Product (1) | Code | Inventory adjustment (2) | Stocks at beginning of year (3) | PRODUCTION DURING YEAR | | | Shipments (7) | Value (8) |
|---|------|--------------------------------|--|------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------|--------------|
| | | | | Total weight (4) | Iron content in tons (5) | From tailings, or dumps (6) | | |
| Crude ore: | | | | | | | | |
| Direct-shipping ore..... | 101 | | | | | | | |
| For concentration..... | 102 | | | | | | | |
| Indicate average moisture content: _____ % moisture | | | | | | | | |
| Concentrate: | | | | | | | | |
| For consumer..... | 103 | | | | | | | |
| For agglomeration..... | 104 | | | | | | | |
| Indicate average moisture content: _____ % moisture | | | | | | | | |
| Agglomerate: | | | | | | | | |
| Pellets, Standard..... | 105 | | | | | | | |
| Pellets, Self-fluxing..... | 106 | | | | | | | |
| Direct-reduced iron..... | 107 | | | | | | | |
| Other (specify) _____ | | | | | | | | |
| Other (specify) _____ | | | | | | | | |
| Indicate average moisture content: _____ % moisture | | | | | | | | |

1.4 Name and location of concentrator (if not at mine site)

Name: _____ Nearest Town: _____ State: _____

1.5 Name and location of agglomerater (if not at mine site)

Name: _____ Nearest Town: _____ State: _____

Remarks:

| | | | | | |
|--|-----|--------|----------------|-------|----------|
| Name of person to be contacted regarding this report | | | Tel. area code | No. | Ext. |
| Address | No. | Street | City | State | ZIP Code |

May tabulations be published which could indirectly reveal the data reported above?

Value data (1) Yes (2) No Other (including quantity) data (1) Yes (2) No

Signature _____ Title _____ Date _____