



# **2017 TOXICS SUBSTANCE REPORT**

**Ontario Redimix, a division of CRH Canada Group Inc. –  
Portlands Plant**

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# 1. Introduction

Ontario Redimix, a division of CRH Canada Group Inc., safely provides superior quality concrete mixes at competitive pricing for customers requiring highly personalized around the clock service. Ontario Redimix is committed to the principles of sustainability. This involves building a business by safeguarding the environment, fostering vibrant communities, protecting our employees, serving our customers and shareholders and nurturing the interests of future generations.

CRH Canada Group Inc. is one of the country's largest vertically integrated building materials and construction companies. With 3,000 employees, we manufacture cement, aggregates and ready-mix concrete and provide construction services to many of Canada's largest infrastructure projects. Our business divisions include Dufferin Construction, Dufferin Aggregates and Dufferin Concrete in Ontario and Demix Béton, Demix Agrégats and Demix Construction in Quebec.

We are a member of CRH plc, a global building materials company with a proud and successful history, a strong track record of performance and a clear commitment to safety and ethical business practices. The company employs over 90,000 people in 37 countries around the world.

CRH Canada Group Inc. began operating in Canada as St. Lawrence Cement with the commissioning of a cement plant near Quebec City. Since then, through ongoing capital investment and strategic acquisitions such as Dufferin Construction Company (1961), De-Mix (1965), H. Boehmers (1973), and TCG Asphalt & Construction (2001), the company has grown into one of the largest vertically integrated building materials and construction companies in Canada. In 2009, St. Lawrence Cement became Holcim (Canada) Inc. On August 1, 2015 Holcim (Canada) Inc. became CRH Canada Group Inc., introducing the parent company name in Canada.



## 2. Reporting Criteria

Section 3(1) of the Toxics Reduction Act (TRA) specifies the criteria requiring the preparation of a toxic substance plan.

These criteria are as follows:

*3. (1) The owner and the operator of a facility shall ensure that a toxic substance reduction plan is prepared for a toxic substance in accordance with this Act and the regulations if all of the following criteria are met:*

*1. The facility belongs to a class of facilities prescribed by the regulations.*

*2. The number of persons employed at the facility exceeds the number of persons prescribed by the regulations.*

*3. The toxic substance is used or created at the facility and the amounts of the substance that are used or created meet the criteria prescribed by the regulations.*

*4. Such other criteria as are prescribed by the regulations. 2009, c. 19, s. 3 (1).*

Section 4(1) of O. Reg. 455/09 specifies the types of facilities subject to toxic substance reduction planning and includes facilities that begin in North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) code “31”, “32” or “33” and “212”. Ontario Redimix – Portlands Plant operates under the category of “Ready-Mix concrete manufacturing”, and therefore has a NAICS code beginning with “32”.

In addition to the plan, toxics substance reporting must be conducted annually and a summary of this report must be made available for public viewing. This document summarizes the toxic substances reported as part of the TRA for the year ending 2017 by Ontario Redimix’s Portlands Plant.

- PM10 - Particulate Matter <= 10 Microns



### 3. Company Information

<b>Parent Company Name</b>	CRH Canada Group Inc.
<b>Parent Company Address</b>	2300 Steeles Ave. West, 4 <sup>th</sup> Floor Concord, Ontario L4K 5X6
<b>Facility Name</b>	Ontario Redimix - Portlands
<b>Facility Address</b>	8 Unwin Avenue Toronto, ON M5A 3L1
<b>Geographic Coordinates of Facility</b>	43.638234N , -79.351008E
<b>National Pollutant Release Inventory Identification Number</b>	11483
<b>Two Digit North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Code</b>	32 – Manufacturing
<b>Four Digit North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Code</b>	3273 - Cement and Concrete Product Manufacturing
<b>Six Digit North American Industry Classification System (NAICS) Code</b>	327320 – Ready-Mix concrete manufacturing
<b>Number of Full-time Employee Equivalents at the Facility</b>	25
<b>Facility Public Contact</b>	Victor Correia Manager, Production 8 Unwin Avenue Toronto, ON M5A 3L1 416-678-0712 victor.correia@ca.crh.com



## 4. Substance Reporting

	PM 10			
	Substance Name and CAS Number*: PM10 - Particulate Matter <= 10 Microns			
	2017 (tonnes)	2016 (tonnes)	Diff (tonnes)	Diff %
Used	7317.39	4210.55	3106.84	73.79
Created	0	0	0	0
Contained in Product	N/A**	N/A**	N/A**	N/A**
Released	1.83	1.18	0.650	54.96
Destroyed	0	0	0	0
	The changes in the quantities of substance used and released are due to an increase in production levels in 2017.			

\* No single CAS RN applies to this substance.

\*\*Quantification for the amount of the substance that is contained in product is not required for Criteria Air Contaminants (Part 4 of NPRI Schedule 1).

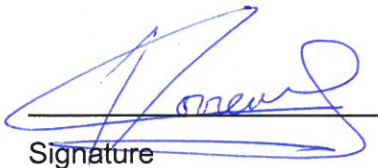


## 5. Certification Statement

### Highest Ranking Employee

As of June 1, 2018, I, Victor Correia, certify that I have read the reports on the toxic substance reduction plans for the toxic substances referred to below and am familiar with their contents, and to my knowledge the information contained in the reports is factually accurate and the reports comply with the *Toxics Reduction Act, 2009* and Ontario Regulation 455/09 (General) made under that Act.

- PM 10- Particulate Matter  $\leq$  10 Microns

  
Signature

PRODUCTION MANAGER  
Title of HRE