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Dear Mr. Mahlangu

# ARNOT POWER STATION'S MONTHLY EMISSIONS REPORT FOR THE MONTH OF MARCH 2024

This serves as the monthly report required in terms of Section 6 in Arnot Power Station's Atmospheric Emission License. The emissions are for March 2024, verified emissions of particulates;  $SO_2$  and  $NO_x$  (as  $NO_2$ ) are also included.

#### **Raw Materials and Products**

Consumption/ Rate (Quantity) 2024
h 1 050 330 335 727 .59
h 10 000 3511.70
Maximum ProductionProduction Rate in Month of January 2024(Quantity)2024
1 785 600 612.994
h 421 000 75 539

Table1: Quantity of Raw Materials and Products used/produced for the Month of March 2024

### **Abatement Technology**

Table 2.1 (a) Abatement Equipment Efficiency Control Technology for month of January 2024

Associated Unit/Stack	Technology Type	Actual Efficiency (%) for the month of March 2024
North Stack	Fabric Filter Bags	99.6 %
South Stack	Fabric Filter Bags	99.7%

Table 2.1 (b) Abatement Equipment Utilisation (%) for the month of March 2024

Associated Unit/Stack	Technology Type	Utilisation March 2024
North	Fabric Filter Plant (FFP)	100 %
South	Fabric Filter Plant (FFP)	100 %

Table 2.1 (c) Monitor Reliability (%)

Associated Unit/Stack	РМ	SO₂	NO
Stack 1	100	98.5	99.6
Stack 2	98.8	86.7	81.6

### **Energy Source Characteristics**

Table 3: Energy Source Material Characteristics for the month of March 2023

Characteristic	Stipulated Range (Unit)	Monthly Average Content
Sulphur Content	0.5 to < 1 (%)	0.568
Ash Content	17 to < 40 (%)	22.50

Table 4 Operating days in compliance to PM AEL Limit – March 2024

Associated Unit/Stack	Normal	Grace	Section 30	Contravention	Total Exceedance	Average PM (mg/Nm³)
North	31	0	0	0	1	66.9
South	31	0	0	0	0	53.2
SUM	62	0	0	0	1	

Associated Unit/Stack	Normal	Grace	Section 30	Contravention	Total Exceedance	Average NOx (mg/Nm³)
North	31	0	0	0	0	659.1
South	31	0	0	0	0	537.8
SUM	62	0	0	0	0	

Table 5: Operating days in compliance to NOx AEL Limit – March 2024

Table 6: Operating days in compliance to Sox AEL Limit –March 2024

Associated Unit/Stack	Normal	Grace	Section 30	Contravention	Total Exceedance	Average SOx (mg/Nm³)
North	31	0	0	0	0	1489.2
South	31	0	0	0	0	1147.0
SUM	62	0	0	0	0	

## **Emissions Reporting**

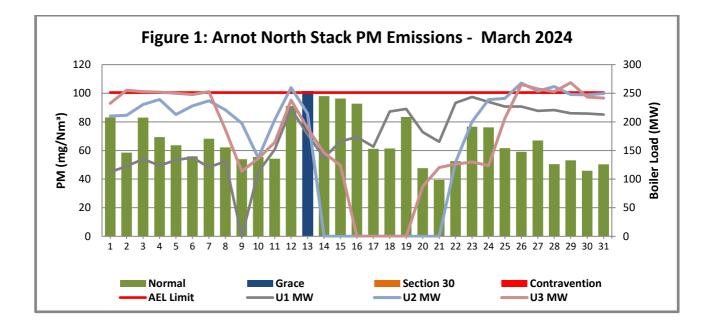


Figure 1: PM emissions (daily averages) for the month of March 2024 against the emission limit for the North Stack

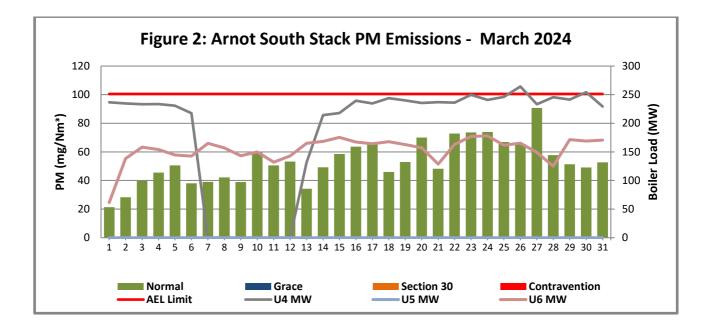


Figure 2: PM emissions (daily averages) for the month of March 2024 against emission limit for the South Stack

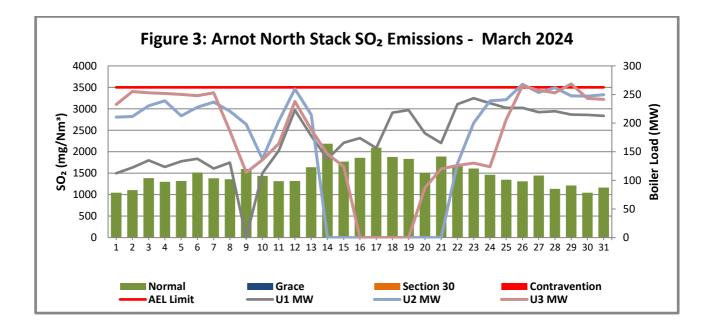


Figure 3: SO<sub>2</sub> emissions (daily averages) for the month of March 2024 against emission limit for the North Stack

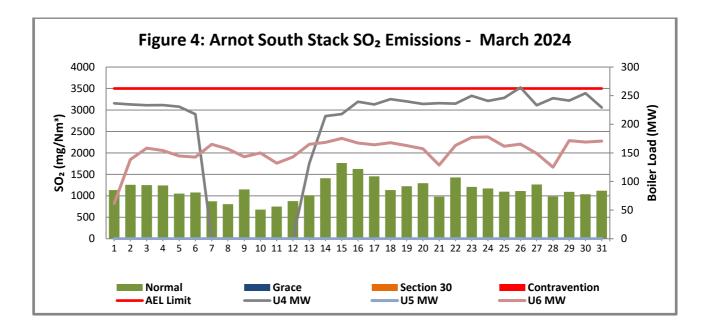


Figure 4:  $SO_2$  emissions (daily averages) for the month of March 2024 against emission limit for the South Stack

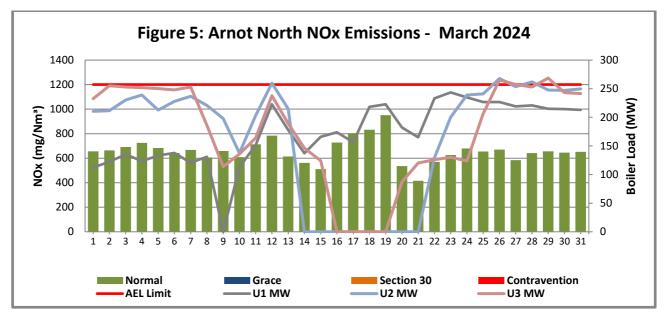


Figure 5:  $NO_2$  emissions (daily averages) for the month of March 2024 against emission limit for the North Stack

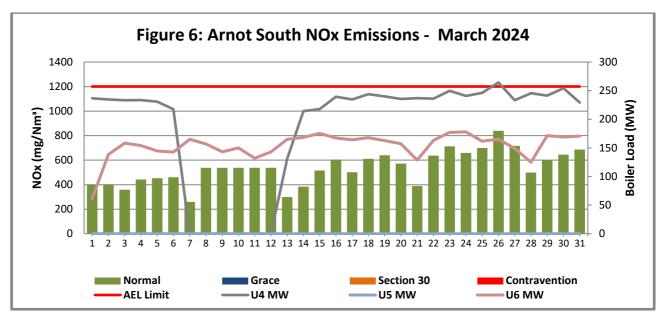


Figure 6: NO<sub>2</sub> emissions (daily averages) for the month of March 2024 against emission limit for the South Stack

Table 4: Monthly tonnages for the month of March 2024

Unit	PM (tons)	SO <sub>2</sub> (tons)	NO <sub>2</sub> (tons)
Total Tons			
(North &	040.4	5500	0504
South	242.1	5539	2584
Stack)			

Table 5: Each unit and respective days operating under normal operation, days in grace period, and section 30 days respectively.

Unit	Days operating under normal operation	Days operating in grace period	Days operating under S 30
1	31	0	0
2	31	0	0
3	31	0	0
4	31	0	0
5	31	0	0
6	31	0	0

### Light up information

Continuous reporting is being done even during start-ups emissions were not affected.

#### **Complaints Register**

Table 6. Complaints for the month of March 2024

No Noise, dust and offensive odors complaints registered in the month of March 2024.

Source Code/ Name				Measures implemented to prevent reoccurrence	Date by which measure will be implemented
None	0	0	0	0	0

### General

The rest of the information demonstrating compliance with the emission license conditions is supplied in the annual emission reports sent to your office. South Stack Parallel test for gaseous emission expired on the 10<sup>th of</sup> September 2022. New test was conducted on the 02-05 April 2024. Still awaiting for the final report. Once the report is received calculations will be implemented on the report. Any possible changes the facility will backfit the data and report the changes to the licensing authorities.

North Stack- Parallel tests not yet conducted due the lift not functioning. Currently awaiting the availability of the services provider to give a date for the tests

Note:

Hoping the above will meet your satisfaction.

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