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K061, EMISSION CONTROL DUST/SLUDGE FROM PRODUCTION OF STEEL
IN ELECTRIC FURNACES

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SUBJECT: Scope of the Listing K061, Emission Control Dust/Sludge
from the Primary Production of Steel in Electric Furnaces

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This is in response to your question as to the scope of the listing K061
Emission control dust/sludge from the primary production of steel.

Interpretation of Scope of K061

The K061 waste listing is defined under 40 CFR Section 261.32 as "Emission
control/dust from the primary production of steel (T)."

- This applies to steel produced in electric furnaces, not blast
furnaces.
- The listing does not include foundries.
- Facilities that use scrap steel as a raw material are included
in the listing.
- The listing does not include iron making.

If a facility produces in an electric arc furnace using steel
scrap, the emission control dust meets the listing of K061. What is
done with the steel after this process does not effect the process
waste' inclusion in the listing.