

L950 LeTourneau Electric Loader from Voltas Wins Accolades

The L950 LeTourneau electric loader, supplied by Voltas M&CE, was recently declared the best performing Machine at EMTA's Panem Mines in Pakur, Jharkhand, which produces 10MT coal annually, for use by the Punjab State Electricity Board.

This Honour, won for the second consecutive year, is testimony to the Voltas team's drive, determination and technical capability

The L950 LeTourneau electric loader was commissioned at the mines in January 2010. It has proved to be one of the best performing machines to date at this site, at which equipment from leading manufacturers is also deployed.

In the words of Rajasekaran, Project In-charge, heading the Voltas M&CE site team at Pakur: "It is very difficult to meet the challenge in terms of providing better availability. We get very little time for maintenance. Besides, the site is in a very remote location, it is in a Naxalite area and facilities around the site are not good. Still we provide 24*7 service to the customer.

A Big thank you goes to the operators for achieving the production targets."

A Series of Achievements:

The L950 LeTourneau electric loader achieved the first year best ever working @6600 hrs.,with availability @97.16%.

Its good performance continued in the second year with the best ever working @ 6739 hrs and availability @ 95.5%.

The Customer has declared the L950 Loader as the "Best Performance Machine" at their site.

Words of appreciation from customers:

"What we appreciate about Voltas are, firstly, the technical competence of their engineers and, secondly, the effort put by the operators in achieving the production with no accidents."

D D Ghosh (Maintenance Manager) and Devendra Jha (Operations Manager) EMTA

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"We can't imagine any other machine than the L950 LeTourneau loader for coal production. The Voltas Team is very cooperative and dedicated. They continued their services even during very unfavourable situations like the Naxal attack."

T K Ghosh (Head, Panem Coal Mines Ltd.)

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"I Want to offer a big thank you to the Voltas technical team who maintained and operated the L950 loader at EMTA. I must say I do not know of any LeTourneau loader in the world that has performed with higher availability during the first year of operation. The capability of the Voltas support organization is certainly to be admired."

Brad Rogers (Vice President - P&H LeTourneau)

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