# ASPECTS REGARDING TECHNICAL EXPERTISE BALACING ARM (COUNTERBLADE) OF COAL MINING MACHINE

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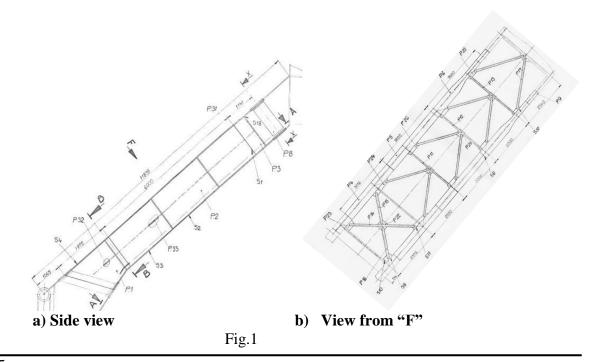
**Abstract:** In this paper presents the technical condition wherein the balancing arm the (counterblade) is from the coal mining machine after we made the technical expertise. The rehabilitation to which the balancing arm will be subjected will be done by performing the intervention works that will restore both the structural part and the functional part in the normal operating parameters. The paper presents the defects found in the balancing arm as well as the proposed solutions for its repair.

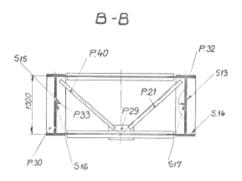
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## 1. INTRODUCTORY NOTIONS REGARDING BALACING ARM

It has the role of linking the CM between the rotating platform and the platform of the lifting mechanism that contains the luggage box, which connects the support rails to the cabs. As a metal construction it is a space beam formed by two "I" profiles in welded steel constructions, which are separated by two fields of positioning and spatial stiffening.

The main inclined beams are placed at the bottom on the rotating platform and support at the top top platform for the elinde mechanism. Fig. 1-3 shows the subassembly.





Sect. "B-B" Fig.2

## 2. CONFIGURATION OF THE BALANCING ARM

The protection between the main beams with a stiffening structure consisting of diagonals and horizontal supports, and at the bottom they have a perpendicular contour on the axis of the arm in the area of the rotation mechanism to strengthen the beam in the area where the lateral forces occur when changing the direction of rotation due to the balancing lever but and the weight of the welded assemblies located at the top.



Fig.3 Space view (from side to bottom)

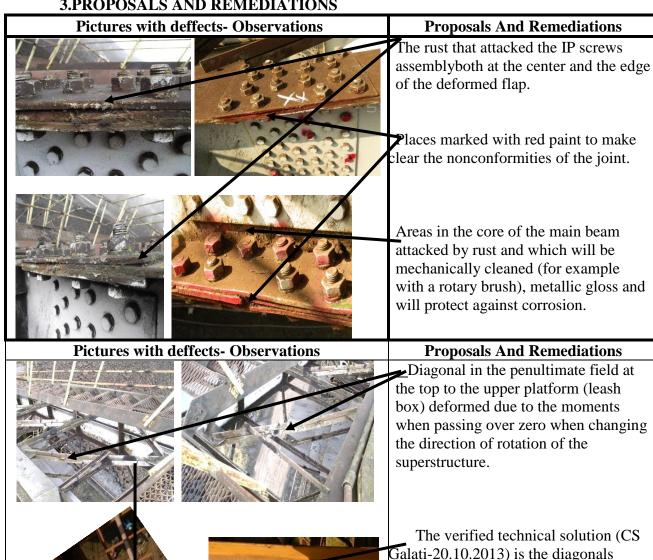
The upper side of the balance arm rises axially by means of the upper platform for the lifting mechanism.



Fig.4 Gripping the rotating platform side and back

The gripping of the rotating platform was presented with the observations and the conclusions from the previous chapter, the arm and the upper platform are presented.

### 3.PROPOSALS AND REMEDIATIONS



## **4.CONCLUSIONS**

- It is also proposed to stiffen in a perpandicular plane on the "X" arm axis with gussets 1) attached to the main beams of the laminated cornice beams: "L 100 x 100 x 10" and the stiffening plate at the intersection on the construction axis..
- Doubling the deformed, lateral diagonals and keeping the deformed in the position, a 2) technically applied and verified solution in 2013 at "Arcelor Mittal Galati.
- Replace all screws from defective joints with screws specified in the documentation.

doubling in the immediate vicinity of the

central gusset enlargement.

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