

Preliminary Report of Accident



1. Accident Type: Fatal Injury	2. Accident Classification Powered Haulage	3. Date/Time of Accident 07/01/2010 08:37 AM	4. Date/Time of Death 07/01/2010 08:37 AM	5. Fatal Case No 40
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6. Mine Information :

a) Mining Company Name White Buck Coal Company	b) Mine Name Pocahontas Mine	c) Parent of Mining Company Massey Energy Company
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7. Mine Location :	a) City Rupert	b) County Greenbrier	c) State WV	8. Mine ID Number: 46-09154	9. Union: NO
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10. Primary Mineral Mined: BITUMINOUS COAL UNDERGROUND	11. Number of Mine Employees:	a) Total 85	b) Underground 74	c) Open Pit/Quarry	d) Mill/Prep Plant	e) Other 11
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12. Contractor Name:	13. Union	14. Contractor ID Number:
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15. Contractor Address:	a) City	b) County	c) State	d) Zip Code
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16. Number of Contractor Employees:	a) Total	b) Underground	c) Open Pit/Quarry	d) Mill/Prep Plant	e) Other
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17. Number of Persons in Mine at Time of Accident:	18. Number of Persons Unaccounted For:
a) Mine Employees: 30	b) Contractor Employees:

19) Location of Accident	20. Mining Height:
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 01-Underground	Feet Inches
<input type="checkbox"/> 02-Surface at Underground	6 8
<input type="checkbox"/> 03-Open Pit	
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 07-Advance Mining	
<input type="checkbox"/> 06-Dredge Mining	
<input type="checkbox"/> 08-Retreat Mining	
<input type="checkbox"/> 30-Mill/Prep Plant	
<input type="checkbox"/> 99-Office Facility	
<input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	

21. Nonfatal Injuries:	22. Fatal Injuries: 1
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23. Victim Information :	a) Name Wilbert R. Starcher	b) Age 60
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c) Regular Job Title: Electrician	d) Activity at Time of Accident: Walking on the mining section	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mine Employee
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24. Experience :	Years Weeks Days	Years Weeks Days	Years Weeks Days	Years Weeks Days
a) Total:	35 0 0	b) at the mine:	1 6 1	c) at activity (23d)
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				d) with Contractor

25. Autopsy Performed:	If Yes, Location	26. Mine Telephone No.:
		(304) 846-6600

27. Description of Accident (include equipment involved, the exact location in the mine, and status of rescue and recovery operations):
At 8:37 a.m., a sixty-year old section electrician with 35 years of mining experience was ran over by a shuttle car in the No. 2 entry on MMU 005/006. The victim was last seen leaving the connecting crosscut between the No. 1 and No. 2 entries, one break outby the continuous mining machine as it was taking a cut in the face. As the No. 2 shuttle car was leaving the continuous mining machine with a load, the miner operator noticed that the victim was beneath the shuttle car.

The information provided in this notice is based on preliminary data ONLY and does not represent final determinations regarding the nature of the incident or conclusions regarding the cause of the accident.

28. Equipment Manufacturer: Joy Machinery Co. (Joy Manufacturing Co)	29. Model: 10SC32-64 AA
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30. District: C0400 Mt. Hope	32. Field Office: Summersville WV	33. Event Number:
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34. Accident Investigator: Douglas W. Johnson	35. MSHA Person Notified: Richard J. Kline	Date 07/01/2010	Time 08:50 A
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36. Type of Report: Amended	37. Name of Preparer and Date Prepared: Douglas W. Johnson	Date 07/02/2010
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38. Reason For Amendment: Change in Accident Classification
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