

Preliminary Report of Accident



1. Accident Type: Fatal Injury		2. Accident Classification Fall of Face, Rib, Pillar or Highwall		3. Date/Time of Accident 01/16/2016 05:50 PM		4. Date/Time of Death 01/16/2016 08:07 PM		5. Fatal Case No 2			
6. Mine Information :											
a) Mining Company Name Dana Mining Company of Pennsylvania LLC			b) Mine Name 4 West Mine			c) Parent of Mining Company GenPower Holdings LP; James L. Laurita Jr					
7. Mine Location :		a) City Dilliner		b) County Greene		c) State PA		8. Mine ID Number: 36-09326		9. Union: NO	
10. Primary Mineral Mined: BITUMINOUS COAL UNDERGROUND			11. Number of Mine Employees:		a) Total 405	b) Underground 369	c) Open Pit/Quarry		d) Mill/Prep Plant	e) Other 36	
12. Contractor Name:						13. Union		14. Contractor ID Number:			
15. Contractor Address:				a) City		b) County		c) State		d) Zip Code	
16. Number of Contractor Employees:											
a) Total		b) Underground		c) Open Pit/Quarry		d) Mill/Prep Plant		e) Other			
17. Number of Persons in Mine at Time of Accident:					18. Number of Persons Unaccounted For:						
a) Mine Employees: 72		b) Contractor Employees: 0			a) Mine Employees: 0		b) Contractor Employees: 0				
19) Location of Accident									20. Mining Height:		
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 01-Underground	<input type="checkbox"/> 03-Open Pit		<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 07-Advance Mining			<input type="checkbox"/> 30-Mill/Prep Plant		<input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)		Feet	Inches
<input type="checkbox"/> 02-Surface at Underground	<input type="checkbox"/> 06-Dredge Mining		<input type="checkbox"/> 08-Retreat Mining			<input type="checkbox"/> 99-Office Facility				5	0
21. Nonfatal Injuries: 0			22. Fatal Injuries: 1								
23. Victim Information :											
a) Name Jeremy R. Neice					b) Age 31						
c) Regular Job Title: Continuous Mining Machine Operator				d) Activity at Time of Accident: Continuous Mining Machine Operator				<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mine Employee			
24. Experience :											
Years		Weeks		Days		Years		Weeks		Days	
a) Total: 12		b) at the mine: 2		4		c) at activity (23d): 2		4		d) with Contractor	
25. Autopsy Performed: If Yes, Location YES Unknown								26. Mine Telephone No.: (724) 324-9190			

27. Description of Accident (include equipment involved, the exact location in the mine, and status of rescue and recovery operations):

On January 16, 2016, at 5:50 p.m., a 31 year old continuous mining machine operator with 12 years of mining experience was fatally injured when a section of a coal/rock rib measuring approximately 4 and 1/2 feet long, 3 feet high and 3 feet thick fell and pinned him to the mine floor. The miner was remotely operating the machine in the number 2 entry of MMU-004 when the accident occurred. The victim was transported to the hospital where he was pronounced.

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:				29. Model:			
30. District: C0200 New Stanton		32. Field Office: Ruff Creek PA				33. Event Number: 6225414	
34. Accident Investigator: Jeremy Stalnaker			35. MSHA Person Notified: Charles Clark			Date 01/16/2016	Time 06:10 P
36. Type of Report: Initial		37. Name of Preparer and Date Prepared: Randall Caramellino				Date 01/19/2016	
38. Reason For Amendment:							