

Mine Activity Data



1. Action: a. New Entry b. Update 2. Activity Code: E01 3. Event Number: 6286108

4. Date Event Started: 1/6/2010 5. Date Event Finished: 3/31/2010 6. Mine ID: 46-08436

7a. Organization Code (Mine Assignment): 20401 b. Work Group Identifier: 02 9. Company Name: PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY

8a. Organization Code (AR Assignment): 20401 b. Work Group: 02 10. Mine Name: UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH

11. Report Type (check): a. First b. Interim c. Last d. Not Applicable 12. Area of Inspections: a. Active Sections: 5 b. Idle Sections: 0

c. Outby Areas d. Shafts/Slopes e. Surface Areas (UG) f. Surface Workings g. Company Records h. ATF i. Impoundments j. Refuse Piles

k. Major Construction (1) Shaft/Slope Sinking: 0 (2) Impoundment Construction: 0 (3) Buildings: 0 (4) Dragline/Shovel: 0 (5) Other: 0 l. Miscellaneous

m. MMU/Pit Number: (1) 029 (2) 040 (3) 050 (4) 062 (5) 066 (6) 067

13. Number of Samples Collected: a. Air Samples: 21 b. Rock Dust Spot: 1 c. Rock Dust Survey: 23 d. Respirable Dust: 44 e. Noise: 0 f. Other: 0

14. Impoundments/Refuse Piles:

a. Number b. FHC c. Configuration

15. Prime Independent Contractor Codes (Major Construction)

16. Inspection Results

	Citations		Orders		Safeguards		Other	
	Coal Opr	Ind Con	Coal Opr	Ind Con	Coal Opr	Ind Con	Coal Opr	Ind Con
a. This Inspection								
(1) New Issuances	102	03	0	8	0	0	0	0
(2) Terminations/Vacations	102	92	10	0	7	0	0	0
(3) Modifications/Extensions	4	2	0	2	0	0	0	0
(4) Left Pending	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
b. Previously Issued								
(1) Modifications/Extensions	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
(2) Terminations/Vacations	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0

18. Signature and Card Number of Authorized Representative/ Right of Entry Person(s) Responsible for Activity

Shift	Sun			Mon			Tue			Wed			Thur			Fri			Sat		
	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3	1	2	3
Week 1 1/3/2010	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Week 2 1/10/2010	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Week 3 1/17/2010	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Week 4 1/24/2010	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Week 5 1/31/2010	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Week 6 2/7/2010	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Week 7 2/14/2010	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Week 9 2/28/2010	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
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Week 11 3/14/2010	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Week 12 3/21/2010	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Week 13 3/28/2010	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>



Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 01/28/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1050	3. Citation/ Order Number 8072769
4. Served To Everett Hager, Superintendent		5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH		7. Mine ID 46-08436 (Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The #1 beltline for the Headgate#22 (#1 Section) MMU 029-0 has float coal dust along the entire beltline from the #1 belt head to the #1 tailpiece. Coal dust, including float coal dust deposited on rock-dusted surfaces, loose coal, and other combustible materials, shall be cleaned up and not be permitted to accumulate in active workings, or on diesel-powered and electric equipment therein

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.400
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:

A. Injury or illness (has) (is): No Likelihood Unlikely Reasonably Likely Highly Likely Occurred

B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be: No Lost Workdays Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty Permanently Disabling Fatal

C. Significant and Substantial: Yes No D. Number of Persons Affected: 001

11. Negligence (check one) A. None B. Low C. Moderate D. High E. Reckless Disregard

12. Type of Action 104(a) 13. Type of Issuance (check one) Citation Order Safeguard Written Notice

14. Initial Action A. Citation B. Order C. Safeguard D. Written Notice E. Citation/
Order Number F. Dated Mo Da Yr

15. Area or Equipment

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 01/28/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1700
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate

18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)
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Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature	23. AR Number	

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Section I--Subsequent Action/Continuation Data

1. Subsequent Action 1a. Continuation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	2. Dated (Original Issue) Mo Da Yr 01/28/2010	3. Citation/ Order Number 8072769 - 01
4. Served To Everett Hager, Superintendent	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)

Section II--Justification for Action

The area has been cleaned and rock dusted.

See Continuation Form

Section III--Subsequent Action Taken

8. Extended To	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	<input type="checkbox"/> C. Vacated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D. Terminated	<input type="checkbox"/> E. Modified
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Section IV--Inspection Data

9. Type of Inspection E01	10. Event Number 6286108		
11. Signature 	AR Number 	12. Date Mo Da Yr 02/08/2010	13. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1050



Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1000	3. Citation/ Order Number 8078836
4. Served To BERMAN CORNETT	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The Intake overcast at break 12 is not provided with ladders, stairways, ramps, or similar facilities to allow person to cross, and travel to the surface.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.380(d)(6)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:					
A. Injury or Illness (has) (is):	No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/>	Unlikely <input type="checkbox"/>	Reasonably Likely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be:	No Lost Workdays <input type="checkbox"/>	Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Permanently Disabling <input type="checkbox"/>	Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>	
C. Significant and Substantial:	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	D. Number of Persons Affected: 010		
11. Negligence (check one)	A. None <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Low <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. High <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>
12. Type of Action	104(a)	13. Type of Issuance (check one)			
		Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Order <input type="checkbox"/> Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>			
14. Initial Action	E. Citation/ Order Number			F. Dated Mo Da Yr	
A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Order <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/>	D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>		
15. Area or Equipment					

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1500
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate	Stairway was installed at the overcast.
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18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1300
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Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature		23. AR Number

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Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1005	3. Citation/ Order Number 8078837
4. Served To BERMAN CORNETT		5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH		7. Mine ID 46-08436 (Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The lifeline in the primary escape way for mmu 040 is not being maintained throughout the entire length of the escape way, the lifeline is running through the blocks not over the overcast.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.380(d)(7)(i)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:					
A. Injury or illness (has) (is):	No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/>	Unlikely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Reasonably Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be:	No Lost Workdays <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/>	Permanently Disabling <input type="checkbox"/>	Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>	
C. Significant and Substantial:	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. Number of Persons Affected: 010		
11. Negligence (check one)					
A. None <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Low <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. High <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>	
12. Type of Action 104(a)		13. Type of Issuance (check one)			
		Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Order <input type="checkbox"/> Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>			
14. Initial Action			E. Citation/ Order Number		F. Dated Mo Da Yr
A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/> B. Order <input type="checkbox"/> C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>					
15. Area or Equipment					

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1400
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Section III--Termination Action

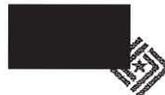
17. Action to Terminate	The lifeline was directed over the overcast.
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18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1305
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Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature		23. AR Number

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Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1105	3. Citation/ Order Number 8078838
4. Served To BERMAN CORNETT		5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH		7. Mine ID 46-08436 (Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The No. 2 entry on mmu 040 beginning at spad 23769 and extending outby for a distance of 80 ft. was measured 21ft. To 22 ft. wide.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.203(e)(1)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:						
A. Injury or Illness (has) (is):		No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/>	Unlikely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Reasonably Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be:		No Lost Workdays <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/>	Permanently Disabling <input type="checkbox"/>	Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>	
C. Significant and Substantial:			D. Number of Persons Affected:			
Yes <input type="checkbox"/>		No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		001		
11. Negligence (check one)						
A. None <input type="checkbox"/>		B. Low <input type="checkbox"/>		C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		D. High <input type="checkbox"/>
E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>						
12. Type of Action 104(a)			13. Type of Issuance (check one)			
			Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Order <input type="checkbox"/>	Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/>
			Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>			
14. Initial Action				E. Citation/ Order Number		F. Dated Mo Da Yr
A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/>		B. Order <input type="checkbox"/>		C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/>		D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>

15. Area or Equipment

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1400
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate		
18. Terminated		
A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	

Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
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Mine Citation/Order
Continuation

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Section I--Subsequent Action/Continuation Data

1. Subsequent Action 1a. Continuation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	2. Dated (Original Issue) Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	3. Citation/ Order Number 8078838 - 01
4. Served To Terry Moore, Mine Foreman	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)

Section II--Justification for Action

Jacks were set in the wide place.

See Continuation Form

Section III--Subsequent Action Taken

8. Extended To	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	<input type="checkbox"/> C. Vacated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D. Terminated	<input type="checkbox"/> E. Modified
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Section IV--Inspection Data

9. Type of Inspection E01	10. Event Number 6286108		
11. Signature 	AR Number 	12. Date Mo Da Yr 03/17/2010	13. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1140



Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1120	3. Citation/ Order Number 8078839
4. Served To BERMAN CORNETT	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The cable splice on the no. 1 continuous miner on mmu 040 is not being insulated to the same degree as the outer jacket.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.514
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:					
A. Injury or illness (has) (is):	No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/>	Unlikely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Reasonably Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be:	No Lost Workdays <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/>	Permanently Disabling <input type="checkbox"/>	Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>	
C. Significant and Substantial:	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. Number of Persons Affected: 001		
11. Negligence (check one)					
A. None <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Low <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. High <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>	
12. Type of Action 104(a)		13. Type of Issuance (check one)			
		Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Order <input type="checkbox"/> Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>			
14. Initial Action			E. Citation/ Order Number		F. Dated Mo Da Yr
A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/> B. Order <input type="checkbox"/> C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>					
15. Area or Equipment					

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1200
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate	The cable was reinsulated to the same degree as the outer jacket.
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18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1145
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Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature		23. AR Number

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Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1130	3. Citation/ Order Number 8078840
4. Served To BERMAN CORNETT	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The circuit breaker for the No. 1 s/car on mmu 040 at the section power center, is not identified.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75,904
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:					
A. Injury or illness (has) (is):	No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/>	Unlikely <input type="checkbox"/>	Reasonably Likely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be:	No Lost Workdays <input type="checkbox"/>	Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/>	Permanently Disabling <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>	
C. Significant and Substantial:	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	D. Number of Persons Affected: 001		
11. Negligence (check one)					
A. None <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Low <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. High <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>	
12. Type of Action 104(a)		13. Type of Issuance (check one)			
		Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Order <input type="checkbox"/> Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>			
14. Initial Action			E. Citation/ Order Number		F. Dated Mo Da Yr
A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/> B. Order <input type="checkbox"/> C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>					
15. Area or Equipment					

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1145
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate The circuit breaker was identified.

18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1135
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Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature		23. AR Number

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Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1115	3. Citation/ Order Number 8084609
4. Served To Dean Jones Section Foreman	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436 (Contractor)	
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

Accumulation of coal float dust (black in color) is allowed to accumulate on rockdust surface along the Section belt for the 22 Head gate MMU-029 Section beginning from the section tailpeice outby for a distance of 360 feet.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.400
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:

A. Injury or illness (has) (is): No Likelihood Unlikely Reasonably Likely Highly Likely Occurred

B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be: No Lost Workdays Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty Permanently Disabling Fatal

C. Significant and Substantial: Yes No D. Number of Persons Affected: 001

11. Negligence (check one) A. None B. Low C. Moderate D. High E. Reckless Disregard

12. Type of Action 104(a) 13. Type of Issuance (check one) Citation Order Safeguard Written Notice

14. Initial Action A. Citation B. Order C. Safeguard D. Written Notice E. Citation/Order Number F. Dated Mo Da Yr

15. Area or Equipment

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1300
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate Additional rock dust has been applied to the affected area and this condition has been corrected.

18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1230
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Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature		23. AR Number

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Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1135	3. Citation/ Order Number 8084610
4. Served To Dean Jones Section Foreman	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436 (Contractor)	
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

A compress gas cylinder (oxygen tank) being transported on the maintance scoop on the 22 Headgate MMU-029 section is not provided with a metal cap to protect the valve stem during transportation of the cylinder.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.1106-2(a)(3)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:						
A. Injury or Illness (has) (is):		No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/>	Unlikely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Reasonably Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be:		No Lost Workdays <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/>	Permanently Disabling <input type="checkbox"/>	Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>	
C. Significant and Substantial:			Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. Number of Persons Affected: 001	
11. Negligence (check one)		A. None <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Low <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. High <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>
12. Type of Action 104(a)		13. Type of Issuance (check one) Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Order <input type="checkbox"/> Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>				
14. Initial Action				E. Citation/ Order Number		F. Dated Mo Da Yr
A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/>		B. Order <input type="checkbox"/>		C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/>		D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>

15. Area or Equipment

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1150
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate A portective cap was provided for the compress gas cylinder and removed from service.

18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1145
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Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature		23. AR Number

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Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1145	3. Citation/ Order Number 8084611
4. Served To Dean Jones Section Foreman	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436 (Contractor)	
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

Accumulation of combustible material (lubricants and loose coal) is allowed to accumulate under shields on the frame of the Fairchild service scoop S/N 1253 at various deeps, being used on the 22 Headgate MMU-029 section.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.400
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:						
A. Injury or illness (has) (is):		No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/>	Unlikely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Reasonably Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be:		No Lost Workdays <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/>	Permanently Disabling <input type="checkbox"/>	Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>	
C. Significant and Substantial:			Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. Number of Persons Affected: 001	
11. Negligence (check one)						
A. None <input type="checkbox"/>		B. Low <input type="checkbox"/>		C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		D. High <input type="checkbox"/>
E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>						
12. Type of Action 104(a)			13. Type of Issuance (check one)			
			Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Order <input type="checkbox"/>	Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/>
			Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>			
14. Initial Action				E. Citation/ Order Number		F. Dated Mo Da Yr
A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/>		B. Order <input type="checkbox"/>		C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/>		D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>

15. Area or Equipment

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/11/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0800
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate		
18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)

Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature		23. AR Number

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Section I--Subsequent Action/Continuation Data

1. Subsequent Action 1a. Continuation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	2. Dated (Original Issue) 03/09/2010 Mo Da Yr	3. Citation/ Order Number 8084611 - 01
4. Served To Rick Nicolau, Chief Electrician	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)

Section II--Justification for Action

The Maintenance Scoop has been cleaned.

See Continuation Form

Section III--Subsequent Action Taken

8. Extended To	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	<input type="checkbox"/> C. Vacated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D. Terminated	<input type="checkbox"/> E. Modified
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Section IV--Inspection Data

9. Type of Inspection E01	10. Event Number 6286108		
11. Signature [Redacted]	AR Number [Redacted]	12. Date Mo Da Yr 03/15/2010	13. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1056



Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 03/23/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0740	3. Citation/ Order Number 8084612
4. Served To Shawn Perdue Section Foreman	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The last open cross-cut on the MMU-067 Portal Mains Section is being provided with only 7,339 CFM when measured with a Government anemometer.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.325(b)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:

A. Injury or illness (has) (is): No Likelihood Unlikely Reasonably Likely Highly Likely Occurred

B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be: No Lost Workdays Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty Permanently Disabling Fatal

C. Significant and Substantial: Yes No

D. Number of Persons Affected: 002

11. Negligence (check one) A. None B. Low C. Moderate D. High E. Reckless Disregard

12. Type of Action 104(a) 13. Type of Issuance (check one) Citation Order Safeguard Written Notice

14. Initial Action A. Citation B. Order C. Safeguard D. Written Notice E. Citation/Order Number F. Dated Mo Da Yr

15. Area or Equipment

16. Termination Due A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/23/2010 B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0900

Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate Repairs were made to the ventilation controls and 13,353 CFM is being provided to the last open cross-cut.

18. Terminated A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/23/2010 B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0834

Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01 20. Event Number 6286108 21. Primary or Mill

22. Signature [Redacted] 23. AR Number [Redacted]

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Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 03/15/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0400	3. Citation/ Order Number 8085073
4. Served To Shannon Dickens; Maintance Forman		5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH		7. Mine ID 46-08436 (Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

At the drive unit of the long wall belt line located behind the drive is an accumulation of mud and slop that is up to 10 inches deep and extends from rib-to-rib and is 30 feet long. The slop is runny and has spread to the belt starter box and track where it has covered the electrical mats at the starter. Accumulations of coal and coal dust shall not be permitted to accumulate in active workings.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.400
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:						
A. Injury or Illness (has) (is):		No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/>	Unlikely <input type="checkbox"/>	Reasonably Likely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be:		No Lost Workdays <input type="checkbox"/>	Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/>	Permanently Disabling <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>	
C. Significant and Substantial:				D. Number of Persons Affected:		
Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		No <input type="checkbox"/>		002		
11. Negligence (check one)						
A. None <input type="checkbox"/>		B. Low <input type="checkbox"/>		C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		D. High <input type="checkbox"/>
E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>						
12. Type of Action 104(a)			13. Type of Issuance (check one)			
			Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Order <input type="checkbox"/>	Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/>
			Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>			
14. Initial Action				E. Citation/ Order Number		F. Dated Mo Da Yr
A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/>		B. Order <input type="checkbox"/>		C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/>		D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>

15. Area or Equipment

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/17/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0800
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate		
18. Terminated		
A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	

Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature		23. AR Number

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Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 03/15/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0430	3. Citation/ Order Number 8085074
4. Served To Shannon Dickens; Maintance Forman		5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH		7. Mine ID 46-08436 (Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		9a. Written Notice (193g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The double cones were missing on the secondary escape way life line at break 102 of the long wall section that showed that a branch line was present and leading to an SCSR Cache box.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.380(d)(7)(vii)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:							
A. Injury or Illness (has) (is):	No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/>	Unlikely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Reasonably Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>		
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be:	No Lost Workdays <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/>	Permanently Disabling <input type="checkbox"/>	Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>			
C. Significant and Substantial:				D. Number of Persons Affected:			
Yes <input type="checkbox"/>		No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		001			
11. Negligence (check one)							
A. None <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Low <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. High <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>			
12. Type of Action 104(a)			13. Type of Issuance (check one)				
			Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Order <input type="checkbox"/>	Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/>	Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>	
14. Initial Action				E. Citation/ Order Number		F. Dated Mo Da Yr	
A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Order <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/>	D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>				
15. Area or Equipment							

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/15/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0700
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate		
18. Terminated		
A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	

Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature		23. AR Number

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Section I--Subsequent Action/Continuation Data

1. Subsequent Action 1a. Continuation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	2. Dated (Original Issue) 03/15/2010 Mo Da Yr	3. Citation/ Order Number 8085074 - 01
4. Served To David Taraczkozy, Chief Electrician	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)

Section II--Justification for Action

The branch line at 102 break is now equipped with double cones.

See Continuation Form

Section III--Subsequent Action Taken

8. Extended To	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	<input type="checkbox"/> C. Vacated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D. Terminated	<input type="checkbox"/> E. Modified
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Section IV--Inspection Data

9. Type of Inspection E01	10. Event Number 6286108		
11. Signature [Redacted]	AR Number [Redacted]	12. Date Mo Da Yr 03/24/2010	13. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1030



Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 03/15/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0431	3. Citation/ Order Number 8085075
4. Served To Shannon Dickens; Maintance Forman		5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH		7. Mine ID 46-08436 (Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

At break 102 of the long wall section secondary escape way life line, the life line was not marked with the SCSR cache signal to show that the branch line led to 2 boxes of SCSR's.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.380(d)(7)(vii)(A)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:					
A. Injury or illness (has) (is):	No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/>	Unlikely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Reasonably Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be:	No Lost Workdays <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/>	Permanently Disabling <input type="checkbox"/>	Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>	
C. Significant and Substantial:	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. Number of Persons Affected: 001		
11. Negligence (check one)					
A. None <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Low <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. High <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>	
12. Type of Action 104(a)		13. Type of Issuance (check one)			
		Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Order <input type="checkbox"/> Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>			
14. Initial Action			E. Citation/ Order Number	F. Dated Mo Da Yr	
A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/> B. Order <input type="checkbox"/> C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>					
15. Area or Equipment					

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/15/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0700
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate		
18. Terminated		
A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	

Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature		23. AR Number

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Section I--Subsequent Action/Continuation Data

1. Subsequent Action 1a. Continuation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	2. Dated (Original Issue) 03/15/2010 Mo Da Yr	3. Citation/ Order Number 8085075 - 01
4. Served To David Taraczkozy, Chief Electrician	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)

Section II--Justification for Action

The lifeline is marked to show a branch line is immediately ahead.

See Continuation Form

Section III--Subsequent Action Taken

8. Extended To	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	<input type="checkbox"/> C. Vacated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D. Terminated	<input type="checkbox"/> E. Modified
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Section IV--Inspection Data

9. Type of Inspection E01	10. Event Number 6286108		
11. Signature [Redacted]	AR Number [Redacted]	12. Date Mo Da Yr 03/24/2010	13. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1032



Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 03/15/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0415	3. Citation/ Order Number 8085076
4. Served To Shannon Dickens; Maintance Forman		5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH		7. Mine ID 46-08436 (Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The long wall belt had accumulations of fine coal dust, black in color over top of previously rock dusted areas from the belt tail roller to the belt head. Coal dust, including float coal dust deposited on rock-dusted surfaces, loose coal, and other combustible materials, shall be cleaned up.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.400
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:

A. Injury or Illness (has) (is): No Likelihood Unlikely Reasonably Likely Highly Likely Occurred

B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be: No Lost Workdays Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty Permanently Disabling Fatal

C. Significant and Substantial: Yes No

D. Number of Persons Affected: 002

11. Negligence (check one) A. None B. Low C. Moderate D. High E. Reckless Disregard

12. Type of Action 104(a)

13. Type of Issuance (check one) Citation Order Safeguard Written Notice

14. Initial Action

A. Citation B. Order C. Safeguard D. Written Notice

E. Citation/
Order Number

F. Dated Mo Da Yr

15. Area or Equipment

16. Termination Due

A. Date Mo Da Yr
03/17/2010

B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0800

Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate

18. Terminated

A. Date Mo Da Yr

B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)

Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01

20. Event Number 6286108

21. Primary or Mill

22. Signature [Redacted]

23. AR Number [Redacted]

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Section I--Subsequent Action/Continuation Data

1. Subsequent Action 1a. Continuation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	2. Dated (Original Issue) Mo Da Yr 03/15/2010	3. Citation/ Order Number 8085076 - 01
4. Served To David Taraczkozy, Chief Electrician	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)

Section II--Justification for Action

The belt line has been cleaned and rock dusted.

See Continuation Form

Section III--Subsequent Action Taken

8. Extended To	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	<input type="checkbox"/> C. Vacated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D. Terminated	<input type="checkbox"/> E. Modified
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Section IV--Inspection Data

9. Type of Inspection E01	10. Event Number 6286108		
11. Signature [Redacted]	AR Number [Redacted]	12. Date Mo Da Yr 03/24/2010	13. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1138



Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 03/15/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0510	3. Citation/ Order Number 8085077
4. Served To Shannon Dickens; Maintance Forman	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436 (Contractor)	
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

At the five north belt drive, from behind the take-up and going inby 350 feet there is an accumulation of lose coal and fine coal dust, black in color and measuring 1/8th of a inch deep. Coal dust, including float coal dust deposited on rock-dusted surfaces, loose coal, and other combustible materials, shall be cleaned up.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.400
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:						
A. Injury or Illness (has) (is):		No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/>	Unlikely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Reasonably Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be:		No Lost Workdays <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/>	Permanently Disabling <input type="checkbox"/>	Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>	
C. Significant and Substantial:			D. Number of Persons Affected:			
		Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	002		
11. Negligence (check one)						
A. None <input type="checkbox"/>		B. Low <input type="checkbox"/>		C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		D. High <input type="checkbox"/>
E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>						
12. Type of Action 104(a)			13. Type of Issuance (check one)			
			Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Order <input type="checkbox"/> Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>			
14. Initial Action				E. Citation/ Order Number		F. Dated Mo Da Yr
A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/>		B. Order <input type="checkbox"/>		C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/>		D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>

15. Area or Equipment

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/17/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0800
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate		
18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)

Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature		23. AR Number

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Section I--Subsequent Action/Continuation Data

1. Subsequent Action 1a. Continuation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	2. Dated (Original Issue) Mo Da Yr 03/15/2010	3. Citation/ Order Number 8085077 - 01
4. Served To David Taraczkozy, Chief Electrician	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)

Section II--Justification for Action

The area has been cleaned and rock dusted.

See Continuation Form

Section III--Subsequent Action Taken

8. Extended To	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	<input type="checkbox"/> C. Vacated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D. Terminated	<input type="checkbox"/> E. Modified
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Section IV--Inspection Data

9. Type of Inspection E01	10. Event Number 6286108		
11. Signature 	AR Number 	12. Date Mo Da Yr 03/24/2010	13. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1050



Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1135	3. Citation/ Order Number 8086201
4. Served To BERMAN CORNETT	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The circuit breaker for the welder at the KVA box on mmu 040 is not properly identified, the circuit breaker is identified as scoop charger.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.904
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:					
A. Injury or illness (has) (is):	No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/>	Unlikely <input type="checkbox"/>	Reasonably Likely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be:	No Lost Workdays <input type="checkbox"/>	Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/>	Permanently Disabling <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>	
C. Significant and Substantial:	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	D. Number of Persons Affected: 001		

11. Negligence (check one)	A. None <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Low <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. High <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>
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12. Type of Action 104(a)	13. Type of Issuance (check one)	Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Order <input type="checkbox"/>	Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/>	Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>
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14. Initial Action	A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Order <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/>	D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Citation/ Order Number	F. Dated Mo Da Yr
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15. Area or Equipment

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1145
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate The circuit breaker was identified.

18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1140
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Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
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22. Signature	23. AR Number
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Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1140	3. Citation/ Order Number 8086202
4. Served To BERMAN CORNETT	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

Up to date, date-time and initials are not present at the no.3 scoop charger.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.360(e)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:			
A. Injury or Illness (has) (is):	No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/>	Unlikely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Reasonably Likely <input type="checkbox"/>
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be:	No Lost Workdays <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/>	Permanently Disabling <input type="checkbox"/>
C. Significant and Substantial:	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. Number of Persons Affected: 001
11. Negligence (check one)			
A. None <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Low <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. High <input type="checkbox"/>
12. Type of Action 104(a)		13. Type of Issuance (check one)	
		Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Order <input type="checkbox"/> Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>	
14. Initial Action			E. Citation/ Order Number
A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/> B. Order <input type="checkbox"/> C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>			F. Dated Mo Da Yr

15. Area or Equipment

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1500
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate	
18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr
	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)

Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature		23. AR Number

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Section I--Subsequent Action/Continuation Data

1. Subsequent Action 1a. Continuation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	2. Dated (Original Issue) Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	3. Citation/ Order Number 8086202 - 01
4. Served To Terry Moore, Mine Foreman	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)

Section II--Justification for Action

The charger has been removed from service.

See Continuation Form

Section III--Subsequent Action Taken

8. Extended To A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	<input type="checkbox"/> C. Vacated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D. Terminated	<input type="checkbox"/> E. Modified
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Section IV--Inspection Data

9. Type of Inspection E01	10. Event Number 6286108		
11. Signatu	AR Number	12. Date Mo Da Yr 03/17/2010	13. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1433



Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1145	3. Citation/ Order Number 8086203
4. Served To BERMAN CORNETT	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436 (Contractor)	
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

Up to date, date-time and initial is not present at the no. 1 scoop charger on mmu 040

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.360(e)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:

A. Injury or illness (has) (is): No Likelihood Unlikely Reasonably Likely Highly Likely Occurred

B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be: No Lost Workdays Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty Permanently Disabling Fatal

C. Significant and Substantial: Yes No D. Number of Persons Affected: 001

11. Negligence (check one) A. None B. Low C. Moderate D. High E. Reckless Disregard

12. Type of Action 104(a) 13. Type of Issuance (check one) Citation Order Safeguard Written Notice

14. Initial Action A. Citation B. Order C. Safeguard D. Written Notice E. Citation/
Order Number F. Dated Mo Da Yr

15. Area or Equipment

16. Termination Due A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010 B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1500

Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate

18. Terminated A. Date Mo Da Yr B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)

Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01 20. Event Number 6286108 21. Primary or Mill

22. Signature [Redacted] 23. AR Number [Redacted]

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Section I--Subsequent Action/Continuation Data

1. Subsequent Action 1a. Continuation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	2. Dated (Original Issue) Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	3. Citation/ Order Number 8086203 - 01
4. Served To Terry Moore, Mine Foreman	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)

Section II--Justification for Action

Date, time and initials were placed at the charger.

See Continuation Form

Section III--Subsequent Action Taken

8. Extended To	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	<input type="checkbox"/> C. Vacated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D. Terminated	<input type="checkbox"/> E. Modified
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Section IV--Inspection Data

9. Type of Inspection E01	10. Event Number 6286108		
11. Signature 	AR Number 	12. Date Mo Da Yr 03/17/2010	13. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1100



Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1155	3. Citation/ Order Number 8086204
4. Served To BERMAN CORNETT	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

Page 12 of the approved roof control plan is not being complied with in the no. 1 entry, at the coal feeder the inby opening was measured 33 ft. wide.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.220(a)(1)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:					
A. Injury or Illness (has) (is):	No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/>	Unlikely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Reasonably Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be:	No Lost Workdays <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/>	Permanently Disabling <input type="checkbox"/>	Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>	
C. Significant and Substantial:	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. Number of Persons Affected: 001		
11. Negligence (check one)					
A. None <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Low <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. High <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>	
12. Type of Action 104(a)		13. Type of Issuance (check one)			
		Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Order <input type="checkbox"/> Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>			
14. Initial Action			E. Citation/ Order Number		F. Dated Mo Da Yr
A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/> B. Order <input type="checkbox"/> C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>					
15. Area or Equipment					

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1400
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate		
18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)

Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature	23. AR Number	

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Section I--Subsequent Action/Continuation Data

1. Subsequent Action 1a. Continuation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	2. Dated (Original Issue) Mo Da Yr 03/09/2010	3. Citation/ Order Number 8086204 - 01
4. Served To Terry Moore, Mine Foreman	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)

Section II--Justification for Action

Cribs were set in the wide place.

See Continuation Form

Section III--Subsequent Action Taken

8. Extended To	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	<input type="checkbox"/> C. Vacated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D. Terminated	<input type="checkbox"/> E. Modified
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Section IV--Inspection Data

9. Type of Inspection E01	10. Event Number 6286108		
11. Signature 	AR Number 	12. Date Mo Da Yr 03/17/2010	13. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1430

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Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 03/23/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0930	3. Citation/ Order Number 8086927
4. Served To Shannon Pudue (Foreman)	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The Approve Ventilation Methane and Dust Control Plan for the 066-0 MMU is not being complied with. The Fletcher roof drill operating in the 4 to 3 cross-cut with the line curtain configuration (Blowing) the intake air to the face. The approve plan requires (Exhausting) line curtain configuration.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Safety <input type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.370(a)(1)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:

A. Injury or illness (has) (is): No Likelihood Unlikely Reasonably Likely Highly Likely Occurred

B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be: No Lost Workdays Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty Permanently Disabling Fatal

C. Significant and Substantial: Yes No D. Number of Persons Affected: 002

11. Negligence (check one) A. None B. Low C. Moderate D. High E. Reckless Disregard

12. Type of Action 104(a) 13. Type of Issuance (check one) Citation Order Safeguard Written Notice

14. Initial Action A. Citation B. Order C. Safeguard D. Written Notice E. Citation/
Order Number F. Dated Mo Da Yr

15. Area or Equipment

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/23/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0943
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate The line curtain was moved to the right side (Exhausting) and 4,340 CFM with a MEAV of 43 was recorded.

18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/23/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0943
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Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signal	23. AR Number	

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Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 03/23/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0730	3. Citation/ Order Number 8086928
4. Served To Rick Foster (Mine Foreman)	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436 (Contractor)	
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The Approved Ventilation Methane and Dust Control Plan for the 066-0 MMU is not being complied with. The water sprays for the Joy 12-12 continuous miner, Ser. # JM4598B are not being maintained, 21 of 40 required sprays were inoperable and a water fitting to the spray block located above the throat was broken. This mechanized mining unit is on a reduce standard of 0.8 mg/m3.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.370(a)(1)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:					
A. Injury or illness (has) (is):	No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/>	Unlikely <input type="checkbox"/>	Reasonably Likely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be:	No Lost Workdays <input type="checkbox"/>	Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/>	Permanently Disabling <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>	
C. Significant and Substantial:	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	D. Number of Persons Affected: 003		
11. Negligence (check one)	A. None <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Low <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. High <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>
12. Type of Action	104(a)	13. Type of Issuance (check one)			
		Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		Order <input type="checkbox"/>	Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/>
14. Initial Action		E. Citation/ Order Number		F. Dated Mo Da Yr	
A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/>		B. Order <input type="checkbox"/>		C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/>	
D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>					

15. Area or Equipment

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/23/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1030
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate The water sprays were clean or replaced and the fitting replace allowing 40 water sprays to be operable.

18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr 03/23/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1030
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Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code)	E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signatu			23. AR Number

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Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 01/07/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0940	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087709
4. Served To Terry Moore, Mine Foreman		5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH		7. Mine ID 46-08436 (Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The operator is not following the Ventilation Plan as approved by the District Manager on the No.1 section (MMU's 029-0), air flow is not in the direction as shown on the approved map. The intake air split for the No.1 section which is used as the primary escapeway, with the lifeline miners are to use to escape in fresh air in emergency situations, the air flow has reversed with air flow going outby. In case of an emergency the men on this section would not have fresh air in the primary escapeway. Terry Moore, mine foreman, stated he was aware of this condition and that it has existed for approximately 3 weeks. Mr. Moore engaged in aggravated conduct constituting more than ordinary negligence in that he was aware of the condition. This violation is an unwarrantable failure to comply with a mandatory standard.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.370(a)(1)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:

A. Injury or illness (has) (is): No Likelihood Unlikely Reasonably Likely Highly Likely Occurred

B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be: No Lost Workdays Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty Permanently Disabling Fatal

C. Significant and Substantial: Yes No

D. Number of Persons Affected: 015

11. Negligence (check one) A. None B. Low C. Moderate D. High E. Reckless Disregard

12. Type of Action 104(d)(2)

13. Type of Issuance (check one) Citation Order Safeguard Written Notice

14. Initial Action

A. Citation B. Order C. Safeguard D. Written Notice

E. Citation/Order Number 8082692

F. Dated Mo Da Yr 03/17/2009

15. Area or Equipment The No.1 section and outby areas using this primary escapeway.

16. Termination Due

A. Date Mo Da Yr

B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)

Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate The operator opened regulators to put air flow as shown on the approved map.

18. Terminated

A. Date Mo Da Yr 01/07/2010

B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1230

Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01

20. Event Number 6286108

21. Primary or Mill

22. Signature

23. AR Number

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Section I--Subsequent Action/Continuation Data

1. Subsequent Action 1a. Continuation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	2. Dated (Original Issue) Mo Da Yr 01/07/2010	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087709 - 01
4. Served To Terry Moore, Mine Foreman	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)

Section II--Justification for Action

Change	From	To
10. D. Persons Affected	15	10
Reason Only 10 people on section.		

See Continuation Form

Section III--Subsequent Action Taken

8. Extended To	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	<input type="checkbox"/> C. Vacated	<input type="checkbox"/> D. Terminated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> E. Modified
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Section IV--Inspection Data

9. Type of Inspection E01	10. Event Number 6286108		
11. Signat	AR Number	12. Date Mo Da Yr 01/11/2010	13. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0733



Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 01/07/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1310	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087710
4. Served To Terry Moore, Mine Foreman	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The operator is not following the Ventilation Plan as approved by the District Manager. The return air course from the No.1 section at the overcast on the longwall belt, located 1 1/2 breaks outby survey spad No.22626 at break 11 was entering the secondary escapeway used by the men on the longwall section. This air is used to ventilate the face of the active longwall section (MMU 050-0). When checked with a Solaris gas detector, the detector showed 0.10% methane and 20.8% oxygen in the air going to the longwall face.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.370(a)(1)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:

A. Injury or illness (has) (is): No Likelihood Unlikely Reasonably Likely Highly Likely Occurred

B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be: No Lost Workdays Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty Permanently Disabling Fatal

C. Significant and Substantial: Yes No

D. Number of Persons Affected: 010

11. Negligence (check one) A. None B. Low C. Moderate D. High E. Reckless Disregard

12. Type of Action 104(d)(2)

13. Type of Issuance (check one) Citation Order Safeguard Written Notice

14. Initial Action A. Citation B. Order C. Safeguard D. Written Notice

E. Citation/
Order Number 8082692

F. Dated Mo Da Yr
03/17/2009

15. Area or Equipment The secondary escapeway for the longwall section from break 11 on the longwall belt extending inby

16. Termination Due A. Date Mo Da Yr B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)

Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate A door was shut on the No.2 section and air returned to direction as shown on the approved map.

18. Terminated A. Date Mo Da Yr B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1314

Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01

20. Event Number 6286108

21. Primary or Mill

22. Signature

23. AR Number

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Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 01/11/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1250	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087711
4. Served To Bill Craddock, Outby Electrician		5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH		7. Mine ID 46-08436 (Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The escapeway map located on the surface at the Birchton portals where miners congregate, does not show the designated alternate escapeway as it is underground. The escapeway with lifeline located underground is going to the Birchton portals, while the map shows the escapeway going to the North portals located at the main mine office. The Birchton portals is the shortest most direct route to the surface.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.1505(a)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:					
A. Injury or Illness (has) (is):	No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/>	Unlikely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Reasonably Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be:	No Lost Workdays <input type="checkbox"/>	Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/>	Permanently Disabling <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>	
C. Significant and Substantial:	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. Number of Persons Affected: 025		
11. Negligence (check one)					
A. None <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Low <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. High <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>	
12. Type of Action 104(a)		13. Type of Issuance (check one)			
		Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Order <input type="checkbox"/> Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>			
14. Initial Action			E. Citation/ Order Number		F. Dated Mo Da Yr
A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/> B. Order <input type="checkbox"/> C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>					
15. Area or Equipment					

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 01/13/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0800
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate		
18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)

Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature		23. AR Number

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Section I--Subsequent Action/Continuation Data

1. Subsequent Action 1a. Continuation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	2. Dated (Original Issue) Mo Da Yr 01/11/2010	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087711 - 01
4. Served To Bill Craddock, Outby Electrician	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)

Section II--Justification for Action

The escapeway map located on the surface now shows the escapeway as it is located underground.

See Continuation Form

Section III--Subsequent Action Taken

8. Extended To	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	<input type="checkbox"/> C. Vacated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D. Terminated	<input type="checkbox"/> E. Modified
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Section IV--Inspection Data

9. Type of Inspection E01	10. Event Number 6286108		
11. Signature [Redacted]	AR Number [Redacted]	12. Date Mo Da Yr 01/19/2010	13. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1400



Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 01/19/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1040	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087713
4. Served To Wayne Persinger, Mine Manager	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The Ellis No.5 belt drive has accumulations of loose wet coal and coal fines underneath the drive rollers, and extend to the stationary roller for the take up. The accumulations when measured were up to 20 inches deep, 4 feet in width, and 10 feet in length.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.400
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:					
A. Injury or illness (has) (is):	No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/>	Unlikely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Reasonably Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be:	No Lost Workdays <input type="checkbox"/>	Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/>	Permanently Disabling <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>	
C. Significant and Substantial:	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. Number of Persons Affected: 005		
11. Negligence (check one)	A. None <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Low <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. High <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>
12. Type of Action	104(a)	13. Type of Issuance (check one) Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Order <input type="checkbox"/> Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>			
14. Initial Action	A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Order <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/>	D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Citation/ Order Number
15. Area or Equipment					F. Dated Mo Da Yr

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 01/22/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0800
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate		
18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)

Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature		23. AR Number

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Section I--Subsequent Action/Continuation Data

1. Subsequent Action 1a. Continuation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	2. Dated (Original Issue) Mo Da Yr 01/19/2010	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087713 - 01
4. Served To Everett Hager, Superintendent	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)

Section II--Justification for Action

Jacks have been set, and the rib is now supported.

See Continuation Form

Section III--Subsequent Action Taken

8. Extended To	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	<input type="checkbox"/> C. Vacated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D. Terminated	<input type="checkbox"/> E. Modified
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Section IV--Inspection Data

9. Type of Inspection E01	10. Event Number 6286108		
11. Signature 	AR Number 	12. Date Mo Da Yr 01/20/2010	13. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1515

Mine Citation/Order
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Section I--Subsequent Action/Continuation Data

1. Subsequent Action 1a. Continuation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	2. Dated (Original Issue) 01/19/2010 Mo Da Yr	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087713 - 02
4. Served To Everett Hager, Superintendent	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)

Section II--Justification for Action

Change From To

8. Condition Or Practice

Reason Terminated violation under wrong citation number.

18. B. Terminated Time

15:47

Reason

Accumulation have been removed from underneath of the drive rollers at the Ellis #5 belt.

See Continuation Form

Section III--Subsequent Action Taken

8. Extended To	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	<input type="checkbox"/> C. Vacated	<input type="checkbox"/> D. Terminated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> E. Modified
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Section IV--Inspection Data

9. Type of Inspection E01	10. Event Number 6286108		
11. Signat	AR Number	12. Date Mo Da Yr 01/20/2010	13. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1622



Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 01/19/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1110	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087714
4. Served To Wayne Persinger, Mine Manager	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436 (Contractor)	
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The Ellis No.5 belt is not properly aligned to prevent the belt from rubbing against the structure. Located between No.8 and No.9 break of No.5 Ellis belt, the bottom belt is rubbing seven bottom roller hangers.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.1731(b)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:					
A. Injury or Illness (has) (is):	No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/>	Unlikely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Reasonably Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be:	No Lost Workdays <input type="checkbox"/>	Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/>	Permanently Disabling <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>	
C. Significant and Substantial:	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. Number of Persons Affected: 005		
11. Negligence (check one)	A. None <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Low <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. High <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>
12. Type of Action	104(a)	13. Type of Issuance (check one) Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Order <input type="checkbox"/> Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>			
14. Initial Action	A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Order <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/>	D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Citation/ Order Number
					F. Dated Mo Da Yr

15. Area or Equipment

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 01/19/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1113
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate The belt was aligned to prevent rubbing against the structure.

18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr 01/19/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1113
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Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
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22. Signature	23. AR Number
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Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 01/19/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1200	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087715
4. Served To Wayne Persinger, Mine Manager		5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH		7. Mine ID 46-08436 (Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

At two locations along the Ellis No.5 belt, there were damaged rollers in the belt line. At 23 to 24 break, middle canister damaged on top structure, at 28 to 29 break, middle canister damaged on top structure.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.1731(a)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:					
A. Injury or Illness (has) (is):	No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/>	Unlikely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Reasonably Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be:	No Lost Workdays <input type="checkbox"/>	Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/>	Permanently Disabling <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>	
C. Significant and Substantial:	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. Number of Persons Affected: 005		
11. Negligence (check one)					
A. None <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Low <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. High <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>	
12. Type of Action 104(a)		13. Type of Issuance (check one)			
		Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Order <input type="checkbox"/> Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>			
14. Initial Action			E. Citation/ Order Number		F. Dated Mo Da Yr
A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/> B. Order <input type="checkbox"/> C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>					

15. Area or Equipment

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 01/19/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1600
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate		
18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)

Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature		23. AR Number

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Section I--Subsequent Action/Continuation Data

1. Subsequent Action 1a. Continuation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	2. Dated (Original Issue) Mo Da Yr 01/19/2010	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087715 - 01
4. Served To Everett Hager, Superintendent	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)

Section II--Justification for Action

The damage rollers have now been replaced.

See Continuation Form

Section III--Subsequent Action Taken

8. Extended To	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	<input type="checkbox"/> C. Vacated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D. Terminated	<input type="checkbox"/> E. Modified
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Section IV--Inspection Data

9. Type of Inspection E01	10. Event Number 6286108		
11. Signature 	AR Number 	12. Date Mo Da Yr 01/20/2010	13. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1542



Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 01/19/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1210	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087716
4. Served To Wayne Persinger, Mine Manager		5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH		7. Mine ID 46-08436 (Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The Ellis No.5 belt line has accumulations of loose wet coal and coal fines along the walkway side of the belt line. When measured the accumulations where, 100 feet in length, up to 4 feet in width, and up to 6 inches deep.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.400
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:					
A. Injury or illness (has) (is):	No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/>	Unlikely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Reasonably Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be:	No Lost Workdays <input type="checkbox"/>	Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/>	Permanently Disabling <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>	
C. Significant and Substantial:				D. Number of Persons Affected:	
Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>				005	
11. Negligence (check one)					
A. None <input type="checkbox"/> B. Low <input type="checkbox"/> C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D. High <input type="checkbox"/> E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>					
12. Type of Action		13. Type of Issuance (check one)			
104(a)		Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Order <input type="checkbox"/> Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>			
14. Initial Action			E. Citation/ Order Number		F. Dated Mo Da Yr
A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/> B. Order <input type="checkbox"/> C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>					
15. Area or Equipment					

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 01/25/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0800
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate		
18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)

Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature	23. AR Number	

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Section I--Subsequent Action/Continuation Data

1. Subsequent Action 1a. Continuation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	2. Dated (Original Issue) Mo Da Yr 01/19/2010	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087716 - 01
4. Served To Everett Hager, Superintendent	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)

Section II--Justification for Action

The accumulation between 28 and 29 break on Ellis #5 belt have been removed and rock dusted.

See Continuation Form

Section III--Subsequent Action Taken

8. Extended To	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	<input type="checkbox"/> C. Vacated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D. Terminated	<input type="checkbox"/> E. Modified
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Section IV--Inspection Data

9. Type of Inspection E01	10. Event Number 6286108		
11. Signatu	AR Number	12. Date Mo Da Yr 01/20/2010	13. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1530



Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 01/19/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1250	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087717
4. Served To Wayne Persinger, Mine Manager		5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH		7. Mine ID 46-08436 (Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The ribs along the walkway side on 4 North belt between 34 and 35 break where persons are required to work or travel are not supported or otherwise controlled to protect persons from hazards related to falls of ribs. When measured, the rib is 11 feet long, 7 feet high (5 feet coal and 2 feet rock), and 9 inches thick with a gap opening the measured 5 inches. It is 6 feet between the rib and the structure of the belt line.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.202(a)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:				
A. Injury or Illness (has) (is): No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/> Unlikely <input type="checkbox"/> Reasonably Likely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/> Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>				
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be: No Lost Workdays <input type="checkbox"/> Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/> Permanently Disabling <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>				
C. Significant and Substantial: Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>			D. Number of Persons Affected: 003	
11. Negligence (check one) A. None <input type="checkbox"/> B. Low <input type="checkbox"/> C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D. High <input type="checkbox"/> E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>				
12. Type of Action 104(a)		13. Type of Issuance (check one) Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Order <input type="checkbox"/> Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>		
14. Initial Action A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/> B. Order <input type="checkbox"/> C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>			E. Citation/ Order Number	
F. Dated Mo Da Yr				
15. Area or Equipment				

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 01/19/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1800
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate		
18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)

Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature		23. AR Number

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Section I--Subsequent Action/Continuation Data

1. Subsequent Action 1a. Continuation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	2. Dated (Original Issue) Mo Da Yr 01/19/2010	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087717 - 01
4. Served To Everett Hager, Superintendent	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)

Section II--Justification for Action

Jacks have been set, and rib is now supported.

See Continuation Form

Section III--Subsequent Action Taken

8. Extended To	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	<input type="checkbox"/> C. Vacated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D. Terminated	<input type="checkbox"/> E. Modified
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Section IV--Inspection Data

9. Type of Inspection E01	10. Event Number 6286108		
11. Signature 	AR Number 	12. Date Mo Da Yr 01/20/2010	13. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1515

Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 01/27/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0730	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087718
4. Served To Charlie Semenske, Fireboss		5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH		7. Mine ID 46-08436 (Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The secondary escapeway lifeline is not located in such a manner for miners to effectively use to escape in emergency situations. At 2 locations along the escapeway, (1) Ellis switch, (2) 78 break switch at 6 North belt drive, the lifeline is tangled with other cables and waterlines.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.380(d)(7)(iv)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:					
A. Injury or illness (has) (is):	No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/>	Unlikely <input type="checkbox"/>	Reasonably Likely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be:	No Lost Workdays <input type="checkbox"/>	Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/>	Permanently Disabling <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>	
C. Significant and Substantial:	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	D. Number of Persons Affected: 020		
11. Negligence (check one)					
A. None <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Low <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. High <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>	
12. Type of Action 104(a)		13. Type of Issuance (check one)			
		Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Order <input type="checkbox"/> Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>			
14. Initial Action			E. Citation/ Order Number		F. Dated Mo Da Yr
A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/> B. Order <input type="checkbox"/> C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>					
15. Area or Equipment					

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 01/27/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1300
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate Lifeline has been placed in a manner for miners to effectively use.

18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr 01/27/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1246
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Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature		23. AR Number

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Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 01/27/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0850	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087719
4. Served To Charlie Semenske, Fireboss		5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH		7. Mine ID 46-08436 (Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The intake air course for the No.1 section (MMU 029-0) can not be traveled in its entirety. Located between 129 break and 130 break at the Glory Hole, water has accumulated to a depth of at least 16 inches, for a distance of 90 feet, and is rib to rib. The water is dark in color that would not allow a person to see slip, trip, and fall hazards.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.364(b)(1)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:					
A. Injury or Illness (has) (is):	No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/>	Unlikely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Reasonably Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be:	No Lost Workdays <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/>	Permanently Disabling <input type="checkbox"/>	Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>	
C. Significant and Substantial:	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. Number of Persons Affected: 001		
11. Negligence (check one)					
A. None <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Low <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. High <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>	
12. Type of Action 104(a)		13. Type of Issuance (check one)			
		Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Order <input type="checkbox"/> Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>			
14. Initial Action			E. Citation/ Order Number		F. Dated Mo Da Yr
A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/> B. Order <input type="checkbox"/> C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>					
15. Area or Equipment					

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 02/01/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0800
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate		
18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)

Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature		23. AR Number

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Section I--Subsequent Action/Continuation Data

1. Subsequent Action 1a. Continuation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	2. Dated (Original Issue) 01/27/2010 Mo Da Yr	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087719 - 01
4. Served To Everett Hager, Superintendent	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)

Section II--Justification for Action

A walkway has been provided and the air course can now be traveled in its entirety.

See Continuation Form

Section III--Subsequent Action Taken

8. Extended To	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	<input type="checkbox"/> C. Vacated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D. Terminated	<input type="checkbox"/> E. Modified
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Section IV--Inspection Data

9. Type of Inspection E01	10. Event Number 6286108		
11. Signature	AR Number	12. Date Mo Da Yr 02/08/2010	13. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0945

Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 01/27/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0950	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087720
4. Served To Charlie Semenske, Fireboss	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436 (Contractor)	
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The persons conducting the pre-shift examinations of the intake room located at 147 break on Old North Mains, has not certified by dates, times, and initials that an examination was made. The only dates found was the pre-shift for the Evening Shift for the dates of 1/21/2010 to 1/26/2010, times varied from 12:00pm to 12:30pm for the dates, and the initials were from JAB and BC.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.360(f)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:

A. Injury or illness (has) (is): No Likelihood Unlikely Reasonably Likely Highly Likely Occurred

B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be: No Lost Workdays Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty Permanently Disabling Fatal

C. Significant and Substantial: Yes No

D. Number of Persons Affected: 001

11. Negligence (check one) A. None B. Low C. Moderate D. High E. Reckless Disregard

12. Type of Action 104(a)

13. Type of issuance (check one) Citation Order Safeguard Written Notice

14. Initial Action A. Citation B. Order C. Safeguard D. Written Notice

E. Citation/Order Number

F. Dated Mo Da Yr

15. Area or Equipment

16. Termination Due A. Date Mo Da Yr 01/29/2010 B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0800

Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate

18. Terminated A. Date Mo Da Yr B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)

Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01

20. Event Number 6286108

21. Primary or Mill

22. Signat

23. AR Number

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Section I--Subsequent Action/Continuation Data

1. Subsequent Action 1a. Continuation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	2. Dated (Original Issue) 01/27/2010 Mo Da Yr	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087720 - 01
4. Served To Everett Hager, Superintendent	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)

Section II--Justification for Action

The intake room is now being pre-shifted.

See Continuation Form

Section III--Subsequent Action Taken

8. Extended To	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	<input type="checkbox"/> C. Vacated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D. Terminated	<input type="checkbox"/> E. Modified
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Section IV--Inspection Data

9. Type of Inspection E01	10. Event Number 6286108		
11. Signature	AR Number	12. Date Mo Da Yr 02/08/2010	13. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1000

Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 02/09/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0855	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087721
4. Served To Berman Cornett, Safety	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The Pre-Shift/On-Shift record book for the No.3 section has not been countersigned by the Mine Foreman or equivalent mine official. The last date signed was for the day shift on 02/06/2010.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.360(g)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:

A. Injury or Illness (has) (is): No Likelihood Unlikely Reasonably Likely Highly Likely Occurred

B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be: No Lost Workdays Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty Permanently Disabling Fatal

C. Significant and Substantial: Yes No D. Number of Persons Affected: 001

11. Negligence (check one) A. None B. Low C. Moderate D. High E. Reckless Disregard

12. Type of Action 104(a) 13. Type of Issuance (check one) Citation Order Safeguard Written Notice

14. Initial Action A. Citation B. Order C. Safeguard D. Written Notice E. Citation/Order Number F. Dated Mo Da Yr

15. Area or Equipment

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 02/09/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0914
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate The Pre-Shift/On-Shift book has been countersigned by the mine foreman.

18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr 02/09/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0914
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Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature		23. AR Number

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Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 02/09/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1100	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087722
4. Served To Berman Cornett, Safety		5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH		7. Mine ID 46-08436 (Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

In various locations along the North Mains intake air course, from 58 break to 108 break, the bearing plates of the roof bolts are not firmly against the roof. The roof has fell out from around the bolts, causing the plates not to be in contact with the mine roof.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.204(c)(1)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:			
A. Injury or illness (has) (is): No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/> Unlikely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reasonably Likely <input type="checkbox"/> Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/> Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>			
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be: No Lost Workdays <input type="checkbox"/> Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/> Permanently Disabling <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>			
C. Significant and Substantial: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			D. Number of Persons Affected: 001
11. Negligence (check one) A. None <input type="checkbox"/> B. Low <input type="checkbox"/> C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D. High <input type="checkbox"/> E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>			
12. Type of Action 104(a)		13. Type of Issuance (check one) Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Order <input type="checkbox"/> Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>	
14. Initial Action A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/> B. Order <input type="checkbox"/> C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>			E. Citation/ Order Number
15. Area or Equipment			
16. Termination Due A. Date Mo Da Yr 02/22/2010 B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0800			

Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate	
18. Terminated A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)

Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature		23. AR Number

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Section I--Subsequent Action/Continuation Data

1. Subsequent Action 1a. Continuation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	2. Dated (Original Issue) 02/09/2010 Mo Da Yr	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087722 - 01
4. Served To Berman Cornett, Safety	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)

Section II--Justification for Action

Timbers, and Jacks have been installed and the bolts replaced.

See Continuation Form

Section III--Subsequent Action Taken

8. Extended To	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	<input type="checkbox"/> C. Vacated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D. Terminated	<input type="checkbox"/> E. Modified
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Section IV--Inspection Data

9. Type of Inspection E01	10. Event Number 6286108		
11. Signature	AR Number	12. Date Mo Da Yr 03/01/2010	13. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0540



Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 02/11/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1300	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087723
4. Served To Gary May, Superintendent	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The operator is not following the Roof Control Plan as approved by the District Manager. On the No.3 section (MMU's 066/067) the face of the No.6 entry is 29 feet wide for a distance of 8 feet. Page 12, drawing 2 shows the maximum width of entries and crosscuts shall not exceed 20 feet.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.220(a)(1)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:					
A. Injury or illness (has) (is):	No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/>	Unlikely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Reasonably Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be:	No Lost Workdays <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/>	Permanently Disabling <input type="checkbox"/>	Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>	
C. Significant and Substantial:	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. Number of Persons Affected: 002		
11. Negligence (check one)					
A. None <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Low <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. High <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>	
12. Type of Action 104(a)		13. Type of Issuance (check one)			
		Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Order <input type="checkbox"/> Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>			
14. Initial Action			E. Citation/ Order Number		F. Dated Mo Da Yr
A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/> B. Order <input type="checkbox"/> C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>					
15. Area or Equipment					

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 02/11/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1600
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate	Jacks were set to reduce the entry width to the plan.
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18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr 02/11/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1400
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Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature		23. AR Number

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Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 02/11/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1310	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087724
4. Served To Gary May, Superintendent		5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH		7. Mine ID 46-08436 (Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The sightline used for directional control to maintain the projected direction of mining in the No.6 entry was not adequate, causing a narrow block of coal to exist between the No.6 and No.7 entries. The inby corners of the outby coal pillar was 22 feet, corner to corner when measured.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.203(b)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:					
A. Injury or illness (has) (is):	No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/>	Unlikely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Reasonably Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be:	No Lost Workdays <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/>	Permanently Disabling <input type="checkbox"/>	Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>	
C. Significant and Substantial:	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. Number of Persons Affected: 002		
11. Negligence (check one)					
A. None <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Low <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. High <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>	
12. Type of Action 104(a)		13. Type of Issuance (check one)			
		Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Order <input type="checkbox"/> Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>			
14. Initial Action			E. Citation/ Order Number		F. Dated Mo Da Yr
A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/> B. Order <input type="checkbox"/> C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>					
15. Area or Equipment					

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 02/11/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1600
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate		
18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)

Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature	23. AR Number	

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Section I--Subsequent Action/Continuation Data

1. Subsequent Action 1a. Continuation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	2. Dated (Original Issue) Mo Da Yr 02/11/2010	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087724 - 01
4. Served To Gary May, Superintendent	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)

Section II--Justification for Action

Center timbers were set in the entry and new survey spads were installed.

See Continuation Form

Section III--Subsequent Action Taken

8. Extended To	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	<input type="checkbox"/> C. Vacated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D. Terminated	<input type="checkbox"/> E. Modified
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Section IV--Inspection Data

9. Type of Inspection E01	10. Event Number 6286108		
11. Signature [Redacted]	AR Number [Redacted]	12. Date Mo Da Yr 02/16/2010	13. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1050



Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 02/11/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1325	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087725
4. Served To Gary May, Superintendent	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor) <input type="checkbox"/>
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The crosscut of the No.2 to No.1 entries has excessive width for more the 5 feet. When measured the width of the crosscut was from 20 1/2 feet to 21 1/2 feet wide for a distance of 32 feet.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.203(e)(2)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:					
A. Injury or Illness (has) (is):	No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/>	Unlikely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Reasonably Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be:	No Lost Workdays <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/>	Permanently Disabling <input type="checkbox"/>	Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>	
C. Significant and Substantial:	Yes <input type="checkbox"/>	No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. Number of Persons Affected: 002		
11. Negligence (check one)	A. None <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Low <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. High <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>
12. Type of Action	104(a)	13. Type of Issuance (check one) Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Order <input type="checkbox"/> Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>			
14. Initial Action	A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Order <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/>	D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Citation/ Order Number
15. Area or Equipment					F. Dated Mo Da Yr

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 02/11/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1600
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate		
18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)

Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature		23. AR Number

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Section I--Subsequent Action/Continuation Data

1. Subsequent Action 1a. Continuation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	2. Dated (Original Issue) Mo Da Yr 02/11/2010	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087725 - 01
4. Served To Gary May, Superintendent	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)

Section II--Justification for Action

Jacks were set to reduce the width of the crosscut.

See Continuation Form

Section III--Subsequent Action Taken

8. Extended To A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	<input type="checkbox"/> C. Vacated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D. Terminated	<input type="checkbox"/> E. Modified
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Section IV--Inspection Data

9. Type of Inspection E01	10. Event Number 6286108		
11. Signature 	AR Number 	12. Date Mo Da Yr 02/16/2010	13. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1040



Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 02/11/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1415	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087726
4. Served To Gary May, Superintendent	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The secondary lifeline on the No.3 section which miners are to use to exit the mine in emergency situations was not extended to section loading point. The lifeline was located 2 crosscuts outby the section loading point.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.380(d)(7)(i)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:	A. Injury or Illness (has) (is): No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/> Unlikely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Reasonably Likely <input type="checkbox"/> Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/> Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be: No Lost Workdays <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/> Permanently Disabling <input type="checkbox"/> Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Significant and Substantial: Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. Number of Persons Affected: 003
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11. Negligence (check one)	A. None <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Low <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. High <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>
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12. Type of Action 104(a)	13. Type of Issuance (check one)	Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Order <input type="checkbox"/>	Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/>	Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>
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14. Initial Action	A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Order <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/>	D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Citation/ Order Number	F. Dated Mo Da Yr
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15. Area or Equipment

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 02/11/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1430
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate The lifeline was extended to the section loading point.

18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr 02/11/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1430
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Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
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22. Signature	23. AR Number
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Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 02/16/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1205	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087727
4. Served To David Taraczkozy, Chief Electrician	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436 (Contractor)	
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The No.1 and No.2 Ground Hog Scoop chargers, S/N GB28171 and GJ42597 located in the intake air course for the No.3 section (MMU's 066/067) at survey station No.24106 is not ventilated to the return air course or to the surface. The Intake air is flowing across the charging stations to the active working section.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.340(a)(2)(i)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:					
A. Injury or Illness (has) (is):	No Likelihood <input type="checkbox"/>	Unlikely <input type="checkbox"/>	Reasonably Likely <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Highly Likely <input type="checkbox"/>	Occurred <input type="checkbox"/>
B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be:	No Lost Workdays <input type="checkbox"/>	Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty <input type="checkbox"/>	Permanently Disabling <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Fatal <input type="checkbox"/>	
C. Significant and Substantial:	Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	No <input type="checkbox"/>	D. Number of Persons Affected: 010		
11. Negligence (check one)	A. None <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Low <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Moderate <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	D. High <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Reckless Disregard <input type="checkbox"/>
12. Type of Action	104(a)	13. Type of Issuance (check one) Citation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Order <input type="checkbox"/> Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/> Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>			
14. Initial Action	A. Citation <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Order <input type="checkbox"/>	C. Safeguard <input type="checkbox"/>	D. Written Notice <input type="checkbox"/>	E. Citation/ Order Number
15. Area or Equipment					F. Dated Mo Da Yr

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 02/17/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0800
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate		
18. Terminated	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)

Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code)	E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature			23. AR Number

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Section I--Subsequent Action/Continuation Data

1. Subsequent Action 1a. Continuation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	2. Dated (Original Issue) 02/16/2010 Mo Da Yr	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087727 - 01
4. Served To Gary May, Superintendent	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)

Section II--Justification for Action

The intake air is now going into the return at the #1 and #2 scoop chargers.

See Continuation Form

Section III--Subsequent Action Taken

8. Extended To	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	<input type="checkbox"/> C. Vacated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D. Terminated	<input type="checkbox"/> E. Modified
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Section IV--Inspection Data

9. Type of Inspection E02	10. Event Number 6288671		
11. Signature	AR Number	12. Date Mo Da Yr 02/17/2010	13. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1030



Section I--Violation Data

1. Date Mo Da Yr 02/16/2010	2. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1225	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087728
4. Served To David Taraczkozy, Chief Electrician	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)
8. Condition or Practice		8a. Written Notice (103g) <input type="checkbox"/>

The permanent stopping located at #26 break on No.3 section #1 belt is not being maintained, in that the belt conveyor haulageway and intake air course for the No.3 section (MMU's 066/067) is not separated. A hole is present in the stopping measuring 8x16 inches.

See Continuation Form (MSHA Form 7000-3a)

9. Violation	A. Health <input type="checkbox"/> Safety <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Other <input type="checkbox"/>	B. Section of Act	C. Part/Section of Title 30 CFR 75.333(b)(3)
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Section II--Inspector's Evaluation

10. Gravity:

A. Injury or illness (has) (is): No Likelihood Unlikely Reasonably Likely Highly Likely Occurred

B. Injury or illness could reasonably be expected to be: No Lost Workdays Lost Workdays Or Restricted Duty Permanently Disabling Fatal

C. Significant and Substantial: Yes No D. Number of Persons Affected: 010

11. Negligence (check one) A. None B. Low C. Moderate D. High E. Reckless Disregard

12. Type of Action 104(a) 13. Type of Issuance (check one) Citation Order Safeguard Written Notice

14. Initial Action A. Citation B. Order C. Safeguard D. Written Notice E. Citation/
Order Number F. Dated Mo Da Yr

15. Area or Equipment

16. Termination Due	A. Date Mo Da Yr 02/17/2010	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 0800
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Section III--Termination Action

17. Action to Terminate

18. Terminated A. Date
Mo Da Yr B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)

Section IV--Automated System Data

19. Type of Inspection (activity code) E01	20. Event Number 6286108	21. Primary or Mill
22. Signature		23. AR Number

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Section I--Subsequent Action/Continuation Data

1. Subsequent Action 1a. Continuation <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	2. Dated (Original Issue) Mo Da Yr 02/16/2010	3. Citation/ Order Number 8087728 - 01
4. Served To Gary May, Superintendent	5. Operator PERFORMANCE COAL COMPANY	
6. Mine UPPER BIG BRANCH MINE-SOUTH	7. Mine ID 46-08436	(Contractor)

Section II--Justification for Action

The hole in the stopping has been repaired.

See Continuation Form

Section III--Subsequent Action Taken

8. Extended To	A. Date Mo Da Yr	B. Time (24 Hr. Clock)	<input type="checkbox"/> C. Vacated	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> D. Terminated	<input type="checkbox"/> E. Modified
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Section IV--Inspection Data

9. Type of Inspection E02	10. Event Number 6288671		
11. Signature [Redacted]	AR Number [Redacted]	12. Date Mo Da Yr 02/17/2010	13. Time (24 Hr. Clock) 1105