## GENERAL INFORMATION COVER SHEET

**Inspection Code:** E02  
**Event No.:** 6288667

**Company Name:** Performance Gold Company  
**Mine Name:** Ursa Big Branch Mine - South  
**Mine I.D. Number:** 46-08436

**Date(s) of Mine File Review:** 1-28-10

**D Status:** Yes  
**Citation/Order No.:** 6288667  
**Date:** 3-17-09

**Dates of Inspection:** began 1-28-10  
**Completed:** 1-28-10

**Pre-Inspection Conference Date:** 1-28-10

**Company Representative(s):** Everett Hagen  
**Miners Representative(s):** None

**Post-Inspection Conference Date:** 1-28-10

**Company Representative(s):** Everett Hagen  
**Miners Representative(s):** None

**Inspector's Initials:**  
**Supervisor's Initials and Date:** 1970

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## DAILY COVER SHEET

**Event No.:** 6288667

**Date:** 1-28-10

**Arrived at the Mine:** 8:45  
**Departed from the Mine:**

**List Records Books Checked:** Headgate #2 (*1 Section) ON

**Accompanied By:** Company Representative  
**Miners Representative:** None

**Miners Representative:** None

**AREAS OF INSPECTION ACTIVITY:**

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**Inspector's Initials:**  
**Supervisor's Initials and Date:** 1970

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MSHA Form 7000-10K, June 93 (revised)

Date: 1-28-10

Traveled the track from Ellis portal to the
Ellis switch
NVO
02/21/09 14Y 0.00% while
at the track from Ellis portal to
pneumatic

Traveled the track
from Ellis switch
#1 Section switch
NVO
02/21/09 16Y 0.00%

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17:30

Supervisor Initials

Term 12:35
MSHA Form 7000-10K, June 93 (revised)

Date: 1-28-10

Worked from the #2 tail of the #1 section.

The #2 face N2O
0.10% CH4, 0.0% O2

The #2 Right
0.10% CH4, 0.0% O2

Note: Form #7000-10K, June 93 (revised)

Date: 1-28-10

Worked a seam across the #1 face.

Found the #2 monitor out of celebration and later on in #1 face.
12:25

5 breaks out the power center.

Note: Form #7000-10K, June 93 (revised)

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### AIR READINGS

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### CITATION/ORDER 

**#8077-765**

**Date:** 1-28-10  
**Time:** 10:55  
**Location:** #1 Section Primary escapeway  
**Violation:** 75380(A)(4)(v)  

### Violation Details

- **Mean Entry:** 104.0%
- **Time:** 0'21.06"
- **Location:** Width Bottle Sample No.
- **Height Area:** Height
- **Velocity:** Time
- **Quantity:**

### Additional Information

- **Who knew the violation existed?**  
- **How long has the violation existed?** Several Days
- **If an accident should occur because of this type violation, how serious would it be?**
- **What is the likelihood that this type accident will occur at this mine?**
- **Why?** Unlikely, one for every few hundred.

### No. of Persons Exposed

8 people working on this section.
Date: 1-28-10

Who knew the violation existed?
Main operator

How long has the violation existed?
Several hours

If an accident should occur because of this type violation, how serious would it be?

Acetylene igniter source was not found.

What is the likelihood that this type accident will occur at this mine?

Unlikely.

Why?

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No. of Persons Exposed: One, the operator

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Who knew the violation existed?

How long has the violation existed?

If an accident should occur because of this type violation, how serious would it be?

What is the likelihood that this type accident will occur at this mine?

No. of Persons Exposed: 1

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Who knew the violation existed?
Mine Foreman

How long has the violation existed?
Several weeks

If an accident should occur because of this type violation, how serious would it be?

What is the likelihood that this type accident will occur at this mine?

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Date 1-28-10

Travelled the #1 Section #1 Bellline. The Bellline has float coal dust
and #1 Bellhead to the entire Bellline. 75.400

CITATION/ORDER #: 8072769

Time: 10:50

Location: #1 Section #1 Bellline

Violation: #1 Bellhead for the
#1 Bellhead. 75.400 has float coal dust
along the entire Bellline from the #1 Bellhead to
the #1 tailrace.

No. of Persons Exposed: One, foreman

Unlikely. Mr. Kuehn was
spend all of his work at time of

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Who know the violation existed?

Bell supervisor or

How long has the violation existed?

2 weeks shifts

If an accident should occur because of this type violation, how serious would it be?

Fatality or fire

What is the likelihood that this type accident will occur at this mine?

Unlikely, no

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