

# Preliminary Report of Accident



1. Accident Type: Fatal Injury		2. Accident Classification Powered Haulage		3. Date/Time of Accident 12/04/2010 04:58 PM		4. Date/Time of Death 12/04/2010 04:58 PM		5. Fatal Case No 48							
6. Mine Information :															
a) Mining Company Name Elk Run Coal Co.			b) Mine Name Republic Energy			c) Parent of Mining Company Massey Energy Company									
7. Mine Location :		a) City Scarbro		b) County Fayette		c) State WV		8. Mine ID Number: 46-09054		9. Union: NO					
10. Primary Mineral Mined: BITUMINOUS		11. Number of Mine Employees:		a) Total 148	b) Underground 0	c) Open Pit/Quarry 128	d) Mill/Prep Plant 0		e) Other 20						
12. Contractor Name: Medford Trucking						13. Union NO		14. Contractor ID Number: B106							
15. Contractor Address:			a) City Charleston		b) County Kanawha		c) State WV		d) Zip Code 25306						
16. Number of Contractor Employees:		a) Total 80		b) Underground 80		c) Open Pit/Quarry		d) Mill/Prep Plant		e) Other					
17. Number of Persons in Mine at Time of Accident:					18. Number of Persons Unaccounted For:										
a) Mine Employees: 70		b) Contractor Employees: 10			a) Mine Employees: 0		b) Contractor Employees: 0								
19) Location of Accident									20. Mining Height:						
<input type="checkbox"/> 01-Underground	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 03-Open Pit	<input type="checkbox"/> 07-Advance Mining	<input type="checkbox"/> 30-Mill/Prep Plant	<input type="checkbox"/> Other (specify)	Feet	Inches									
<input type="checkbox"/> 02-Surface at Underground	<input type="checkbox"/> 06-Dredge Mining	<input type="checkbox"/> 08-Retreat Mining	<input type="checkbox"/> 99-Office Facility												
21. Nonfatal Injuries: 0		22. Fatal Injuries: 1													
23. Victim Information :				a) Name Charles Qualls		b) Age 32									
c) Regular Job Title: Coal Truck Driver			d) Activity at Time of Accident: Driving Coal Truck							<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Contractor Employee					
24. Experience :		Years Weeks Days		Years Weeks Days		Years Weeks Days		Years Weeks Days							
a) Total:		4 0 0		b) at the mine:		4 0 0		c) at activity (23d):		4 0 0		d) with Contractor:		4 0 0	
25. Autopsy Performed: If Yes, Location						26. Mine Telephone No.: (304) 595-1870									

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

While descending the coal haul road, the victim began to lose brake control. He warned other drivers of his problem. As he gained speed up to approximately 20 mph, he passed another coal truck traveling in the same direction. The driver then attempted to straddle an axle berm on his left. The truck ran up onto the berm for approximately 100' before it turned over. The victim was found partly out of the passenger side door beneath the right exhaust stack. Rescuers were unable to remove him until EMS arrived and raised the truck cab with air bags.

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

28. Equipment Manufacturer: Peterbilt			29. Model: 1993			
30. District: C0400 Mt. Hope		32. Field Office: Mt. Hope WV			33. Event Number: 6291110	
34. Accident Investigator: Andrew J. Sedlock			35. MSHA Person Notified: Luther Marrs		Date 12/04/2010	Time 06:15 P
36. Type of Report: Initial		37. Name of Preparer and Date Prepared: Andrew Sedlock			Date 12/06/2010	
38. Reason For Amendment:						