## Preliminary Report of Accident

### U.S. Department of Labor
Mine Safety and Health Administration

### 1. Accident Type:
- **Fatal Injury**

### 2. Accident Classification:
- **Powered Haulage**

### 3. Date/Time of Accident:
- 01/14/2019 11:10 AM

### 4. Date/Time of Death:
- 01/14/2019 11:10 AM

### 5. Fatal Case No.:
- 2

### 6. Mine Information:
- **a) Mining Company Name:** Tennco Inc.
- **b) Mine Name:** Toms Fork Mine
- **c) Parent of Mining Company:**

### 7. Mine Location:
- **a) City:** Balkan
- **b) County:** Bell
- **c) State:** KY

### 8. Mine ID Number:
- 15-19844

### 9. Union:
- NO

### 10. Primary Mineral Mined:
- **BITUMINOUS COAL UNDERGROUND**

### 11. Number of Mine Employees:
- **a) Total:** 26
- **b) Underground:** 21
- **c) Open Pit/Quarry:** 0
- **d) Mill/Prep Plant:** 0
- **e) Other:** 5

### 12. Contractor Name:
- Irtec

### 13. Union:
- NO

### 14. Contractor ID Number:
- Z142

### 15. Contractor Address:
- **a) City:** Caryville
- **b) County:** Campbell
- **c) State:** TN
- **d) Zip Code:** 37714-7714

### 16. Number of Contractor Employees:
- **a) Total:** 2
- **b) Underground:** 2
- **c) Open Pit/Quarry:** 0
- **d) Mill/Prep Plant:** 0
- **e) Other:** 0

### 17. Number of Persons in Mine at Time of Accident:
- **a) Mine Employees:** 10
- **b) Contractor Employees:** 2

### 18. Number of Persons Unaccounted For:
- **a) Mine Employees:** 0
- **b) Contractor Employees:** 0

### 19. Location of Accident:
- **01-Underground**
- **02-Surface at Underground**
- **03-Open Pit**
- **06-Dredge Mining**
- **07-Advance Mining**
- **08-Retreat Mining**
- **99-Office Facility**
- **Other (specify):**

### 20. Mining Height:
- Feet: 4
- Inches: 6

### 21. Nonfatal Injuries:
- 0

### 22. Fatal Injuries:
- 1

### 23. Victim Information:
- **a) Name:** Jeffery N. Stone
- **b) Age:** 56
- **c) Regular Job Title:** Spad man
- **d) Activity at Time of Accident:** Taking mining height measurements

### 24. Experience:
- **a) Total:** 30
- **b) at the mine:** 12
- **c) at activity (23d):** 30
- **d) with Contractor:** 0

### 25. Autopsy Performed:
- **YES**
- **Location:** Frankfort, Kentucky
- **Date:** 01/14/2019
- **Time:** 11:20 AM

### 26. Mine Telephone No.:
- (865) 851-6800

### 27. Description of Accident (include equipment involved, the exact location in the mine, and status of rescue and recovery operations):
A two-person spad crew was on the 001-0 MMU. While one spad crew member was setting up the transit in the No. 4 entry, the victim, who was the other spad crew member, was in the No. 3 entry taking measurements of the mining height. A shuttle car traveling in the No. 3 entry toward the feeder struck and fatally injured him.

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

### 28. Equipment Manufacturer:
- Joy Machinery Co. (Joy Manufacturing Co)

### 29. Model:
- 10 SC

### 30. District:
- C0700
- Barbourville

### 31. Field Office:
- Birmingham AL

### 32. Event Number:
- 4457399

### 33. MSHA Person Notified:
- Samuel R. Creasy
- **Date:** 01/14/2019
- **Time:** 11:20 AM

### 34. Accident Investigator:
- Ricky L. Suffridge

### 35. Type of Report:
- Amended

### 36. Name of Preparer and Date Prepared:
- Ricky L Suffridge
- **Date:** 02/12/2019

### 38. Reason For Amendment:
- Correct Model No. of Equipment