Preliminary Report of Accident
PR001 08/22/2019

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

1. Accident Type
   F - Fatal Injury

2. Accident Classification
   18 - Slip or Fall of Person

3. Date/Time of Accident
   08/20/2019 8:00 AM

4. Date/Time of Death
   08/20/2019 8:51 AM

5. Fatal Case No
   17

6. Mine Information
   a) Mining Company Name: Scrubgrass Generating Company LP
   b) Mine Name: Scrubgrass Fuel Handling Facility
   c) Parent of Mining Company: Falcon Power LLC et al

7. Mine Location Information
   a) City: Kennerdell
   b) County: Venango
   c) State: PA

8. Mine ID Number
   36-08567

9. Union
   No

10. Primary Mineral Mined
    a) Total: 0
    b) Underground: 0
    c) Open Pit/Quarry: 0
    d) Mill/Prep Plant: 3
    e) Other: 0

11. Number of Employees
    a) Total: 3
    b) Underground: 0
    c) Open Pit/Quarry: 0
    d) Mill/Prep Plant: 3
    e) Other: 0

12. Contractor Name
    Scrubgrass Generating Company LP

13. Contractor Union
    No

14. Contractor ID Number
    Scrubgrass Fuel Handling Facility

15. Contractor Address
    a) City: Scrubgrass Generating Company LP
    b) County: Venango
    c) State: PA
    d) Zip Code: 16251

16. Number of Contractor Employees
    a) Total: 4
    b) Underground: 0
    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: 3
    b) Contractor Employees: 4

18. Number of Persons Unaccounted for
    a) Mine Employees: 0
    b) Contractor Employees: 0

19. Accident Location
    30 - Mill/Prep Plant

20. Mining Height
    Feet: 0
    Inches: 0

21. Nonfatal Injuries
    22. Fatal Injuries: 1

23. Victims Information
    Thomas A Flinspach
    a) First Name: Thomas
    b) MI: A
    c) Last Name: Flinspach
    d) Age: 20
    e) Regular Job Title: Mobile Equipment Operator
    f) Activity at Time of Accident: Unloading Refuse Kettle
    g) Experience at Time of the Accident:
       a) Total Experience: 0 Years 27 Weeks 0 Days
       b) Experience at the Mine: 0 Years 27 Weeks 0 Days
       c) Experience at the Activity at the Time of the Accident: 0 Years 27 Weeks 0 Days
       d) Experience with Contractor: 0 Years 0 Weeks 0 Days
    h) Autopsy Performed: Yes
    i) Location: Venango County Coroner
    j) Date/Time Notified: 08/20/2019 8:32 AM
    k) Date Prepared: 08/20/2019

24. Mining Experience
    a) Total Experience: 0 Years 27 Weeks 0 Days
    b) Experience at the Mine: 0 Years 27 Weeks 0 Days
    c) Experience at the Activity at the Time of the Accident: 0 Years 27 Weeks 0 Days
    d) Experience with Contractor: 0 Years 0 Weeks 0 Days

25. Autopsy Performed
    Yes

    (814) 385-4367

27. Description of Accident (include equipment involved, the exact location in the mine, and status and recovery operations)
    On August 20, 2019, at approximately 8:00 a.m., a miner was fatally injured when he sustained traumatic injuries from a forty foot fall down a shaft to the cement floor below. The victim was working with another miner unloading a refuse kettle attached to an electric hoist when he went over the unguarded edge of the shaft.

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

28. Equipment Manufacturer
    Not listed
    Not Reported

29. Model
    N/A

30. District
    C0200 - New-Stanton, PA

32. Field Office
    C0202 - Kittanning PA Field Office

33. Event Number
    6232118

34. Accident Investigator
    First Name: Steven
    Last Name: Flinspach

35. MSHA Person Notified
    First Name: Timothy
    Last Name: Horton
    Date/Time Notified: 08/20/2019 8:32 AM

36. Type of Report
    Initial

37. Name of Preparer
    David J McDonald
    Date Prepared: 08/20/2019

38. Reason for Amendment

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