

Preliminary Report of Accident

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



PR001 06/07/2021

1. Accident Type F - Fatal Injury	2. Accident Classification 12 - Powered Haulage	3. Date/Time of Accident 06/03/2021 9:00 AM	4. Date/Time of Death 06/03/2021 9:48 AM	5. Fatal Case No FAI-6316672-1
6. Mine Information				
a) Mining Company Name: Marfork Coal Company, LLC		b) Mine Name: Horse Creek Eagle		
c) Parent of Mining Company: Alpha Metallurgical Resources Inc				
7. Mine Location Information			8. Mine ID Number 46-09091	9. Union No
a) City WHITESVILLE		b) County Raleigh	c) State WV	
10. Primary Mineral Mined Bituminous Coal Underground Mining		11. Number of Employees		
		a) Total 115	b) Underground 109	c) Open Pit/Quarry 6
12. Contractor Name David Stanley Consultants LLC			13. Contractor Union No	14. Contractor ID Number YBV
15. Contractor Address				
a) City Fairmont		b) County Marion	c) State WV	d) Zip Code 26554
16. Number of Contractor Employees				
a) Total 4		b) Underground 4	c) Open Pit/Quarry 0	d) Mill/Prep Plant 0
17. Number of Persons in Mine at Time of Accident		18. Number of Persons Unaccounted for		
a) Mine Employees 37		b) Contractor Employees 0		c) Other 0
19. Accident Location 01 - Underground				20. Mining Height 4 Feet 2 Inches
21. Nonfatal Injuries 0	22. Fatal Injuries 1			

23. Victims Information

Nicholas D Adkins						
a) First Name Nicholas	a) MI D	a) Last Name Adkins	b) Age 43	c) Regular Job Title Section Foreman	d) Activity at Time of Accident Supervising	Employee Mine Employee
24. Mining Experience						
a) Total Experience 16 Years 40 Weeks 0 Days		b) Experience at the Mine 13 Years 46 Weeks 0 Days		c) Experience at the Activity at the Time of the Accident 9 Years Weeks Days		d) Experience with Contractor Years Weeks Days
25. Autopsy Performed If Yes, Location						

26. Mine Telephone No.

(304) 854-3021

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

A section foreman was struck by a shuttle car on its way to the feeder.

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 Joy Machinery Co. (Joy Manufacturing Co)		29. Model 21 SC Shuttle Car		
30. District C0400 - Beckley District		32. Field Office C0401 - Beckley Field Office		33. Event Number 6316672
34. Accident Investigator				
First Name Jamie	MI J	Last Name Shufflebarger		
35. MSHA Person Notified				
First Name	MI	Last Name	Date/Time Notified	
36. Type of Report Initial	37. Name of Preparer Full Name Steven B Redden		Date Prepared 06/03/2021	

38. Reason for Amendment