January 3, 2012

The Honorable Natalie E. Tennant  
Secretary of State  
State Capitol Complex  
Bldg. 1, Suite 157-K  
Charleston, WV 25305

RE: Publication in the State Register

Dear Secretary Tennant:

Please publish the enclosed Memorandum and letter from the West Virginia Mine Safety Technology Task Force in the next edition of the State Register.

Thank you for your attention to this matter.

Very truly yours,

C. A. Phillips  
Director

cc: w/enclosures  
West Virginia Mine Safety Technology Task Force
TO: West Virginia Coal Industry and other interested parties

FROM: C. A. Phillips, Director

RE: List of Innovative Mine Safety Technology Approved for Purposes of The West Virginia Innovative Mine Safety Technology Tax Credit Act

DATE: January 3, 2012

As the Director of the West Virginia Office of Miners’ Health, Safety and Training, I have received a letter from the West Virginia Mine Safety Technology Task Force (Task Force) stating that “no innovative mine safety technology items are available for listing at this time.” Pursuant to the requirements of W. Va. Code § 11-13BB-4, I have reviewed that letter and approve it. Therefore, there are no innovative mine safety technology items available at this time for use with the West Virginia Innovative Mine Safety Technology Tax Credit Act. A copy of the Task Force letter together with this Memorandum shall be filed with the Secretary of State for publication in the State Register.
December 2, 2011

Mr. C. A. Phillips, Director
Office of Miners’ Health, Safety and Training
1615 Washington Street East
Charleston, West Virginia 25311

Re: House Bill 2955

Dear Mr. Phillips:

This letter is being submitted by the West Virginia Safety Technology Task Force in order to comply with the requirements of House Bill 2955 § 11-13BB-4, “List of Approved Innovative Mine Safety Technology”, specifically, item A of the aforementioned section of House Bill 2955.

Qualifications for putting items on the list were not met.

Therefore, no innovative mine safety technology items are available for listing at this time.

Sincerely,

Joel L. Watts, Administrator
WV Board of Coal Mine Health & Safety
On behalf of:

WEST VIRGINIA MINE SAFETY TECHNOLOGY TASK FORCE

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