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DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION

BUREAU OF MINE SAFETY

October 25, 2010

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Mr. Gene Davis
Rosebud Mining Company
301 Market Street
Kittanning, PA 16201

Re: Recommendation for Bucyrus Model 482 Diesel Scoop with an Airflow Model No. 482D7510-7W oxidation catalyst used in conjunction with a Deutz BF4L-2011 78 HP engine and a DST Management System using a Model FST-115-26-DPM filter.

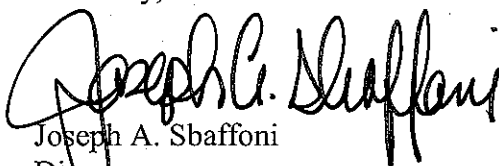
Dear Mr. Davis:

This is in response to your letter dated October 13, 2010 requesting temporary approval for underground use of the Bucyrus Model 482 Diesel Scoop with an Airflow Model No. 482D7510-7W oxidation catalyst used in conjunction with a Deutz BF4L-2011 78 HP engine and a DST Management System using a Model FST-115-26-DPM filter. The next Technical Advisory Meeting is scheduled for January 12, 2011 at which time the final approval for this equipment will be recommended by the TAC.

The TAC and the DEP traveled to Cherry Tree Mine on October 14, 2010 to evaluate this equipment. Subsequently, the TAC issued a recommendation dated October 14, 2010 to the Bureau recommending the approval of the equipment with the understanding that the General Specification Sheet (Attachment 1) be strictly adhered to.

Temporary approval is granted for this equipment to be used prior to the regular scheduled TAC meeting that is to be held on January 12, 2011.

Sincerely,


Joseph A. Scaffoni
Director
Bureau of Mine Safety

Enclosure

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