Name of Company

Is a participant in the
The National Mining Association
CORESafety Initiative

Safety is a core value of the member companies of the National Mining Association (NMA). As an NMA member, we believe safety is a leading indicator of overall performance of U.S. mining.

My company’s management is dedicated to integrating safety into the culture of our organization. We recognize safety leadership is driven by management, and safe work practices and behaviors are critical to make safety a way of life.

CORESafety commits the members of the National Mining Association to the safety and health of their mining employees. Accordingly, we are dedicated to the development and implementation of a safety and health management system to achieve our shared objective of zero fatalities and a 50 percent reduction in rate of injuries within five years (0:50:5).

To achieve this objective, I endorse the following principles:

• Promote the safety and health of every employee, contractor and visitor as a core value that is integrated into all areas of our business;
• Strengthen and promote safety leadership and responsibility among all employees;
• Improve safety performance by conducting an assessment of the organization’s safety culture;
• Assess risks and evaluate and implement appropriate controls to improve employee safety and health;
• Involve all employees in continuous improvement activities to enhance safety and health performance;
• Provide education and training to ensure employees are knowledgeable of potential work hazards, safe work policies, procedures and practices and their responsibility to personal safety and the safety of their co-workers;
• Provide the tools and training required for miners to operate all mines, plants and equipment in accordance with federal and state safety standards; and
• Engage in continued development and evaluation of new technologies and processes that will promote the health and safety performance of every employee.

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