

MINE FOREMAN STATEMENT

West Virginia State Mine Rescue Contest

July 19, 2006

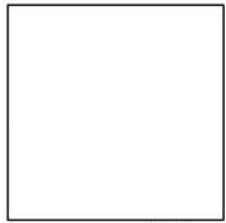
DO NOT READ TO TEAM, GIVE TO TEAM BEFORE CLOCK IS STARTED TEAM HAS 5 MINUTES TO READ BEFORE CLOCK MUST BE STARTED

Thank you for responding to our mine. A four-man crew was mining coal on this section and has not responded to our communication attempts. Bad top, methane, and low oxygen have been found. The exhaust fan is running and cannot be stopped. The No. 1 and No. 2 entries are intakes and the No. 3 entry is the return (numbered left to right). All air is moving up No. 1 and No. 2 entries, across the fresh air base and out the No. 3 entry. We have been told that a pump was permanently installed near the last cross cut. When shut down water will roof in all three entries.

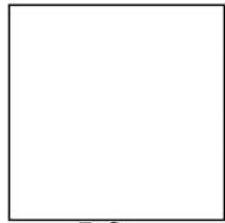
When the pump is restarted the water goes down immediately in the No. 1 entry, the No. 2 entry will open and clear in 5-minutes, and then No. 3 entry will open and clear in 10-minutes. When the pump is turned off water will roof right away in No. 3 entry (or will remain roofed if it has not yet cleared), 5-minutes later in No. 2 entry, and 7-minutes later in No. 1 entry. The pump and cable cannot be moved.

The map is not up-to-date. All power is off in by the fresh air base, but is available to the pump. All officials have been notified and a backup team is present. No other materials are available. Ventilation changes you may need to make out by the fresh air base will be done by the backup team. A team member must mark an outby map and give it to the mine foreman. The changes will take 2-minutes for each change you request. Contact the mine foreman if you have any questions.

Thank you again for being here and good luck.

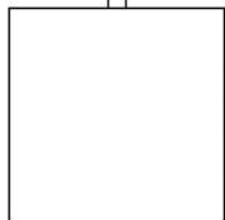
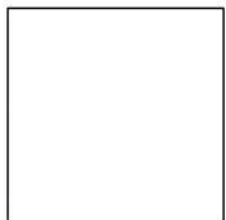
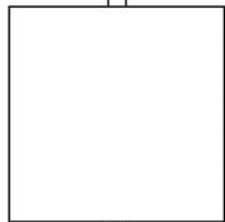
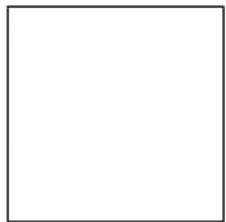
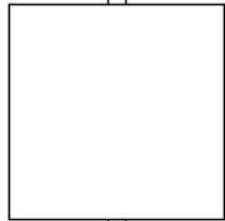
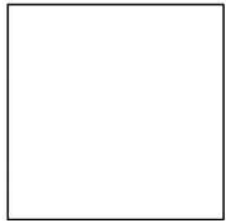
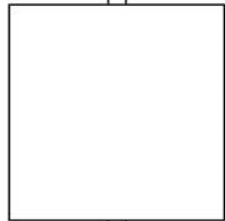
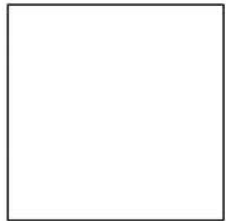
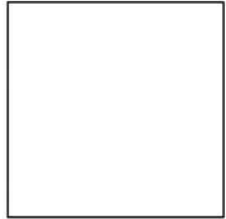


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Fresh Air Base



TEAM INSTRUCTIONS

Explore the entire mine.

Account for all missing persons.

Bring any survivors to the fresh air base.

PATIENT STATEMENT

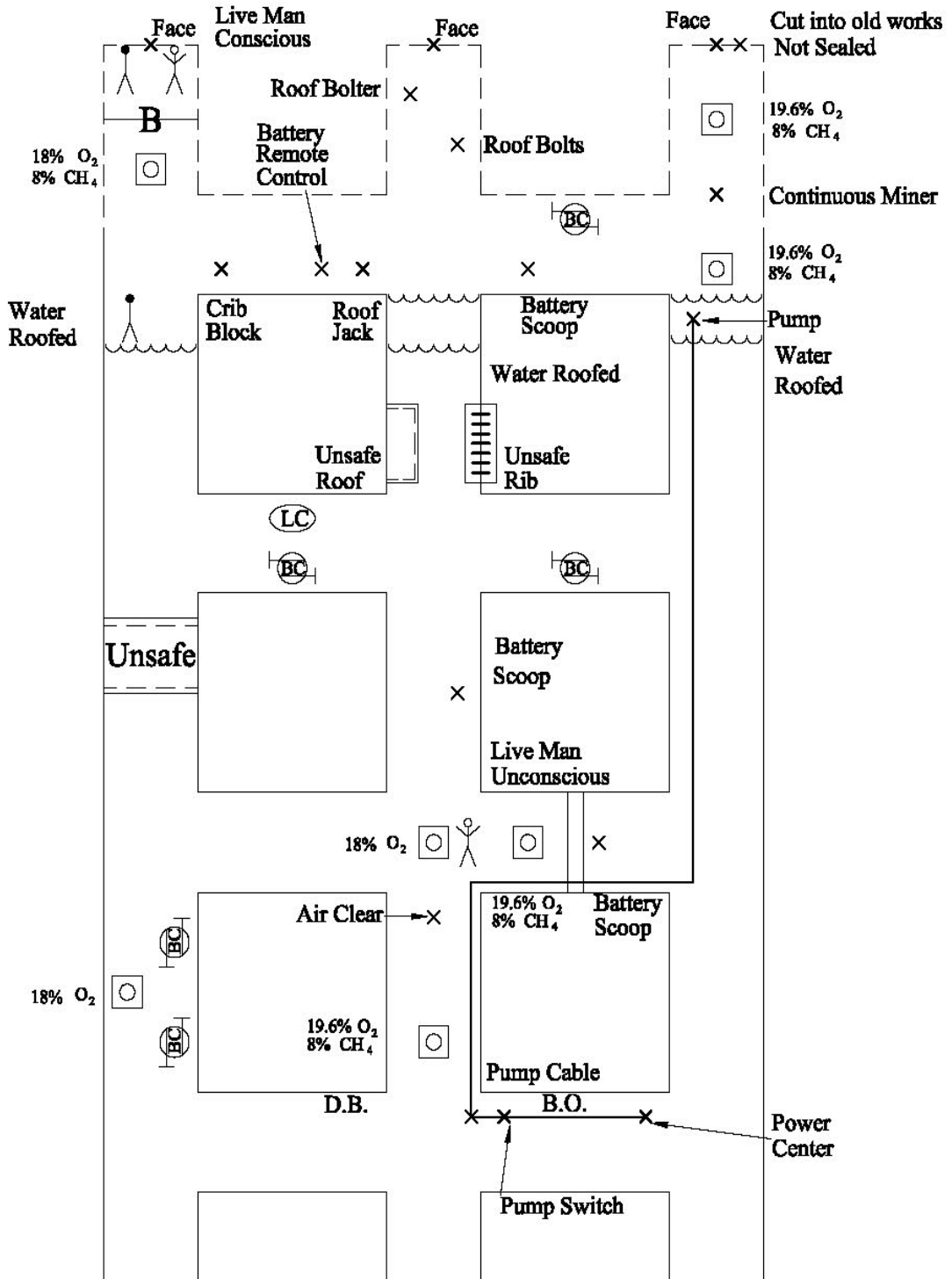
**Help, Help,
get me out of here.**

It is air tight behind me.

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Master Map



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VENTILATION #2

