



MSHA's Accident Prevention Program Miner's Tip

**SAFETY
IS A
VALUE!**

Test Your Brakes After Repair

Category : [Haulage](#)
Mine Type: [All Surface](#)

Before you put a vehicle back in service after repairs or maintenance, test the brakes. A fatality occurred shortly after a haul truck was repaired for a reported brake problem. The worn brake linings were replaced and the truck was placed back in service. The truck was later involved in a fatal accident due primarily to brake failure. The investigation found that the brake actuators were worn out.



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Remember – Safety is a Value that you can LIVE with!