

**Notice of Termination,  
Suspension, Reduction, or  
Increase In Benefit Payments**

**U.S. Department of Labor**  
Office of Workers' Compensation Programs  
Division of Coal Mine Workers' Compensation



**Privacy Act Statement:** In accordance with the Privacy Act of 1974, as amended, (5 U.S.C. a), you are hereby notified that: This report is required by the Black Lung Benefits Act (30 U.S.C. 90 1 et. seq.) and is mandatory. It is to be completed in full and filed with the Office of Workers' Compensation Programs within 16 days following the termination of benefits, and immediately following the suspension, reduction or increase of benefits are paid under Title IV of the Federal Mine Safety & Health act of 1977, as amended to insure that correct benefits are paid. Failure to report can result in a civil penalty of not more than \$500 for each such failure or refusal.

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Name and Address of Payee (Please Print) Include ZIP Code Name Address Line 1 Address Line 2 City State ZIP	<b>Distribution:</b> Copy 3 - Payee's Copy Copy 2 - Operator's Copy Copy 1 - Send To:  <b>U.S. Department of Labor</b> <b>Office of Workers' Compensation Programs</b> <b>Division of Coal Mine Workers' Compensation</b>
1. Name of disabled or deceased miner	2. DOL Claim Number

3. Name of coal miner operator	4. Name of insurance carrier
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5. Action taken:       Terminated       Suspended       Reduced       Increased

6. Reasons why action taken:

a. Date of Last Payment (mm/dd/yy)	b. Amount of Last Payment	c. Amount of Reduced/ Increased Payment	d. Date Benefits Will Resume (mm/dd/yy)	e. Date of This Notice (mm/dd/yy)
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**7. Summary of Payments**

a. Name of Payee	b. From	c. To	d. Date Benefits Will Resume	e. Amount Paid Per Month	f. Total

8. Signature of person issuing this notice	9. Title
10. Telephone number	

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**Notice**

If you have a substantially limiting physical or mental impairment, Federal disability nondiscrimination law gives you the right to receive help from DCMWC in the form of communication assistance, accommodation and modification to aid you in the claims process. For example, we will provide you with copies of documents in alternate formats, communication services such as sign language interpretation, or other kinds of adjustments or changes to account for the limitations of your disability. Please contact our office or your claims examiner to ask about this assistance.

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