

**Attachment C**

**Mine Worker Survey**

**Mine Worker Survey** - The purpose of these questions is to try to understand what you think has the biggest impact on health and safety at this operation. Please think about a typical work week when responding.

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- Mark your answers directly on the answer sheet by filling in the box.
- Return your survey and answer sheet to us when you are done.

To protect your identity:

- Your supervisors will not see your individual responses.
- These forms will not be made available to any management personnel.
- We will combine the data from everyone into larger groups to describe the results.

**Please mark the number below each statement or question that best describes your opinion using the following scale.**

Strongly Disagree	Disagree	Somewhat Disagree	Somewhat Agree	Agree	Strongly Agree		
<b>When I'm at work I...</b>	1	2	3	4	5	6	<b>Strongly Agree</b>
• go out of my way to address potential hazards.	1	2	3	4	5	6	
• voluntarily carry out tasks that help improve workplace health/safety (H/S).	1	2	3	4	5	6	
• make suggestions to improve how H/S is handled.	1	2	3	4	5	6	
• try new things to improve workplace H/S.	1	2	3	4	5	6	
• try to solve problems in ways that reduce H/S risks.	1	2	3	4	5	6	
• don't take risks that could result in an accident.	1	2	3	4	5	6	
• use all necessary H/S equipment to do my job.	1	2	3	4	5	6	
• use the correct H/S procedures for carrying out my job.	1	2	3	4	5	6	
• always report all health/safety-related incidents.	1	2	3	4	5	6	
<b>When doing my job...</b>	Strongly Disagree	Strongly Agree					
• I can pretty much achieve whatever I set out to achieve.	1	2	3	4	5	6	
• I can do something if I am unhappy about a decision that affects me.	1	2	3	4	5	6	
• I can stay healthy/safe if I take the right actions.	1	2	3	4	5	6	
• most of the problems that I experience are completely 'out of my hands.'	1	2	3	4	5	6	
• I am always thorough.	1	2	3	4	5	6	
• I can be somewhat careless with my work tasks.	1	2	3	4	5	6	
• I am a reliable worker.	1	2	3	4	5	6	
• I work until my task is finished.	1	2	3	4	5	6	
• I know when to seek help during a difficult task.	1	2	3	4	5	6	
• I do not take risks with my safety/ health.	1	2	3	4	5	6	
• I take risks regularly.	1	2	3	4	5	6	
• safety comes first.	1	2	3	4	5	6	
• I like not knowing what is going to happen.	1	2	3	4	5	6	

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<b>As far as day to day work...</b>	Strongly Disagree	Strongly Agree
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- H/S rules and procedures are sometimes ignored.
- it doesn't matter how the work is done as long as there are no accidents.
- I often have impossible production pressures.

1	2	3	4	5	6
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	2	3	4	5	6

#### My supervisor...

- tries to help me do my job as safely as possible.
- helps me if I have a health/safety (H/S) problem at work.
- doesn't notice if I do my job safely.
- reminds me to follow H/S work rules.
- closely monitors my H/S work practices.
- takes action if I don't follow H/S work practices.
- clearly explains health/safety (H/S) rules to me.
- regularly informs me of work hazards specific to my job.
- encourages communication about H/S problems.
- I am satisfied with my supervisor.

Strongly Disagree	Strongly Agree				
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	2	3	4	5	6
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#### Everyone in my work crew...

- has confidence in each other to work safely.
- helps each other with H/S problems at work.
- informs each other about potential work place H/S hazards.

Strongly Disagree	Strongly Agree				
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	2	3	4	5	6

#### When it comes to the health and safety rules and procedures in place at this operation...

- they are used the same for all employees.
- I can question the rules and procedures that influence my work.
- my supervisor makes sure that our concerns are heard before making any new rules or procedures.
- I am involved in improving H/S rules and procedures.

Strongly Disagree	Strongly Agree				
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	2	3	4	5	6

#### I know how to...

- use health/safety (H/S) equipment to follow standard work procedures.
- maintain or improve workplace H/S.
- reduce the risk of safety accidents and health incidents at my job.

Strongly Disagree	Strongly Agree				
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	2	3	4	5	6

#### It is important to...

- maintain work place H/S at all times.
- reduce the risk of work place safety accidents and health incidents.
- maintain or improve my personal H/S.

Strongly Disagree	Strongly Agree				
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	2	3	4	5	6

#### When it comes to health and safety training...

Strongly Disagree	Strongly Agree				
1	2	3	4	5	6

- the organization provides enough training for me to do my job.
- it helps me to do my job as healthy/safely as I can.
- it is not a priority here.

1	2	3	4	5	6
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	2	3	4	5	6

### In general I think that...

- tried and tested ways of doing things are usually the best.
- there is no need to change things unless there is a problem.
- I can handle any changes that come along.
- changes in my work routine keeps my job interesting.

Strongly Disagree			Strongly Agree		
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	2	3	4	5	6

### Over the last 6 months on your job how often were you...

- Involved in a near miss?
- Injured requiring first aid treatment?
- Injured requiring medical treatment beyond first aid?
- Injured severe enough that it resulted in lost time from work?

Never	Once	Two times	Three times	Four times	+ Five times
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	2	3	4	5	6
1	2	3	4	5	6

### Demographic Items (circle or check item)

• Age	18-24	25-34	35-44	45-54	55-64	65-74	75 +
• Are you:	Male	Female					
• Are you:	Hourly	Salary					
• Time in current job:	0-3 mths	3-6 mths	6-12 mths	1-5 yrs	5 + yrs		
• Time in mining industry:	0-3 mths	3-6 mths	6-12 mths	1-5 yrs	5 + yrs		
• Time with current company:	0-3 mths	3-6 mths	6-12 mths	1-5 yrs	5 + yrs		
• Work group:	Production	Maintenance	Safety	Engineering	Other		
• Average work start time:	6 am – 9:59 am	10 am – 1:59 am	2pm – 5:59 am	6 pm- 9:59pm	10 pm – 1:59 am	2 am- 5:59 am	
• Work schedule:	Start at the same time every day			Rotate between different starting times			
• Family mining history:	First generation miner			Multi-generation miner			
• Education level:	Less than high school	High school	Associate Degree/ Trade certificate	Bachelor's degree	Master's degree		
• Marital status:	Married/Domestic partnership	Divorced	Widowed	Separated	Single, never been married		
• Children:	Yes	No					
• Children in these ranges:	Less than 5 years old	5 through 12 years old	13 through 17 years old	18 or older			
• In general, drowsiness at work:	Extremely tired	Tired	Somewhat tired	Somewhat awake	Wake	Wide awake	

**Thank you for your participation in this survey.**