

Fayette County Health Center
100 New Salem Road, Room 167
Uniontown, PA 15401
November 1, 1999

Bureau of Deep Mine Safety

724-439-7469
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Mr. Eli Schmader
Brookville Mining
175 Evans Street
P O Box 130
Brookville PA 15825

Re: Diesel Locomotive Manufacturer: Brookville Mining Model Number: BCC-20UP Voltage:
12VDC Drawing Number: M-0138B (Rev. 6), 7-3648A (Rev. 2) and 10-0853D

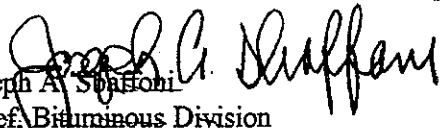
Dear Mr. Schmader:


We have completed our evaluation of the equipment noted above, and approve its use in all bituminous underground coal mines of Pennsylvania. The equipment meets the legal requirements of the *Pennsylvania Bituminous Coal Mine Act*.

Since similar equipment was already approved and assigned BOTE 1677-97, it will not be necessary to assign a new number. The approval number must appear conspicuously on the outside of the subject equipment on a 2" x 4" rust-resistant metal plate. The approval plate should read "Commonwealth of Pennsylvania" and "Approval No. BOTE 1677-97." The plate and lettering should be resistant to removal by abrasion.

If you want to make changes or alterations on this equipment, a written request outlining the proposed changes, together with any related prints or drawings, must be submitted to this office for approval. If you have any questions, please contact me at the above telephone number.

Sincerely,


Joseph A. Stasi
Chief, Bituminous Division
Bureau of Deep Mine Safety

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