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Licensing Assistance Team  
Division of Nuclear Materials Safety  
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475 Allendale Road  
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**JOSEPH M. RICHARDS**

*Manager-Occupational Health and Safety*

Dear Sir:

03032182

This letter is to request an amendment to NRC license no. 37-28641-01 for Consol Pennsylvania Coal Company. The Bailey Preparation Plant would like to change the present RSO from Mr. Tom Crawshaw as listed on the license, to Mr. Ken Ellis.

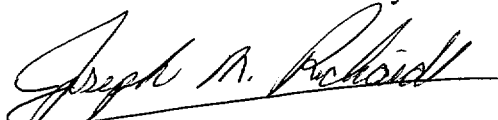
Mr. Ellis has over twenty-five years of experience with fixed gauges containing radioactive sealed sources used for coal processing and successfully completed a forty-hour RSO training course on March 29, 2001. The course meets the criteria for acceptable RSO training as outlined in Appendix G of NUREG-1556, Volume 4, dated October 1998. A copy of the certificate indicating successful completion of this training is attached.

Please note that a Mr. Richard Siburt, electrical foreman at the Bailey Preparation Plant, is scheduled to attend a twenty-four hour RSO training course to be completed May 10<sup>th</sup>, 2006. The course will be provided by Applied Health Physics, Inc., 2986 Industrial Blvd., Bethel Park PA, 15102. The training course meets or exceeds the criteria for RSO training as outlined in Appendix G of NUREG-1556, Volume 4, dated October 1998. Once this training is completed, Consol Pennsylvania Coal Company will submit another request for license amendment, to change the RSO from Mr. Ellis to Mr. Siburt.

Should you have any questions or concerns regarding this request, please contact me. Your help and cooperation is appreciated.

Sincerely,

On Behalf of Consol Pennsylvania Coal Company

  
Joseph M. Richards

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# CERTIFICATE OF TRAINING

*This certifies that*

*Kenneth L. Ellis, Jr.*

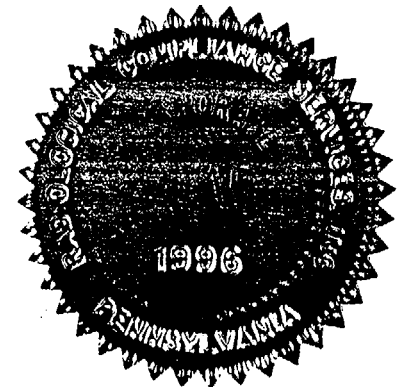
*has successfully completed the forty-hour course of instruction in*

## RADIATION SAFETY OFFICER TRAINING

*held in Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, March 26-29, 2001*

*Lisa Cortes Blough* *March 29, 2001*  
LISA CORTES BLOUGH, PRESIDENT DATE

RADIOLOGICAL COMPLIANCE SERVICES, INC.  
8979 KNOLL STREET  
ALLISON PARK, PA 15101-2722



This is to acknowledge the receipt of your letter/application dated

3/21/2006, and to inform you that the initial processing which includes an administrative review has been performed.

- Amend. 37-28641-01 There were no administrative omissions. Your application was assigned to a technical reviewer. Please note that the technical review may identify additional omissions or require additional information.
- Please provide to this office within 30 days of your receipt of this card

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A copy of your action has been forwarded to our License Fee & Accounts Receivable Branch, who will contact you separately if there is a fee issue involved.

Your action has been assigned **Mail Control Number** 138622  
When calling to inquire about this action, please refer to this control number.  
You may call us on (610) 337-5398, or 337-5260.