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February 10, 2010

U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission, Region IV  
612 East Lamar Blvd., Suite 400  
Arlington, Texas 76011-4125

REFERENCE: BHP Billiton, Navajo Coal Company – Navajo Mine  
Radioactive Materials License Number 30-29264-01

ATTENTION: License Amendment Notification

To Whom It May Concern:

Navajo Mine requests a license amendment to change the Radiation Safety Officer (RSO) named in Section 12.A. of the Radioactive Materials License.

The amendment should remove Mr. Johnnie James as the RSO and appoint Mr. Dustin Fisher as the acting RSO.

Mr. Fisher will assume all of the RSO responsibilities temporarily until a long-term RSO is appointed. A long-term RSO will be selected, trained, and a formal amendment letter will be submitted to the USNRC, Region IV by March 31, 2010.

Please find attached Mr. Fisher's Radiation Safety Officer training certificate.

Mr. Fisher's Radiation Safety Officer training was completed in accordance with USNRC NUREG-1556, Volume 4.

Sincerely,

Alfredo Francis  
General Manager  
BHP Billiton - Navajo Mine  
(505) 598-3233

Reviewer:

Please request copy of certificate which was not included with letter dt 2-10-10.

2-25-10

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## Torres, RobertoJ

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**From:** Fisher, Dustin [Dustin.Fisher@BHPBilliton.com]  
**Sent:** Thursday, February 25, 2010 1:24 PM  
**To:** Torres, RobertoJ  
**Subject:** RE: Certificate  
**Attachments:** RSO Certificate - DFisher.PDF

Mr. Torres,

Please find my RSO Training Certificate attached.

Sorry that it was not included with the letter.

Thank you,

Dustin Fisher  
Senior Mining Engineer  
Navajo Mine  
BHP Billiton – New Mexico Coal  
Phone: (505) 598-3201  
Fax: (505) 598-3363  
Email: [dustin.fisher@bhpbilliton.com](mailto:dustin.fisher@bhpbilliton.com)

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**From:** Torres, RobertoJ [mailto:RobertoJ.Torres@nrc.gov]  
**Sent:** Thursday, February 25, 2010 9:44 AM  
**To:** Fisher, Dustin  
**Subject:** Certificate

Mr. Fisher:

We have received Mr. Alfred Francis' letter dated 2-10-20 requesting to name you as RSO on License 30-29264-01. The letter states that your training certificate is attached however there was no certificate attached to the amendment request letter. Please provide copy of your training certificate by fax to 817-860-8263 or as a pdf file by reply email. Thank you.

Roberto J. Torres  
Senior Health Physicist  
U.S. Nuclear Regulatory Commission - Region IV  
Division of Nuclear Materials Safety  
Nuclear Materials Safety Branch B  
612 East Lamar Boulevard, Suite 400  
Arlington, Texas 76011-4125  
Telephone 817-860-8189  
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# *Certificate of Completion*

**Dustin Fisher**

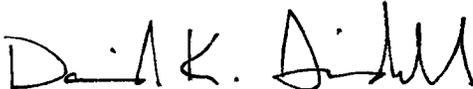
has participated in and completed:

*Radiation Safety Officer Training  
In accordance with  
USNRC NUREG-1556, VOLUME 4*

presented on: June 26, 2007



Energy Technologies Inc.  
Knoxville, TN 37931

By: 

David K. Swindell  
ETI Radiation Safety Officer

FEB 26 2010

This is to acknowledge the receipt of your letter/application dated  
2-10-2010, and to inform you that the initial processing,  
which includes an administrative review, has been performed.

DATE

There were no administrative omissions. Your application will be 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:

The action you requested is normally processed within 90 days.

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** 472583.  
When calling to inquire about this action, please refer to this mail control number.  
You may call me at 817-860-8103.

Sincerely,



Licensing Assistant

BETWEEN:  
License Fee Management Branch, ARM  
and  
Regional Licensing Sections

: (FOR LFMS USE)  
: INFORMATION FROM LTS  
: -----  
: Program Code: 03120  
: Status Code: 0  
: Fee Category: 3P  
: Exp. Date: 20170630  
: Fee Comments: \_\_\_\_\_  
: Decom Fin Assur Req'd: N  
: .....

LICENSE FEE TRANSMITTAL

A. REGION

1. APPLICATION ATTACHED  
Applicant/Licensee: BHP BILLITON  
Received Date: 20100216  
Docket No: 3037476  
Control No.: 472583  
License No.: 30-29264-01  
Action Type: Amendment

2. FEE ATTACHED  
Amount: \_\_\_\_\_  
Check No.:       /      

3. COMMENTS  
  
Signed Colleen Murnahan  
Date 2-24-2010

B. LICENSE FEE MANAGEMENT BRANCH (Check when milestone 03 is entered /\_/)

1. Fee Category and Amount: \_\_\_\_\_

2. Correct Fee Paid. Application may be processed for:  
Amendment \_\_\_\_\_  
Renewal \_\_\_\_\_  
License \_\_\_\_\_

3. OTHER \_\_\_\_\_  
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Signed \_\_\_\_\_  
Date \_\_\_\_\_



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