

805 KAR 7:090. Hazard training.

RELATES TO: KRS 351.106, 352.350

STATUTORY AUTHORITY: KRS 351.070, 351.105

CERTIFICATION STATEMENT:

NECESSITY, FUNCTION, AND CONFORMITY: KRS 351.106 requires the Department of Mines and Minerals to establish safety programs for miners and mine sites. This administrative regulation establishes a training program for visitors of a mine site.

Section 1. Surface Hazard Training.

- (1) Surface hazard training shall be provided by the licensee to visitors exposed to mine surface hazards.
- (2) Hazard training shall include:
 - (a) Hazard recognition and avoidance;
 - (b) Emergency procedures; and
 - (c) Mining and mine safety related issues.

Section 2. Underground Hazard Training.

- (1) Underground hazard training shall be provided by the licensee or his authorized representative at the mine for visitors exposed to mine hazards in underground mines.
- (2) Persons required to take hazard training shall be accompanied at all times while underground by an experienced miner employed at the mine.
- (3) Hazard training shall include:
 - (a) Hazard recognition and avoidance;
 - (b) Emergency and evacuation procedure;
 - (c) Use of a self-rescuer and a respiratory device; and
 - (d) Mining and mine safety related issues.

Section 3. Documentation.

- (1) The training required for a visitor of a surface or underground mine shall be:
 - (a) Documented; and
 - (b) Valid for twelve (12) months.
- (2) The documentation shall enable the visitor to revisit the mine where he received training.

(26 Ky.R. 291; 757; eff. 10-13-1999; Crt eff. 6-27-2018; Crt eff. 5-13-2025.)