



## Fatality Summary

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### Fatality Summary for industry awareness

A 25 year old drill and blast operator received fatal injuries when he was engulfed in a ground collapse while stemming a charged shot hole for blasting. The incident occurred in an open pit mine. The Department has commenced an investigation.

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