

MEDIA ADVISORY

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A family emergency has forced Richard Stickler, Assistant Secretary of Labor for Mine Safety and Health, to cancel a scheduled appearance before the Utah Mine Safety Commission on Tuesday, November 20, 2007.

Kevin Stricklin, Administrator for Coal Mine Safety and Health will appear in place of Stickler. Stricklin has 28 years experience in mining including 27 years with the Mine Safety and Health Administration. He was also on the scene of the Crandall Canyon disaster.