Section 418. – Loss of Life or Injury – Duty of operator and Inspector

Whenever loss of life or serious injury shall occur in or about an Oklahoma mine:

It is the duty of the operator having charge of the mine to report the loss of life or injury without delay to the Oklahoma Department of Mines.

It is the duty of the Oklahoma Department of Mines, if determined necessary, to immediately send a mine inspector to the scene of the accident and render such assistance as may be deemed necessary for the safety of the mine workers.

It is the duty of the Oklahoma Department of Mines to investigate and ascertain the cause of such loss of life or injury and make a report to the Director of the Oklahoma Department of Mines. A copy of this report shall be retained by the Oklahoma Department of Mines.