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**“In NSW mines,
no person is to be
exposed to airborne
dust that exceeds
exposure standards.”**

The Hon. George Souris AM

Chair of the NSW Mine Safety Advisory Council



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“Personal protective equipment is a last line of defence against dust exposure. Take steps to ensure your own personal safety as well as that of your mates.”

Coal Mine Worker

Centennial Coal, Myuna



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“All mines have a duty to ensure they minimise workers’ exposure to airborne contaminants, this is a legal and a moral obligation.”



Anthony Margetts

Chief Inspector of Mines, NSW Resources Regulator

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“Take action and participate in workplace dust monitoring programs to identify if you are at risk of developing a respiratory disease.”

Dr Deborah Yates

Respiratory Physician at St Vincent's Hospital, Sydney

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