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Mechanical Engineer

Ashton Coal Operations Pty Ltd operates the Ashton Mine, located 14kms west of Singleton in the Hunter Valley region of NSW. Ashton is predominately owned by Yancoal Australia Limited which is now operating two open cut and two underground mines in the Hunter Valley and mid-Western region of New South Wales, and two open cut mines in Queensland's Bowen and Surat Basins. With the vision to become one of the country's largest and most technologically advanced coal mining companies, Yancoal is growing organically and through targeted acquisition. The Ashton operation currently incorporates an underground mine, a CHPP and a rail siding. The 3.0mtpa underground mine utilises longwall equipment and is scheduled to continue until 2025.

Reporting to the CHPP Manager, you will be responsible for defining and implementing mechanical systems and standards within the CHPP. You will ensure that the mechanical standards are designed to ensure machinery and equipment is both fit-to-purpose and abide by the high level of safety adopted by Ashton Coal Operations.

In this role, you will be expected to make use of your ability to identify maintenance requirements and juggle competing priorities in order for you to develop both functional short and long term maintenance management plans for the CHPP. Furthermore, your sound analytical and problem solving skills will guarantee CHPP supervisors will look to you for maintenance strategies, design recommendations, review of equipment failures and to monitor plant performance.

As the successful applicant, you will have tertiary qualifications in Mechanical Engineering pursuant to clause 162 CMHS Reg 2006. In addition you have gained a minimum of 3+ years experience in a similar role which ensures your advanced understanding of CHPP operations and mobile equipment. Working knowledge of SAP would be an advantage.

If this sounds like the opportunity you have been looking for, please submit your resume via email to recruitment@ashtoncoal.com.au or via post to Ashton Coal Operations, PO Box 699, Singleton, NSW 2330.

Applications close 16th March 2012.

