

## UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20549-7010

February 3, 2009

Mr. Yuxiang Wu Chief Financial Officer Yanzhou Coal Mining Company Limited 298 Fushan South Road Zoucheng, Shandong Province People's Republic of China

Re: Yanzhou Coal Mining Company Limited

Form 20-F for Fiscal Year Ended December 31, 2007

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Dear Mr. Wu:

We have completed our review of your Form 20-F and related filings and have no further comments at this time.

Sincerely,

Karl Hiller Branch Chief