CONSOL ENERGY INC Form NT 11-K July 01, 2003

UNITED STATES

SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, DC 20549

FORM 12b-25

Commission File Number 001-14901

NOTIFICATION OF LATE FILING

(Check One): "Form 10-K "Form 20-F x Form 11-K "Form 10-Q "Form N-SAR

For Period Ended: June 30, 2003

"Transition Report on Form 10-K "Transition Report on Form 10-Q "Transition Report on Form N-SAR

"Transition Report on Form 11-K

For the Transition Period Ended:

Read Instruction (on back of page) Before Preparing Form. Please Print or Type.

Nothing in this form shall be construed to imply that the Commission has verified any information contained herein.

Part I. Registrant Information

If the notification relates to a portion of the filing checked above, identify the Item(s) to which the notification relates:

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Full name of	registrant: CONSOL ENERGY INC.
Former name	if applicable:
Address of pr	rincipal executive office (Street and number): Consol Plaza, 1800 Washington Road
City, State an	nd Zip Code: Pittsburgh, PA 15241
	Part II. Rule 12b-25 (b) and (c)
	report could not be filed without reasonable effort or expense and the registrant seeks relief pursuant to Rule 12b-25(b), the ould be completed. (Check appropriate box.)
(a)	The reasons described in reasonable detail in Part III of this form could not be eliminated without unreasonable effort or expense
x (b)	The subject annual report, semi-annual report, transition report on Form 10-K, 20-F, 11-K or Form N-SAR, or portion thereof will be filed on or before the 15th calendar day following the prescribed due date; or the subject quarterly report or transition report on Form 10-Q, or portion thereof will be filed on or before the fifth calendar day following the prescribed due date; and
(c)	The accountant s statement or other exhibit required by Rule 12b-25(c) has been attached if applicable.

Part III. Narrative

State below in reasonable detail the reasons why Form 10-K, 20-1	F, 11-K, 10-Q, N-SAR or the transition report portion thereof could not be filed
within the prescribed time period. (Attach extra sheets if needed.))

Due to unanticipated delays in the collection and compilation of certain information required to be included in the Form 11-K, and in the completion of the drafting of the Form 11-K for filing, the Registrant is unable to file its Form 11-K for the period ended June 30, 2003 within the prescribed time period without unreasonable effort and expense.

Part IV. Other Information

(1)	Name and telephone number of	f person to contact in regard	to this notification
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Dennis R. McCracken	(412)	831-4085
(Name)	(Area code)	(Telephone number)

(2) Have all other periodic reports required under Section 13 or 15(d) of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934 or Section 30 of the Investment Company Act of 1940 during the preceding 12 months or for such shorter period that the registrant was required to file such report(s) been filed? If the answer is no, identify report(s).

x Yes "No

(3) Is it anticipated that any significant change in results of operations from the corresponding period for the last fiscal year will be reflected by the earnings statements to be included in the subject report or portion thereof?

"Yes x No

If so: attach an explanation of the anticipated change, both narratively and quantitatively, and, if appropriate, state the reasons why a reasonable estimate of the results cannot be made.

CONSOL ENERGY INC.

(Name of registrant as specified in charter)

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has caused this notification to be signed on its behalf by the undersigned thereunto duly authorized.

Date: July 1, 2003 By: /s/ Jack A. Holt

Name: Jack A. Holt

Title: Vice President Safety & Human Resources