

Feds rescue immigrant from mine

The Associated Press

A spokesman for the U.S. Border Patrol said agents rescued a man who fell into an abandoned mine shaft in southern Arizona.

Agency spokesman Rob Daniels said agents were patrolling south of Sierra Vista on Monday when they caught a group of 14 illegal immigrants.

The immigrants told agents one of their group had fallen down a shaft.

Daniels said agents and a local search and rescue crew found the mine and pulled the man to safety.

The man suffered injuries to his legs, neck and back, but they weren't considered life-threatening.

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