

6-12-89

0017

SLC
get



State of Utah

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

Norman H. Bangertor
Governor
Dee C. Hansen
Executive Director
Dianne R. Nielson, Ph.D.
Division Director

355 West North Temple
3 Triad Center, Suite 350
Salt Lake City, Utah 84180-1203
801-538-5340

INSPECTION REPORT

INSPECTION DATE & TIME: May 19, 1989
9:00 am to 1:00 pm

Permittee and/or Operators Name: Valley Camp of Utah, Inc.
Business Address: Scofield Route Helper, Utah 84526
Mine Name: Belina Complex Permit Number: ACT/007/001
Type of Mining Activity: Underground Surface Other
County: Carbon
Company Official (s): Ed Foust
State Official(s): David Darby
Partial: Complete: Date of Last Inspection: April 20, 1989
Weather Conditions: Clear, Moderate Temperature
Acreage: Permitted 3136 Disturbed 79 Regraded Seeded Bonded 79
Enforcement Action: None

COMPLIANCE WITH PERMITS AND PERFORMANCE STANDARDS

	YES	NO	N/A	COMMENTS
1. PERMITS	(X)	()	()	()
2. SIGNS AND MARKERS	(X)	()	()	()
3. TOPSOIL	()	()	()	()
4. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE:				
a. STREAM CHANNEL DIVERSIONS	()	()	()	()
b. DIVERSIONS	()	()	()	()
c. SEDIMENT PONDS AND IMPOUNDMENTS	(X)	()	()	(X)
d. OTHER SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES	(X)	()	()	()
e. SURFACE AND GROUND WATER MONITORING	()	()	()	()
f. EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS	(X)	()	()	()
5. EXPLOSIVES	()	()	(X)	()
6. DISPOSAL OF DEVELOPMENT WASTE AND SPOIL	()	()	()	()
7. COAL PROCESSING WASTE	()	()	()	()
8. NONCOAL WASTE	()	()	()	()
9. PROTECTION OF FISH, WILDLIFE AND RELATED ENVIRONMENTAL VALUES	()	()	()	()
10. SLIDES AND OTHER DAMAGE	()	()	()	()
11. CONTEMPORANEOUS RECLAMATION	()	()	()	()
12. BACKFILLING AND GRADING	()	()	()	()
13. REVEGETATION	()	()	()	()
14. SUBSIDENCE CONTROL	()	()	()	()
15. CESSATION OF OPERATIONS	()	()	()	()
16. ROADS				
a. CONSTRUCTION	(X)	()	()	()
b. DRAINAGE CONTROLS	(X)	()	()	()
c. SURFACING	()	()	()	()
d. MAINTENANCE	()	()	()	()
17. OTHER TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES	()	()	()	()
18. SUPPORT FACILITIES				
UTILITY INSTALLATIONS	()	()	()	()

INSPECTION REPORT
(continuation sheet)

Page 2 of 2

PERMIT NUMBER: ACT/007/001

DATE OF INSPECTION May 19, 1989

(Comments are Numbered to Correspond with Topics Listed Above)

4d. Hydrologic Balance-Other Sediment Control Measures

All five sedimentation ponds on Valley Camp's permit area were checked for integrity and operation. Sedimentation Ponds 001 and 002 some water, but were far from discharging. Pond 003 was dry.

Pond 004 discharges into Whiskey Creek. It was discharging approximately 50 gallons per minute on the day of the inspection. A sample was taken and submitted for analysis the day following the inspection. The analytical report was received May 26, 1989 and showed that no parameter had been exceeded.

Pond 005, the mine discharge pond, was discharging at approximately 450 gallons per minute. The water appeared clear so a sample was not taken. Sediments have built up in the pond. I discussed this matter with Rick Summers, hydrologist for DOGM. Rick stated that the operator has committed to cleaning the pond this summer.

Currently, Valley Camp is in a temporary shut down mode. I recommend that Pond 005 be cleaned before operations begin again, since reduced activity would yield lower amounts of sediments if the mine water has to be diverted to the creek while cleaning the pond.

Copy of this report:

Mailed to: Ed Foust (Valley Camp), Brian Smith (OSM), PFO

Sent to: Joe Helfrich, Sue Linner (DOGM)

Inspectors Signature and Number: *Donald W. Dally* #18 Date: 6-7-89