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INSPECTION REPORT

INSPECTION DATE & TIME: June 16, 1989
9:30 a.m. to 1:00 p.m.

Permittee and/or Operators Name: Valley Camp of Utah
Business Address: Scotfield Route, Helper, Utah 84526
Mine Name: Belina Complex Permit Number: ACT/007/001
Type of Mining Activity: Underground Surface Other
County: Carbon State: Utah
Company Official(s): Steve Tanner
State Official(s): Daron Haddock, Mike Herkimer (BWPC)
Partial: XX Complete: Date of Last Inspection: May 18, 1989
Weather Conditions: Sunny, Hot
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)	()	()	(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	()	()	()	()
e. SURFACE AND GROUNDWATER MONITORING	()	()	()	()
f. EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS	(X)	()	()	(X)
5. EXPLOSIVES	()	()	()	()
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	(X)	()	()	(X)
16. ROADS				
a. CONSTRUCTION	()	()	()	()
b. DRAINAGE CONTROLS	()	()	()	()
c. SURFACING	()	()	()	()
d. MAINTENANCE	()	()	()	()
17. OTHER TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES	()	()	()	()
18. SUPPORT FACILITIES				
UTILITY INSTALLATIONS	()	()	()	()

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GENERAL COMMENTS:

This inspection was conducted jointly with The Bureau of Water Pollution Control which was represented by Mr. Mike Herkimer.

1. PERMITS:

Permit ACT/007/001 expires on August 24, 1989. As part of the Mid-Term review the operator was required to submit a reorganized MRP at least 120 days prior to the expiration date. Notice of Violation N89-12-1-1 was issued to Valley Camp on April 25, 1989 for not submitting the required updated MRP. The operator is currently reorganizing the MRP, part of which must be submitted by June 30, 1989 in order to abate the violation.

4c. SEDIMENT PONDS AND IMPOUNDMENTS:

The ponds at both the loadout facility and the mine were checked. No problems were evident in any of the ponds. Pond 004 did have a yellowish globular material floating in it. The diversions above the pond were checked for possible causes of the yellow material and a broken can of aerosol spray paint was found above the pond which may be the cause. The operator will have the material removed from the pond and analyzed to try to determine its origin. There is still a few inches of volume left in the pond before it would discharge.

4f. EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS:

Mr. Herkimer went through a compliance checklist with Mr. Tanner to verify the operators compliance with the NPDES permit. This included a review of the Discharge Monitoring Reports for April 1989. The only discharge reported was from pond 005. The discharge was reported to be within the NPDES effluent limitations.

The only water being discharged during this inspection was from pond 005. The water appeared clean as would be expected since no mining has been occurring. No sample was gathered.

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15. CESSATION OF OPERATIONS:

Due to contract difficulties Valley Camp of Utah has been idle for the last couple of months. A new contract has recently been obtained, which should allow the mine to soon resume production.

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Mailed to: Steve Tanner (Valley Camp)

Mailed to SLC for: John Kathman (OSM) Joe Helfrich (DOGM)

Filed to: PFO

Daron R. Haddock

Inspectors Signature and Number: Daron R. Haddock #28 Date: June 20, 1989