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INSPECTION REPORT

INSPECTION DATE & TIME: July 19, 1990
10:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

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): Steven Tanner, Ed Saunders
State Official(s): Rick Summers, Randy Harden
Partial: Complete: Date of Last Inspection: June 19 & 20, 1990
Weather Conditions: partly cloudy, slight ppt.
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	()	()	()	()
2. SIGNS AND MARKERS	(x)	()	()	(x)
3. TOPSOIL	(x)	()	()	(x)
4. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE:				
a. STREAM CHANNEL DIVERSIONS	(x)	()	()	(x)
b. DIVERSIONS	()	()	()	()
c. SEDIMENT PONDS AND IMPOUNDMENTS	(x)	()	()	(x)
d. OTHER SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES	()	()	()	()
e. SURFACE AND GROUNDWATER MONITORING	(x)	()	()	(x)
f. EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS	()	()	()	()
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	()	()	()	()
16. ROADS				
a. CONSTRUCTION	()	()	()	()
b. DRAINAGE CONTROLS	()	()	()	()
c. SURFACING	()	()	()	()
d. MAINTENANCE	()	()	()	()
17. OTHER TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES	()	()	()	()
18. SUPPORT FACILITIES				
UTILITY INSTALLATIONS	()	()	()	()

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2. SIGNS AND MARKERS:

The operator has installed buffer zone signs along the undisturbed diversion indentified as UDD-5. The signs were necessary due to the recent increase in the size of the coal stockpile.

3. TOPSOIL:

The topsoil stockpile identified as ASCA area #6 (upper end of Belina site) was inspected. The pile is well vegetated and protected by a berm and straw bales around the perimeter. The operator expressed interest in removing the straw bales due to maintenance problems associated with wildlife. He also expressed interest in reclaiming the upper half of ASCA #6 with this stockpile, thereby eliminating the storage area. He was informed that both appeared to be acceptable, however, he would need to submit a formal permit revision and request a field tour of the proposal with the Division soil scientist.

The operator has installed new straw bales for sediment control for ASCA #6 near the substation. These bales were noted in the last inspection as needing repair.

4. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE:

a. STREAM CHANNEL DIVERSIONS:

Proposed designs for the reclamation of Whiskey Creek were discussed in the office with the operator and draftsman. It was determined that the current proposal would have to be modified to account for grade changes resulting from cut and fill balance calculations. Sediment control for the area during reclamation was also discussed. It was suggested that

an instream catch basin be proposed at the confluence of the west reclaimed intermittent channel and Whiskey Creek. This will provide some degree of sediment control for the upper half of the Belina site. Additionally, silt fence/straw bales will be located along the contour in an overlapping pattern for the entire site.

c. SEDIMENT PONDS AND IMPOUNDMENTS:

The operator was requested to remove the spillway caps from all sediment ponds. The spillway designs were approved in the July 5, 1990 approval for the permit renewal. The operator was also requested to provide a longitudinal profile of the emergency spillway at pond 004 as part of

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the forthcoming stipulation response. Mr. Harden also requested embankment cross-sections and stability analysis for that pond. Appropriate cross-section sites were located in the field.

e. SURFACE AND GROUNDWATER MONITORING:

The operator was requested to modify the water monitoring plan for the discharge from pond 005A. This pond treats all discharge from the mine workings. The discharge should be sampled on a quarterly basis for all the operational parameters listed in the Division's water monitoring guidelines.

Copy of this Report:

Mailed to: Steve Tanner (Valley Camp) and Brian Smith (OSM-AFO)

Given to: Daron Haddock and Joe Helfrich - DOGM

Inspectors Signature and Number: #15  Date: 8-3-90