

File

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TO: Coal File, Inspection and Enforcement Folder
FROM: Tom Wright, Mining Field Specialist ^{TW}
RE: Price River Coal Company, Price River Complex, ACT/007/004,
Folder #7, Carbon County, Utah

A partial inspection of the Price River Complex was conducted on May 21, 1985. I contacted Ken Hutchinson of Price River, who accompanied me on the inspection. The weather was cloudy with scattered showers.

Tree planting has been completed on the Goose Island reclamation project with the exception of one species that remains to be planted. It appears that most of the trees on the area were properly planted and should survive.

Slopes on the reclaimed area appear stable with no signs of significant erosion or failure. Grasses on the area are rapidly developing due to the recent rainfall.

Additional work toward the completion of the Crandall Canyon facilities had been done since the last inspection. Shaping and compaction of the mine pads above and below the shaft has been completed. Reconstruction of the lower sediment pond to final configuration also had been finished. Installation of the spillway for the pond remained to be done.

All ponds for Hardscrabble Canyon, Sowbelly Canyon and Crandall Canyon facilities were examined and found to be stable. No inflow or discharge to any of the ponds was occurring during the inspection and it appeared that none had occurred in the last few days.

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Statistics:

Vehicle: EX 45428, 278 miles
Per Diem: 1 person X 1 day 4 hours = \$53.95
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