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**DIVISION OF OIL GAS & MINING
FIELD VISIT FORM
TECHNICAL**

Date: September 15, 1999
Time: 9:00 A.M. to 1:30 P.M.
Mine: Castle Gate
File Number: ACT/007/004 file #2
DOGM Staff: Wayne Western u+w
Other Attendees: Bill Minchie

Purpose:

Inspection of the earthwork at Hardscrabble Canyon.

Observations:

Seep at bottom of backfilling just above a rock ledge. The seep may have contributed to slope failures. Packets of coal waste were found in the backfilled material. Usually the coal waste was under at least 4 feet of backfill.

Recommendations/Conclusions:

Have the Permittee identify where the water in the toe of the slope is coming from. The Division should follow up with an inspection before topsoil placement.

Signature: Wayne Western on September 17, 1999