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INSPECTION REPORT

INSPECTION DATE & TIME: October 30, 1987
1:20 pm to 3:00 pm

Permittee and/or Operators Name: Utah Fuel Company
Business Address: P.O. Box 719, Helper, Utah 84527
Mine Name: Skyline Mine Permit Number: ACT/007/005
Type of Mining Activity: Underground Surface Other
County: Carbon
Company Official (s): Keith Zobell
State Official(s): Randy Harden
Partial: Complete: Date of Last Inspection: August 4, 1987
Weather Conditions: Cool, Scattered Showers, Windy
Acreage: Permitted 4,834 Disturbed 75.9 Regraded Seeded Bonded 75.9
Enforcement Action: None.

COMPLIANCE WITH PERMITS AND PERFORMANCE STANDARDS

	<u>YES</u>	<u>NO</u>	<u>N/A</u>	<u>COMMENTS</u>
1. PERMITS	()	()	()	()
2. SIGNS AND MARKERS	()	()	()	()
3. TOPSOIL	()	()	()	()
4. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE:				
a. STREAM CHANNEL DIVERSIONS	()	()	()	()
b. DIVERSIONS	(X)	()	()	(X)
c. SEDIMENT PONDS AND IMPOUNDMENTS	()	()	()	()
d. OTHER SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES	()	()	()	()
e. SURFACE AND GROUNDWATER MONITORING	()	()	()	()
f. EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS	(X)	()	()	(X)
5. EXPLOSIVES	()	()	()	()
6. DISPOSAL OF DEVELOPMENT WASTE AND SPOIL	(X)	()	()	(X)
d. 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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PERMIT NUMBER: ACT/007/005

DATE OF INSPECTION September 21, 1987

(Comments are Numbered to Correspond with Topics Listed Above)

4. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE:

4.b. DIVERSIONS

The undisturbed drainage diversion at the waste rock disposal facility was inspected and found to be in sound condition. Upstream of the diversion in the natural drainage, the bottom of the channel was found to be covered with vegetative litter, indicating that no substantial flow had occurred.

4.f. EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS

Samples were taken for analysis at the discharge of the mine facilities sediment pond and of the mine water discharging into the sediment pond.

6. DISPOSAL OF DEVELOPMENT WASTE AND SPOIL

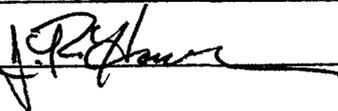
Skyline has placed waste rock material in the waste rock disposal facility during the past month. The material had been spread and compacted in accordance with the requirements of the permit. Inspection of the site for vents adjacent to the refuse material found a few small vents located above the waste material on the embankment of the old pit. Mr. Zobell was instructed to ensure that a minimum of 4 feet of noncombustible fill material would be required in those areas where venting has occurred. Mr. Zobell indicated that the fill material would be placed along the north and west embankments of the pit as needed.

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Mailed to: John Kathman - QSM Keith Zobell - Utah Fuel

Given to: Joe Helfrich - DOGM

Inspectors Signature and Number: #13



Date: Nov. 3, 1987