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INSPECTION REPORT

INSPECTION DATE & TIME: December 14, 1988
10 a.m to 3 p.m.

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 XX Surface ____ Other ____
County: Carbon
Company Official (s): Keith Zobell
State Official(s): Harold G. Sandbeck
Partial: XXX Complete: ____ Date of Last Inspection: November 30, 1988
Weather Conditions: Cloudy and cold
Acreage: Permitted 4,834 Disturbed 75.9 Regraded ____ Seeded ____ Bonded 75.9
Enforcement Action: None

COMPLIANCE WITH PERMITS AND PERFORMANCE STANDARDS

	YES	NO	N/A	COMMENTS
1. PERMITS	(XX)	( )	( )	( )
2. SIGNS AND MARKERS	(XX)	( )	( )	(XX)
3. TOPSOIL	( )	( )	( )	( )
4. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE:				
a. STREAM CHANNEL DIVERSIONS	(XX)	( )	( )	( )
b. DIVERSIONS	(XX)	( )	( )	( )
c. SEDIMENT PONDS AND IMPOUNDMENTS	(XX)	( )	( )	(XX)
d. OTHER SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES	(XX)	( )	( )	( )
e. SURFACE AND GROUNDWATER MONITORING	(XX)	( )	( )	( )
f. EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS	(XX)	( )	( )	(XX)
5. EXPLOSIVES	( )	( )	( )	( )
6. DISPOSAL OF DEVELOPMENT WASTE AND SPOIL	(XX)	( )	( )	(XX)
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	(XX)	( )	( )	( )
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 12/14/88

(Comments are Numbered to Correspond with Topics Listed Above)

General Comments. Keith Zobell accompanied the undersigned inspector on this partial inspection. No significant environmental problems were noted. Maintenance issues mentioned in this report have not reached an out of compliance level.

2. Signs and Markers. Signs and markers were in place at the waste disposal site.

4. Hydrologic Balance.

c. Sediment Ponds and Impoundments.

The operator's pond inspection reports were checked for the 3rd quarter of 1988. No problems were noted.

f. Effluent Limitations.

NPDES reports were inspected back to the 1st quarter of 1988. The TDS parameter for mine number 1 discharge has not exceeded its NPDES limit since June 1988.

Water samples, for nitrate and nitrite, were taken at the following locations: pond 001's pond overflow, mine number 3 discharge and mine number 1 discharge.

6. Disposal of Development Waste and Spoil.

The operator's waste disposal report was inspected for the 3rd quarter of 1988. 2114 cubic yards of waste was removed from the mine during this quarter. No problems were noted.

Copy of this Report:
Mailed to: Keith Zobel (Utah Fuel), Price Office and Brian Smith (OSM)
Given to: Sue Linner and Joe Helfrich - DOGM

Inspectors Signature and Number: Harold D. Fox #27 Date: 12/20/88