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DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

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INSPECTION REPORT

INSPECTION DATE & TIME: December 15, 1989
10:00 am 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): Bill Shriver
 State Official(s): David Darby
 Partial: Complete: Date of Last Inspection: November 14, 1989
 Weather Conditions: Snowing, 1 foot of snow on the ground
 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	(X)	()	()	(X)
2. SIGNS AND MARKERS	()	()	()	()
3. TOPSOIL	()	()	()	()
4. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE:				
a. STREAM CHANNEL DIVERSIONS	()	()	()	()
b. DIVERSIONS	(X)	()	()	()
c. SEDIMENT PONDS AND IMPOUNDMENTS	(X)	()	()	(X)
d. OTHER SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES	(X)	()	()	()
e. SURFACE AND GROUNDWATER MONITORING	()	()	()	()
f. EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS	()	()	()	()
5. EXPLOSIVES	()	()	(X)	()
6. DISPOSAL OF DEVELOPMENT WASTE AND SPOIL	()	()	()	()
7. COAL PROCESSING WASTE	()	()	()	()
8. NONCOAL WASTE	()	()	()	()
9. PROTECTION OF FISH, WILDLIFE AND RELATED ENVIRONMENTAL VALUES	(X)	()	()	()
10. SLIDES AND OTHER DAMAGE	()	()	()	()
11. CONTEMPORANEOUS RECLAMATION	(X)	()	()	()
12. BACKFILLING AND GRADING	()	()	()	()
13. REVEGETATION	(X)	()	()	()
14. SUBSIDENCE CONTROL	(X)	()	()	()
15. CESSATION OF OPERATIONS	()	()	(X)	()
16. ROADS				
a. CONSTRUCTION	()	()	()	()
b. DRAINAGE CONTROLS	()	()	()	()
c. SURFACING	()	()	()	()
d. MAINTENANCE	()	()	()	()
17. OTHER TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES	()	()	()	()
18. SUPPORT FACILITIES				
UTILITY INSTALLATIONS	()	()	()	()

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(Comments are Numbered to Correspond with Topics Listed Above)

Existing Conditions

Snow conditions prevailed before and during the inspection. Snow had accumulated to a depth of about one foot on the ground making it difficult to discern irregularities in most surface features.

Coal had been stockpiled in huge piles on the pad west of the office facilities and in outside of the No. 1 Mine portals.

1. Permits

On December 1, 1989 the Division issued technical approval of Skyline's Mining and Reclamation Plan (MRP) for the five-year permit term which expires April 30, 1992.

4. Hydraulic Balance-Sedimentation Ponds

Both sedimentation ponds, at the mine pad and loadout, contained water. A small amount of water was being discharge from the mine pad pond. No samples were taken due to the small amount of discharge and clarity of discharged water. The loadout pond was not discharging.

Copy of this Report:

Mailed to: Keith Zobel-Utah Fuel, John Kathmann-OSM

Given to: Joe Helfrich and Sue Linner-DOGM

Inspectors Signature and Number: *Samuel W. Doby #18* Date: Dec. 30, 1989