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INSPECTION REPORT

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INSPECTION DATE & TIME: January 15, 1992
10:00 - 2:00 pm

Permittee and/or Operators Name: UTAH FUEL COMPANY
Business Address: HELPER, UTAH 84527 1 (801) 637-7925
Mine Name: SKYLINE MINE Permit Number: ACT/007/005
Type of Mining Activity: Underground Surface Other
County: CARBON
Company Official (s): KEITH ZOBEL, GARY PETERSON
State Official(s): PRISCILLA BURTON, WAYNE WESTERN
Partial: Complete: Date of Last Inspection: 12/12/91
Weather Conditions: SUNSHINE, 20's
Acreage: Permitted 4834 Disturbed 62.5 Bonded 62.5
Enforcement Action: NONE

COMPLIANCE WITH PERMITS AND PERFORMANCE STANDARDS

| | YES | NO | N/A | COMMENTS |
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| 1. PERMITS | (X) | () | () | (X) |
| 2. SIGNS AND MARKERS | () | () | () | () |
| 3. TOPSOIL | () | () | () | () |
| 4. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE: | | | | |
| a. STREAM CHANNEL DIVERSIONS | () | () | () | () |
| b. DIVERSIONS | (X) | () | () | (X) |
| c. SEDIMENT PONDS AND IMPOUNDMENTS | (X) | () | () | (X) |
| d. OTHER SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES | () | () | () | () |
| e. SURFACE AND GROUNDWATER MONITORING | () | () | () | () |
| f. EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS | () | () | () | () |
| 5. EXPLOSIVES | () | () | () | () |
| 6. DISPOSAL OF DEVELOPMENT WASTE & SPOIL | (X) | () | () | (X) |
| 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 | () | () | () | () |
| c. SURFACING | () | () | () | () |
| d. MAINTENANCE | () | () | () | () |
| 17. OTHER TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES | (X) | () | () | () |
| 18. SUPPORT FACILITIES | | | | |
| UTILITY INSTALLATIONS | (X) | () | () | () |

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1. Permits:

Skyline submitted updated information of the Mining and Reclamation Plan on December 31, 1992. Fourteen copies were received by the Division.

4.b. Diversions:

At the main mine facilities area (see Exhibit 3.2.1-1), ditches are being adequately maintained by the operator. The downdrain from the upper pad to the lower pad is underneath snow.

At the train load-out facility (see Exhibit 3.2.1-3), the disturbed diversion ditches were also maintained.

4.c. Sediment Ponds:

Quarterly inspections of sediment ponds was performed on December 3, 1991. No problems were noted.

Plans to construct an emergency spillway at the railroad loadout have not yet been approved. No construction has begun. The railroad loadout sed pond was cleaned out and the discharge pipe was replaced this summer. The waste from the sed pond clean out was hauled beneath the beltline.

The spring below the railroad loadout sed pond was flowing. The water is iron-rich red color. An algae colony lives in this water, surrounded by snow.

6. Disposal of Development Waste:

The waste disposal site at Scofield was inspected by mine personnel on 12/3/91. At the time of the inspection, the site was inaccessible.

Copy of this Report:

Mailed to: Brian Smith - OSM, Keith Zobel - Utah Fuel

Given to: Daron Haddock - DOGM, Joe Helfrich - DOGM

Inspectors Signature & Number *Paula Bonito* #37
Date: 1/20/92