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INSPECTION REPORT

Partial: _____ Complete: XX Exploration _____
Inspection Date/Time: September 26, 1994/08:00am-03:30pm
Date of Last Inspection: August 3, 1994

Mine Name: Skyline Mine County: Carbon Permit Number: ACT/007/005
Permittee and/or Operator's Name: Coastal States Energy/Utah Fuel
Business Address: P. O. Box 719, Helper, UT 84527
Type of Mining Activity: Underground XX Surface _____ Prep. Plant _____ Other _____
Officials(s): State: Stephen J. Demczak Company: Keith Zobell
Federal Official(s): _____ Weather Conditions: 70's
Existing Acres: Permitted-7067.11 Disturbed-62.08 Regraded-Seeded- Bonded-65.38
Increased/Decreased: Permitted- _____ Disturbed- _____ Regraded- _____ Seeded- _____ Bonded- _____
Status: Exploration/ X Active/ _____ Inactive/ _____ Temp Cessation/ _____ Bond Forfeiture
Reclamation (Phase I/Phase II/Final Bond Release/ _____ Liability _____ Year)

REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS & PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENTS

Instructions

- Substantiate the elements on this inspection by checking the appropriate performance standard.
 - For complete inspections provide narrative justification for any elements not fully inspected unless element is not appropriate to the site, in which case check N/A.
 - For partial inspections check only the elements evaluated.
- Document any noncompliance situation by referencing the NOV issued at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
- Reference any narratives written in conjunction with this inspection at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
- Provide a brief status report for all pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments.

	EVALUATED	N/A	COMMENTS	NOV/ENF
1. PERMITS, CHANGE, TRANSFER, RENEWAL, SALE	[XX]	[]	[XX]	[]
2. SIGNS AND MARKERS	[XX]	[]	[]	[]
3. TOPSOIL	[XX]	[]	[]	[]
4. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE:				
a. DIVERSIONS	[XX]	[]	[XX]	[]
b. SEDIMENT PONDS AND IMPOUNDMENTS	[XX]	[]	[XX]	[]
c. OTHER SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES	[XX]	[]	[XX]	[]
d. WATER MONITORING	[XX]	[]	[]	[]
e. EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS	[XX]	[]	[]	[]
5. EXPLOSIVES	[XX]	[]	[]	[]
6. DISPOSAL OF EXCESS SPOIL/FILLS/BENCHES	[XX]	[]	[]	[]
7. COAL MINE WASTE/REFUSE PILES				
IMPOUNDMENTS	[XX]	[]	[]	[]
8. NONCOAL WASTE	[XX]	[]	[]	[]
9. PROTECTION OF FISH, WILDLIFE AND RELATED ENVIRONMENTAL VALUES	[XX]	[]	[]	[]
10. SLIDES AND OTHER DAMAGE	[XX]	[]	[]	[]
11. CONTEMPORANEOUS RECLAMATION	[XX]	[]	[]	[]
12. BACKFILLING AND GRADING	[XX]	[]	[]	[]
13. REVEGETATION	[XX]	[]	[]	[]
14. SUBSIDENCE CONTROL	[XX]	[]	[]	[]
15. CESSATION OF OPERATIONS	[XX]	[]	[]	[]
16. ROADS:				
a. CONSTRUCTION/MAINTENANCE/SURFACING	[XX]	[]	[]	[]
b. DRAINAGE CONTROLS	[XX]	[]	[]	[]
17. OTHER TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES	[XX]	[]	[]	[]
18. SUPPORT FACILITIES/UTILITY INSTALLATIONS	[XX]	[]	[]	[]
19. AVS CHECK (4th Quarter-April, May, June) _____ date	[XX]	[]	[]	[]
20. AIR QUALITY PERMIT	[XX]	[]	[]	[]
21. BONDING & INSURANCE	[XX]	[]	[]	[]



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(Comments are Numbered to Correspond with Topics Listed Above)

1. Permit -

- a) Sediment pond inspection reports were reviewed for second and third quarter with no hazardous conditions existing. The third quarter inspection was taken on September 22, 1994. All ponds were inspected.
- b) Refuse pile was inspected for second and third quarter of 1994 with no hazardous conditions existing. The inspection was taken on July 12, 1994 for third quarter. All refuse pile inspections were P.E. certified.
- c) The Skyline Mine has received a new NPDES permit with the limits increased on total dissolved solids to a new limits of 1600 mg/l. The old limit was 1000 mg/l. The was changed due to fact that the first use for this water was irrigation.
- d) Skyline Mine will submit a new haulage, surface facility, and road maps to the Price field office by the first of the year. The current maps are too overwhelmed with over lapping material.
- e) The accord form of the insurance policy was examined with the expiration date of March 15, 1995. The policy exceeds the monetary requirement of the R-645 regulations.

4a. Diversions -

The diversions throughout the property were spot checked. The diversions on the road leading to the refuse pile need to be regraded. Operator will have the ditches reshaped by next inspection.

4b. Sediment Ponds -

All sediment ponds contained water and the mine site pond was discharging. There were no signs of hazardous conditions existing. The inlets, outlets and embankments appear to be stable.

4c. Other Sediment Control Measures -

The operator was given notice to comply with the Division directive on ASCA areas and SAE to submit changes to the MRP if changes are needed.

Note: This inspection report does not constitute an affidavit of compliance with the regulatory program of the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining.

Copy of this Report:

Mailed to: Coastal States Energy/Utah Fuel, Keith Zobell
Mailed to: Bernie Freeman (OSM) Given to: Joe Helfrich (DOGM)
Filed to: Price Field Office
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Inspector's Signature and Number:  #39
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