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**From:** Priscilla Burton  
**To:** Steab, Suzanne  
**CC:** Haddock, Daron; Smith, Jim  
**Date:** 1/19/2010 2:09 PM  
**Subject:** Re: Skyline, Winter Quarters Ventilation Facility, Task ID #3463

Hello Suzanne,

I have completed an IR review for this winter quarters ventilation facility that will include a pad constructed with 8,000 cu yd of overburden to house a vertical exhaust shaft, an escape shaft, an emergency decline/slope entry, a substation, and a mobile office. The access road, sediment pond and topsoil stockpile will not be located on the pad but are adjacent and within the 1.68 acre disturbed area.

The application lacks right of entry documentation, but I believe that this issue was discussed with Dana, and the Permittee will be pursuing right of entry while the technical review is ongoing.

Several technical issues were noted during the IR review that will make a deficiency letter very likely:  
maps are not certified, signed, dated;  
the disturbed area boundary runs in the creek bottom,  
pages in the narrative describing the total permit acreage do not agree,  
a legal description of the disturbed area was not provided,  
reference to Plate 3.2.4-3h that could not be found,  
the vertical shaft diameter is unclear,  
downstream macroinvertebrate sampling locations,  
etc.

Please assign a full team (bio, cult/hist, eng, hydro, soil, pmlu, admin) to review this application.  
Thanks,  
Priscilla.

>>> Suzanne Steab Tuesday, January 12, 2010 4:13 PM >>>  
Hello Priscilla,

We received the above-noted application on 1/11/10. The IR is due on 1/26/10.

Please email me, cc to Jim and Daron, when the IR is complete. At that time, I will send an email notification to the Operator and Jim will assign a team to review.

Thanks!