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UTAH
NATURAL RESOURCES
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inspection report

Permit No. ACT/007/006
Inspection Date 10/27/87

Permittee/Operator Name Plateau Mining Co.
Business Address P.O. Drawer PMC
City Price State Ut. Zip 84501
Mine Star Point Mines ☐ Surface ☒ Underground ☐ Other
County Carbon State Ut.
Company Official(s) Ben Grimes
State Official(s) Bill Malencik
Time of inspection 12:00 ☐ a.m. NOON ☐ p.m. to 3:30 ☐ a.m. ☒ p.m. ☒ Partial ☐ Complete
Date of last inspection September 10, 1987 Weather conditions Clear/Cool/Dry Mine Site
Acreage 5225 ☐ Permitted 308.5 ☐ Disturbed — ☐ Regraded — ☐ Seeded 308.5 ☐ Bonded
Enforcement Action None

COMPLIANCE WITH PERMITS AND PERFORMANCE STANDARDS

	YES	NO	N/A	COMMENTS
1. Permits	☒	☐	☐	☒
2. Signs and markers	☒	☐	☐	☐
3. Topsoil	☒	☐	☐	☐
4. Hydrologic balance				
— Stream channel diversions	☐	☒	☐	☐
— Diversions	☒	☐	☐	☒
— Sediment ponds and impoundments	☐	☒	☐	☐
— Other sediment control measures	☐	☒	☐	☐
— Surface and groundwater monitoring	☒	☐	☐	☒
— Effluent limitations	☐	☒	☐	☐
5. Explosives	☐	☐	☒	☐
6. Development waste and spoil disposal	☐	☒	☐	☐
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				
— Construction	☐	☒	☐	☐
— Drainage controls	☐	☒	☐	☐
— Surfacing	☐	☒	☐	☐
— Maintenance	☐	☒	☐	☐
17. Other transportation facilities	☐	☐	☒	☐
18. Support facilities and utility installations	☐	☐	☒	☐

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Permits: A partial review of the permit, MRP and other records was completed with no problem areas detected.

Signs & Markers: The mine company started to update, maintain, and/or install additional disturbed perimeter markers pursuant to stipulation 817.11 details to be submitted to DOGM headquarters by 10/31/87.

Diversions: The mine company has 26 diversion/ditches with an estimated length of eight miles. Several ditches were observed & measured. These were compared with design parameters detailed in Table 77.

Surface & Groundwater: Water monitoring records were spot checked as related to field measurements, samples taken, frequency of sampling, parameters sampled, and lab. analysis & results when compared to parameters. From the spot checks, no problems detected.

Coal Processing Waste: Price River coal/refuse was being hauled to the Plateau coal refuse pile. The Price River Coal/refuse pile near Castle Gate is being relocated to the Plateau Mine Site. This work is scheduled to be completed on or about the end of Dec. 1987.

Copy of report mailed to Plateau Mining Co.; SLC for Brian Smith, OSM; Joe Helfrich, DOGM

Copy of report ~~given to~~ filed: Price Field Office

Inspector's signature Tom J. Malencik 10/30/87 No. 26

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