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INSPECTION REPORT

Partial: X Complete: Exploration:
Inspection Date & Time: 2-16-95 10:00 am
Date of Last Inspection: 1-10-95

Mine Name: Sunnyside Mine County: Carbon Permit Number: ACT/007/007
Permittee and/or Operator's Name: (Debtor in possession) Robert Burnham
Business Address: 1113 Spruce Street Boulder, Colorado 80302
Type of Mining Activity: Underground X Surface Prep. Plant X Other X
State Official(s): David W. Darby, Reclamation Specialist
Company Official(s): None
Federal Official(s): None
Weather Conditions: Clear sunny day, some snow on the ground (0-4 inches)

Existing Acreage: Permitted-310 Disturbed-202 Regraded- Seeded- Bonded-202
Increased/Decreased: Permitted- Disturbed- Regraded- Seeded- Bonded-
Status: Exploration/Active/Inactive/Temporary Cessation/Bond Forfeiture
Reclamation (Phase I/Phase II/Final Bond Release/Liability Year)

REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS & PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENTS

Instructions

- 1. Substantiate the elements on this inspection by checking the appropriate performance standard.
a. 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.
b. For partial inspections check only the elements evaluated.
2. Document any noncompliance situation by referencing the NOV issued at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
3. Reference any narratives written in conjunction with this inspection at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
4. Provide a brief status report for all pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments.

Table with 5 columns: Item, EVALUATED, N/A, COMMENTS, NOV/ENF. Rows include categories like PERMITS, SIGNS AND MARKERS, TOPSOIL, HYDROLOGIC BALANCE, EXPLOSIVES, DISPOSAL OF EXCESS SPOIL, COAL MINE WASTE, PROTECTION OF FISH, SLIDES AND OTHER DAMAGE, CONTEMPORANEOUS RECLAMATION, BACKFILLING AND GRADING, REVEGETATION, SUBSIDENCE CONTROL, CESSATION OF OPERATIONS, ROADS, OTHER TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES, SUPPORT FACILITIES, AVS CHECK, AIR QUALITY PERMIT, BONDING & INSURANCE.



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(Comments are Numbered to Correspond with Topics Listed Above)

2. Signs and Markers

Identification signs were checked to see that they were properly posted. Every disturbed area was properly identified. The sign located near the Whitmore substation was riddled with bullet holes.

4. Hydrologic Balance

4a. Diversions

All diversions and culverts were checked. All appeared to be functioning well. Most of the disturbed area was very muddy due to melting snow. Salvage crews working on the pad that was once the coal processing site exacerbated the muddy conditions. However, all runoff and sediments were contained on the site. All berms and embankments were intact. Disturbed sites up Whitmore Canyon were still snow covered. No runoff was detected from any of the sites.

4b. Sedimentation Ponds and Impoundments

All sedimentation ponds were checked for stability and integrity. They all appeared to be functioning well (given the snow cover conditions). None of the ponds contained significant volumes of water.

4e. Effluent Limitations

The CoGeneration drilling discharge, discussed in the last inspection report, was observed. The plastic foam cover and straw bale/silt fence were still in the creek bottom. A fine brownish/gray silt could be seen in the water below the structure. There are currently ongoing meetings between the Division of Water Quality, the Division of Wildlife Resources and the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining to resolve mitigation problems.

18. Support Facilities/Utility Installations

Salvage activities were being conducted on the loadout pad.

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Mailed to: Donna Griffin (OSM)

Given to: Joe Helfrich (DOGM)

Inspector's Signature: David W. Darby

David W. Darby #47

Date 2-22-95