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State of Utah

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

INSPECTION REPORT

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Partial: XX Complete: Exploration
Inspection Date/Time: December 27, 1993/08:00am-10:00am
Date of Last Inspection: November 30, 1993

Mine Name: Hiawatha County: Carbon Permit Number: ACT/007/011
Permittee and/or Operator's Name: U.S. Fuel Company
Business Address: P. O. Box 887, Price, UT 84501
Type of Mining Activity: Underground XX Surface Prep. Plant Other
Officials(s): State: Steve Demczak Company:
Federal Official(s): Weather Conditions:
Existing Acreage: Permitted-12707 Disturbed-290 Regraded- Seeded- Bonded-290
Increased/Decreased: Permitted- Disturbed- Regraded- Seeded- Bonded-
Status: Exploration/ 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	[]	[]	[]	[]
2. SIGNS AND MARKERS	[XX]	[]	[XX]	[]
3. TOPSOIL	[]	[]	[]	[]
4. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE:				
a. DIVERSIONS	[]	[]	[]	[]
b. SEDIMENT PONDS AND IMPOUNDMENTS	[XX]	[]	[XX]	[]
c. OTHER SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES	[]	[]	[]	[]
d. WATER MONITORING	[]	[]	[]	[]
e. EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS	[]	[]	[]	[]
5. EXPLOSIVES	[]	[]	[]	[]
6. DISPOSAL OF EXCESS SPOIL/FILLS/BENCHES	[]	[]	[]	[]
7. COAL MINE WASTE/REFUSE PILES/IMPOUNDMENTS	[]	[]	[]	[]
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/MAINTENANCE/SURFACING	[]	[]	[]	[]
b. DRAINAGE CONTROLS	[]	[]	[]	[]
17. OTHER TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES	[]	[]	[]	[]
18. SUPPORT FACILITIES/UTILITY INSTALLATIONS	[XX]	[]	[XX]	[]
19. AVS CHECK (4th Quarter-April, May, June) <u> </u> date	[]	[]	[]	[]
20. AIR QUALITY PERMIT	[]	[]	[]	[]
21. BONDING & INSURANCE	[]	[]	[]	[]

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(Comments are Numbered to Correspond with Topics Listed Above)

2. Signs and Markers -

The identification signs were inspected and contained the address, phone number, permit holders name, and the state identification number.

4b. Sediment Ponds and Impoundments -

The slurry pond #5 has continued to be reclaimed since the last inspection. The pond slurry fines have been moved together for loading into coal trucks. The projection for the reclamation of the pond #5 is in the summer of 1994.

18. Support Facilities -

Hiawatha has removed several support facilities in 1993 and additional ones will be eliminated in 1994. A few installations, such as, the #6 beltline, Mine #4, #5, and #6 fans, portal reclamation at all mines, #4 pond regraded, prep plant removal, and the main beltline at #4 mine were all removed.

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

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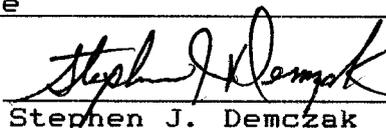
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