

December 8, 1982

Inspection Memo
to Coal File

#7
RE: U.S. Steel Corporation
Wellington Coal Prep Plant
ACT/007/012
Carbon County, Utah

On November 23, 1982, DOGM Field Specialist Ken Wyatt, conducted a partial inspection of the above mentioned facilities. Randy Watts of U.S. Steel Corporation accompanied this inspector on the tour. The purpose of this inspection was to examine the compliance work for NAOC #82-6-1-1 concerning the berming around four topsoil stockpiles.

On an inspection of October 13, 1982, the berms surrounding four topsoil stockpiles northeast of the slurry ponds needed upgrading to ensure against loss of topsoil from runoff and overland flow. At the time of this inspection, the berms had been upgraded to provide adequate protection. This NAOC is hereby terminated.

The two borrow areas located on each side of the slurry pipeline northeast of the Price River were in need of reseeding this fall. These areas had been seeded at the time of this inspection. No mulch was used on these areas, however cat tracks were present and these may provide depressions so that enough seed and moisture will collect and germinate. These areas should be examined on subsequent inspections. No compliance problems were observed at this time.

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FIELD SPECIALIST

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cc: Tom Ehmett, OSM
Randy Watts, U.S. Steel Corporation

Statistics:

See Knight Mine memo dated, December 8, 1982
Grant: A & E