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NATURAL RESOURCES
Oil, Gas & Mining

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January 16, 1985

REGISTERED RETURN RECEIPT REQUESTED
P 402 456 989

Mr. Glen H. Sides
U. S. Steel Mining Company, INC.
P. O. Box 1270
Paonia, Colorado 81428

Dear Mr. Sides:

RE: Finalized Assessment for State Violation No. N 84-2-12-1-,
Act/007/012, Folder #8, Carbon County, Utah

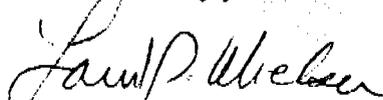
The civil penalty for the violation No. N84-2-12-1 has been finalized in the amount shown in the attached assessment conference report. This assessment is finalized as a result of the meeting, discussion or letter described on the reassessment form.

Any appeal to the Board of Oil, Gas and Mining must be made in writing within fifteen (15) days of your receipt of this letter. Additionally, you must have escrowed the assessed civil penalties with the Division within a maximum of 30 days of receipt of this letter but in all cases prior to the Board Hearing. Failure to comply with the above-stated statutory requirements shall result in a waiver of your right of further recourse.

If no appeal or an untimely improper appeal is made, the assessed civil penalties must be tendered to the Division within thirty (30) days of your receipt of this letter.

Thank you for your cooperation.

Sincerely,


Lorin P. Nielsen
Assessment Officer

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cc: Donna Griffin, OSM Albuquerque
Joe Helfrich
Barbara Roberts
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ASSESSMENT CONFERENCE REPORT
Utah Division of Oil, Gas & Mining
4241 State Office Building
Salt Lake City, Utah 84114

NOV/CO No. N84-2-12-1

Location of Conference: Salt Lake City, Utah
Telephone conference with U. S. Steel in Paonia, Co.

Date of Conference: December 17, 1984

Company Name/Mine Name: U. S. Steel/Wellington Prep Plant

Persons in Attendance

Representing

Lorin P. Nielsen
Glen Sides
Randy Watts
Sandy Pruitt

Division of Oil, Gas and Mining
U. S. Steel Mining Company, Inc.
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Division of Oil, Gas and Mining

<u>Violation No.</u>	<u>Amount of Assessment As Revised</u>
<u>N84-2-12-1</u>	<u>\$ 30.00</u>
<u> </u>	<u> </u>
<u>TOTAL</u>	<u>\$ 30.00</u>

Approved: Lorin P. Nielsen Date: 1/16/85
(Signature of Conference Officer)

This assessment has been set as a result of an informal conference held by the assessment officer. Should the Company desire a review in a more formal proceeding before the Board of Oil, Gas & Mining, a hearing can be requested within 15 days of receipt of this report.

ASSESSMENT CONFERENCE REPORT
(continued)1. Notice of Violation/Cessation Order No. N84-2-12-1Violation 1 of 1

(a) Nature of violation: _____

(b) Date of termination: _____

July 11, 1984

2. Conference Result

	<u>Proposed Assessment</u>	<u>Conference Assessment</u>
(a) History/Prev. Vio.	<u>2</u>	<u>2</u>
(b) Seriousness		
(1) Probability of Occurrence	_____	_____
Extent of Damage	_____	_____
(2) Obstr. to Enforcement	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>
(c) Negligence	<u>0</u>	_____
(d) Good Faith	<u>-2</u>	<u>-2</u>
(e) Acreage	_____	_____
TOTAL	<u>3</u>	<u>3</u>

3. Narrative:

(Brief explanation of reasons for any changes made in assignment of points and any additional information that was presented at the conference.)

History: AffirmedObstruction: Plans not on hand to show approved modification. UMC 817.44 (b)(i) applies as streams in question drain greater than 1 square mile in fact 650 acres. AffirmedGood Faith: As built plans done onsite. Affirmed