

12-26-89  
7150



# State of Utah

SU

DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES  
DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

Norman H. Bangertter  
Governor  
Dee C. Hansen  
Executive Director  
Dianne R. Nielson, Ph.D.  
Division Director

355 West North Temple  
3 Triad Center, Suite 350  
Salt Lake City, Utah 84180-1203  
801-538-5340

## INSPECTION REPORT

INSPECTION DATE & TIME: December 6, 1989  
8:30 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.

Permittee and/or Operators Name: Genwal Coal Company  
Business Address: Box 766, Wellington, Utah 84542  
Mine Name: Wellington Prep Plant Permit Number: ACT/007/012  
Type of Mining Activity: Underground Surface Other XX  
County: Carbon  
Company Official (s): Candy Manzanares  
State Official(s): Harold G. Sandbeck  
Partial: Complete: XXX Date of Last Inspection: October 11, 1989  
Weather Conditions: Clear and cold  
Acreage: Permitted 1720 Disturbed 356 Regraded Seeded 1.5 Bonded 469  
Enforcement Action: None

### COMPLIANCE WITH PERMITS AND PERFORMANCE STANDARDS

	YES	NO	N/A	COMMENTS
1. PERMITS	(XX)	( )	( )	(XX)
2. SIGNS AND MARKERS	(XX)	( )	( )	(XX)
3. TOPSOIL	(XX)	( )	( )	( )
4. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE:				
a. STREAM CHANNEL DIVERSIONS	(XX)	( )	( )	( )
b. DIVERSIONS	(XX)	( )	( )	( )
c. SEDIMENT PONDS AND IMPOUNDMENTS	(XX)	( )	( )	(XX)
d. OTHER SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES	(XX)	( )	( )	( )
e. SURFACE AND GROUNDWATER MONITORING	(XX)	( )	( )	( )
f. EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS	(XX)	( )	( )	( )
5. EXPLOSIVES	( )	( )	(XX)	( )
6. DISPOSAL OF DEVELOPMENT WASTE AND SPOIL	(XX)	( )	( )	( )
7. COAL PROCESSING WASTE	(XX)	( )	( )	( )
8. NONCOAL WASTE	(XX)	( )	( )	( )
9. PROTECTION OF FISH, WILDLIFE AND RELATED ENVIRONMENTAL VALUES	(XX)	( )	( )	( )
10. SLIDES AND OTHER DAMAGE	( )	( )	(XX)	( )
11. CONTEMPORANEOUS RECLAMATION	(XX)	( )	( )	( )
12. BACKFILLING AND GRADING	(XX)	( )	( )	( )
13. REVEGETATION	(XX)	( )	( )	( )
14. SUBSIDENCE CONTROL	( )	( )	(XX)	( )
15. CESSATION OF OPERATIONS	(XX)	( )	( )	( )
16. ROADS				
a. CONSTRUCTION	(XX)	( )	( )	( )
b. DRAINAGE CONTROLS	(XX)	( )	( )	( )
c. SURFACING	(XX)	( )	( )	( )
d. MAINTENANCE	(XX)	( )	( )	( )
17. OTHER TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES	(XX)	( )	( )	( )
18. SUPPORT FACILITIES				
UTILITY INSTALLATIONS	(XX)	( )	( )	( )

PERMIT NUMBER: ACT/007/012

DATE OF INSPECTION 12/6/89

(Comments are Numbered to Correspond with Topics Listed Above)

General Comments:

On this complete inspection, the undersigned inspector was accompanied by Candy Manzanares (Environmental Contact). Ground conditions were dry.

The inspection reports will be sent to Candy Manzanares, Wellington Preparation Plant/Genwal Loadsite, Box 766, Wellington, Utah 84542 and Gus Manwaring, P.E., Coal Systems Incorporated, P.O. Box 17117, Salt Lake City, Utah 84117. Telephone numbers for the above mentioned individuals are respectively, 637-2342 and 261-4500.

1. Permits.

Ownership and Permit Transfer

On August 2, 1989, Kaiser Coal Corporation sold its Wellington Preparation Plant Facilities to Genwal Coal Company.

On October 10, 1989, the Division approved the permit transfer for the Wellington Preparation Plant from Kaiser Coal Corporation to Genwal Coal Company. Since Genwal Coal Company took over the permit with only sixty days remaining prior to permit expiration, Stipulation UMC 788.13-(1) - SCL was attached to the permit transfer. This stipulation required the operator to meet with the Division prior to permit expiration to agree to a schedule for submittal of an updated and recompiled plan which would address all outstanding stipulations. The operator met the requirements of the above mentioned stipulation on December 8, 1989.

Five-Year Permit and Permit Renewal Findings

On December 10, 1989, the Division approved a new five-year permanent program mining permit for the Wellington Plant. The permit renewal term will not exceed the original permit term of five years. This permit becomes effective on December 10, 1989 and expires on December 10, 1994.

The permit renewal findings requires the operator to comply with Stipulation UMC 788.14-(1) - SCL. Following are the requirements of the stipulation:

1. Genwal Coal Company (GCC) will submit information necessary to update the approved Operation and Reclamation Plan (ORP) and address the outstanding stipulation UMC 817.103-(1)-TLP to the original permit approval and stipulations UMC 788.14-(1)-SCL, UMC 817.52-(1)-RPS, in accordance with the following schedule:

PERMIT NUMBER: ACT/007/012

DATE OF INSPECTION 12/6/89

(Comments are Numbered to Correspond with Topics Listed Above)

March 1, 1990	Submittal of new test plot designs.
June 1, 1990	Submittal of an ORP outline and reformatted baseline information, including a baseline hydrology report.
October 1, 1990	Submittal of updated maps and operation design details.
January 1, 1990	Submittal of updated reclamation designs and maps, including bond calculations.
June 1, 1990	Complete updated plan will be approved and in place.

#### Liability Insurance

The operator's Good Till Cancelled policy has been submitted and appears in order. The insurer is the National Union Fire Insurance Company. The policy number is GLCM 540 71 38 RA.

#### Bond

On October 5, 1989, the Division received a surety bond in the amount of \$2,591,000. This surety bond replaces the existing First Interstate Bank irrevocable letter of credit.

#### 2. Signs and Markers.

New signs are on order. These signs will reflect the new owner's current phone number and address.

#### 4. Hydrologic Balance:

##### c. Sediment Ponds and Impoundments.

The weekly pond inspections were checked up to the week of December 1, 1989 for the clear water pond, lower refuse pond and upper refuse pond. The reports appeared in order.

Copy of this Report:

Mailed to: Candy Manzanaras (GCC), Gus Manwaring (GCC), Price Office,  
and Brian Smith (OSM)

Given to: Sue Linner and Joe Helfrich - DOGM

Inspectors Signature and Number: James D. Amelber #27 Date: 12/19/89