



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: April 20, 1993/09:00am-11:30am
Date of Last Inspection: March 25&26, 1993

Mine Name: Wellington Prep Plant County: Carbon Permit Number: ACT/007/012
Permittee and/or Operator's Name: Castle Valley Resources
Business Address: P. O. Box 1282, Huntington, UT 84528
Type of Mining Activity: Underground Surface Prep. Plant XX Other
Officials(s): State: Stephen J. Demczak Company: Larry Johnson, Candy Manzanares
Federal Official(s): Weather Conditions: 50's snowing
Existing Acreage: Permitted-1720 Disturbed-356 Regraded-1.5 Seeded-1.5 Bonded-744
Increased/Decreased: Permitted- Disturbed- Regraded- Seeded- Bonded-
Status: Exploration / X 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	[]	[]	[]	[]
3. TOPSOIL	[XX]	[]	[XX]	[]
4. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE:				
a. DIVERSIONS	[XX]	[]	[XX]	[]
b. SEDIMENT PONDS AND IMPOUNDMENTS	[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	[]	[]	[]	[]
19. AVS CHECK (4th Quarter-April, May, June)	[XX]	[]	[XX]	[]
20. AIR QUALITY PERMIT	[]	[]	[]	[]
21. BONDING & INSURANCE	[XX]	[]	[XX]	[]

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(Comments are Numbered to Correspond with Topics Listed Above)

3. Topsoil -

The topsoil piles had a small amount of grasses growing on the piles. There was also additional plant life growing on the pile, I was not able to identify these plants. I do not have the specialized knowledge in the area of vegetation.

4a. Diversions -

The operator was performing maintenance on several culverts during the inspection. The undisturbed mine drainage ditch below the foothill above the main building complex has a rebuilt spreader bar at the outlet to dispense and de-energize the water runoff. The diversion was rip-rapped again and graded in several areas.

19. AVS Check -

An AVS check has been taken at the mine site with no new changes in ownership and control.

21. Bonding & Insurance -

The division has recalculated the bond for reclamation of the Wellington Prep Plant. The amount required has increased and the permittee has questions on the recalculation of the required new bond amount.

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

Copy of this Report:

Mailed to: Castle Valley Resources, Larry Johnson

Mailed to: Bernie Freeman (OSM)

Given to: Joe Helfrich (DOGM)

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Date: April 23, 1993

Inspector's Signature and Number:


Stephen J. Demczak

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