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INSPECTION REPORT

Partial XXX Complete \_\_\_ Exploration \_\_\_
Inspection Date: 03/21/2002 / Time: 9:00 - 13:00
Date of Last Inspection: 02/21/2002

Mine Name: Horse Canyon Mine County: Carbon Permit Number: C/007/013
Permittee and/or Operator's Name: UtahAmerican Energy, Inc.
Business Address: PO Box 986, Price, Utah 84501 / 56854 Pleasant Ridge Rd, Alledonia, OH 43902
Company Official(s): R. Jay Marshall
State Official(s): Karl R. Houskeeper & Dave Darby Federal Official(s): None
Weather Conditions: Clear, Temp 50 - 55°F
Type of Mining Activity: Underground XXX Surface \_\_\_ Prep Plant \_\_\_ Other \_\_\_
Existing Acreage: Permitted 1327.75 Disturbed 74.26 Regraded \_\_\_ Seeded \_\_\_
Status: Active Reclamation

REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS & PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENTS

- 1. Substantiate the elements on this inspection by checking the appropriate performance standard.
a. 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.
b. For partial inspections check only the elements evaluated.
2. Document any noncompliance situation by referencing the NOV issued at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
3. Reference any narratives written in conjunction with this inspection at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
4. Provide a brief status report for all pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments.

Table with 5 columns: Item, EVALUATED, N/A, COMMENTS, NOV/ENF. Rows include items like PERMITS, CHANGE, TRANSFER, RENEWAL, SALE; SIGNS AND MARKERS; TOPSOIL; HYDROLOGIC BALANCE; etc.

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(COMMENTS ARE NUMBERED TO CORRESPOND WITH TOPICS LISTED ABOVE)

**2. SIGNS AND MARKERS**

The operator has installed new ID signs that indicate the new resident agent's telephone number. Access on top of the mountain is still not possible due to snowdrifts. When access is available, the ID sign at that point of access will be replaced with a new sign.

**4A. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE: DIVERSIONS**

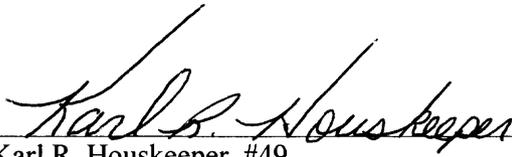
The diversion ditch below the reclaimed refuse pile has had the gradient before contact with the stream channel reduced and the contact point with the stream has been armored with riprap. This work is a follow-up item from the removal and reclamation of a culvert during 2001.

**4B. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE: SEDIMENT PONDS AND IMPOUNDMENTS**

The strand of rebar at the outlet of the reclaimed sediment pond #1 has been removed. The operator dug down two feet below the ground level adjacent to the rebar. No concrete was intercepted and the rebar was removed at this elevation. Pictures of the construction activities were observed at the operator's office prior to the inspection.

**4D. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE: WATER MONITORING**

Discussed with the operator issues relative to indicating no access to water monitoring sites. Advised the operator that several attempts needs to be made and reasons for no access need to be documented. Records need to be kept for review and inspection by the Division.

Inspector's Signature:  Date: March 22, 2002  
Karl R. Houskeeper #49

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

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