

**DIVISION OF WATER QUALITY  
UTAH DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL QUALITY  
PUBLIC NOTICE OF ISSUANCE OF UPDES PERMIT**

**PURPOSE OF PUBLIC NOTICE**

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**PERMIT INFORMATION**

**PERMITTEE NAMES:** 1) PacifiCorp/Wilberg and 2) PacifiCorp/Deer Creek Mine  
**MAILING ADDRESS:** 2) One Utah Center, 201 South Main, Suite 2100, Salt Lake City, Utah 84140-0021  
**TELEPHONE NUMBER:** 3) (801)220-4610  
**FACILITY LOCATION:** 1) Approx. 8 Miles NW of Orangeville, Emery County  
 2) Approx. 8 Miles of Huntington, Emery County  
**UPDES PERMIT NO.:** 1) UT0022896 2) UT0023604

The purpose renewal permits are for 1) PacifiCorp - Wilberg's underground coal mine, which discharges into Grimes Wash, thence to Cottonwood Creek, and 2) PacifiCorp - Deer Creek Mine's underground coal mine, which discharges into Deer Creek a tributary of Huntington Creek.

**PUBLIC COMMENTS**

Public comments are invited any time prior to October 15, 1997. Comments may be directed to the Department of Environmental Quality, Division of Water Quality, 288 North 1460 West, P.O. Box 144870, Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-4870. All comments received prior to October 15, 1997 will be considered in the formulation of final determinations to be imposed on the permit. A public hearing will be held if response to this Notice indicates significant public interest. A public hearing may be held if written requests are received within the first 15 days of this public comment period that demonstrate significant public interest and substantive issues exist to warrant holding a hearing.

**FURTHER INFORMATION**

Additional information may be obtained upon request by calling (801)538-6146 or by writing the aforementioned address. The complete application, issued permit, permittee's request for renewal of the permit, Statement of Basis, draft permit, and related documents are available for review at the Division of Water Quality, 288 North 1460 West, Salt Lake City, Utah.

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## PUBLIC NOTICE

### Application for Phase I Bond Release Gordon Creek No. 2/7/8 Mines Permit #INA/007/016 Mountain Coal Company P.O. Box 591 Somerset, Colorado 81434

Mountain Coal Company, P.O. Box 591, Somerset, Colorado, 81434, a wholly owned subsidiary of Atlantic Richfield Company, has filed with the Division of Oil, Gas & Mining an application for partial release of the reclamation performance bond for its Gordon Creek No. 2/7/8 Mines.

The company has completed Phase I of the approved reclamation plan for the Gordon Creek No. 2/7/8 Mines. This is based upon the completion of backfilling, grading, topsoil replacement and drainage control in accordance with the approved plan. Reclamation was performed on approximately 24.30 acres of disturbed land.

The present bond posted for this site is \$641,433.00. Mountain Coal Company is hereby applying for release of 60% of the original bond, or \$384,865.00.

The Gordon Creek No. 2/7/8 Mines are located in Bryner Canyon, approximately 20 road miles northwest of Price, Utah. The permit area is described as follows:

Township 13 South, Range 7 East, SLBM, Utah

Sec. 12: E1/2, E1/2 W1/2

Sec. 13: NE1/4 NE1/4, N1/2 NW1/4 NE1/4, N1/2 S1/2 NW1/4

NE1/4, S1/2 S1/2 NW1/4 NE1/4, S1/2 NE1/4, E1/2 W1/2, SE1/4

Sec. 24: N2 NE1/4, NE1/4 NW1/4

Township 13 South, Range 8 East, SLBM, Utah

Sec. 7: W1/2 SW1/4, SE1/4 SW1/4

Sec. 17: SW1/4 SW1/4

Sec. 18: Lots 1-4, NW1/4 NE1/4, S1/2 NE1/4, E1/2 NW1/2

NE1/2 SW1/4, SE1/4, SE1/4 SW1/4, S1/2 NW1/4, S1/2 NE1/4,  
NW1/4 NE1/4

Sec. 19: NE1/4, NE1/4 NW1/4, N1/2 SW1/4, NW1/4 SE1/4, Lots 1 and 2,  
SE1/4 NW1/4

The permit area is located on the Jump Creek, Utah, U.S. Geological Survey 7.5 minute quadrangle map.

Federal Coal Leases were #U-53159 and #U-8319.

The Gordon Creek No. 2/7/8 Mines have been operated and reclaimed under permit ACT/007/016.

The Gordon Creek No. 2/7/8 Mines were closed in November, 1990. Site demolition was completed in 1991. Backfilling and grading started in 1995 and finished in August 1997.

This notice is being published to comply with the Surface Mining Control and Reclamation Act of 1997 and State and Federal regulations promulgated pursuant to said act.

Written comments or objections may be submitted to: State of Utah Department of Natural Resources, Division of Oil, Gas & Mining, 1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210, Box 145801, Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-5801.

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ACT/007/016/04

## NOTICE DAQE-876-97

The following notice of intent to construct, submitted in accordance with Section R307-1-3.1, Utah Air Conservation Rules, has been received for consideration by the Executive Secretary, Utah Air Quality Board:

Covol Technologies Incorporated  
4722 South 200 East  
Price, Utah

Project Location: 401 N. Carbonville Rd., Price, Utah 84501

Project Description: Covol Technologies, Inc., has submitted a Notice of Intent (NOI) dated March 20, 1997, to modify the existing Approval Order (AO) for their Carbon County Agglomeration Facility. This area is in attainment for all criteria pollutants. The largest criteria pollutant emission is  $\text{NO}_x$  at 47.1 tons/yr. HCl emissions are calculated at 2.7 tons per year. Modeling was performed for the  $\text{NO}_x$  and HCl emissions from this source. The model and results have received approval from the Technical Analysis branch of the Division of Air Quality.

The Proposed Emissions increase will be (A negative sign indicates a decrease in emission rates.):

TSP	11.86 tons/year
$\text{PM}_{10}$	8.79 tons/year
$\text{SO}_2$	1.04 tons/year
$\text{NO}_x$	37.97 tons/year
CO	22.26 tons/year
VOC	1.71 tons/year
HYDROCHLORIC ACID	2.69 tons/year

The engineering evaluation and air quality impact analysis have been completed and no new violations of National Ambient Air Quality Standards or Prevention of Significant Deterioration Increments will occur. It is the intent of the Executive Secretary to improve the construction project.

The construction proposal and estimates of the effect on local air quality are available for public inspection and comment at the Division of Air Quality, Utah State Department of Environmental Quality, 150 North 1950 West, Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-4820. Written comments received by the Division, at the same address on or before October 18, 1997, will be considered in making the final decision on the approval/disapproval of the proposed construction.

If anyone so requests to the Executive Secretary at the Division in writing, within 15 days of publication of the Notice, a hearing will be held to explain the project and technical rationale for proposed action. A hearing will be scheduled as close as practicable to the proposed project location. Comments obtained during a hearing will be evaluated and considered by the Executive Secretary before making a final decision on the approval/disapproval of the project.

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