



State of Utah
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
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INSPECTION REPORT

Partial: X Complete: Exploration:
Inspection Date & Time: 5/23/00 11:30 to 12:00
Date of Last Inspection: 4/25/00

Mine Name: Gordon Creek Mines 2,7, & 8 County: Carbon Permit Number: ACT/007/016
Permittee and/or Operator's Name: Mountain Coal Company
Business Address: P. O. Box 591, Somerset, Colorado 81434
Type of Mining Activity: Underground Mine
State Officials(s): Susan White
Company Official(s): Federal Official(s):
Weather Conditions: Fair and seasonable
Existing Acreage: Permitted-2286 Disturbed-20.3 Regraded Seeded Bonded
Increased/Decreased: Permitted Disturbed Regraded Seeded Bonded
Status: Active

REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS & PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENTS

Instructions

- 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: 1. PERMITS, CHANGE, TRANSFER, RENEWAL, SALE; 2. SIGNS AND MARKERS; 3. TOPSOIL; 4. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE; 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; 17. OTHER TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES; 18. SUPPORT FACILITIES/UTILITY INSTALLATIONS; 19. AVS CHECK (4th Quarter-April, May, June) (date); 20. AIR QUALITY PERMIT; 21. BONDING & INSURANCE.

INSPECTION REPORT
(Continuation sheet)

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(Comments are Numbered to Correspond with Topics Listed Above)

This inspection was conducted simultaneously with the Oil, Gas, and Mining Board tour. The site was not walked. The inspection was conducted at the end of the road near the sediment ponds and old fan portal.

2. SIGNS AND MARKERS

The permit entry sign needs to be reattached to the fence.

13. REVEGETATION

A 55 gallon drum of water was on site. The water was being used for spraying herbicide on the noxious weeds on site.

Copy of this Report:

Mailed to: OSM, Chris Hansen (CFC), Dan Guy (Blackhawk Engineering)

Given to: Pamela Grubaugh-Littig (DOGM)

Inspector's Signature: *Susan M. White* Date: June 6, 2000
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