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inspection report

Permit No. INA/007/017

Inspection Date March 22, 1989

Permittee/Operator Name Beaver Creek Coal Co.

Business Address P.O. Box 1378

City Price State Ut Zip 84501

Mine Gordon Creek 3 & 6 ☐ Surface ☒ Underground ☐ Other

County Carbon State Ut

Company Official(s) Dan Guy.

State Official(s) Bill Malencik

Time of inspection 7:30 ☒ a.m. ☐ p.m. to 12:00 noon ☐ a.m. ☐ p.m. ☒ Partial ☐ Complete

Date of last inspection 2/1/89 Weather conditions Clear

Acreage 668 ☐ Permitted 34+ ☐ Disturbed 28 ☐ Regraded 28 ☐ Seeded 28 ☐ Bonded

Enforcement Action None

COMPLIANCE WITH PERMITS AND PERFORMANCE STANDARDS

	YES	NO	N/A	COMMENTS
1. Permits	☐	☐	☐	☐
2. Signs and markers	☒	☐	☐	☐
3. Topsoil	☐	☐	☒	☐
4. Hydrologic balance				
— Stream channel diversions	☒	☐	☐	☐
— Diversions	☒	☐	☐	☐
— Sediment ponds and impoundments	☒	☐	☐	☒
— Other sediment control measures	☒	☐	☐	☒
— Surface and groundwater monitoring	☒	☐	☐	☒
— Effluent limitations	☐	☐	☐	☐
5. Explosives	☐	☐	☒	☐
6. Development waste and spoil disposal	☐	☐	☒	☐
7. Coal processing waste	☐	☐	☒	☐
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				
— Construction	☐	☐	☐	☐
— Drainage controls	☐	☐	☐	☐
— Surfacing	☐	☐	☐	☐
— Maintenance	☐	☐	☐	☐
17. Other transportation facilities	☐	☐	☐	☐
18. Support facilities and utility installations	☐	☐	☐	☐

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General Comments. This partial inspection was conducted with primary emphasis on the field segement. This is the first time since last fall that the mine site was accessible. A portion of the upper road to the upper pad was snow covered, but was passable. Therefore the entire mine site was observed and checked.

Sediment Pond: Pond inspection reports for C.Y 88 were reviewed and no problems noted. Also on 1/24/89 while conducting water monitoring an effort was made to perform a pond inspection. The operators report noted the pond was unaccessible. however several days ago the pond was inspected, but the report was not submitted to the operator. This item will be rechecked the next inspection since the first quarter has ~~not~~ another seven days remaining until the end of March.

Sediment pond was stable, contained no water and no evidence of discharging could be detected

Other Sediment Control: Silt fences through out the mine site were observed. Most still had ice & snow on

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Sed Control Cont.

the upper ditch area. The silt fences should be rechecked at the next inspection after the snow & ice has melted.

Water Monitoring: Water monitoring records for the first quarter are as follows:

3-4-W	Coal Cyn Ep. Stream	1/24/89 report, noted as Not Accessible
		2/28/89 " " " " "
3-1-W	Pond	1/24/89 " " " " "
3-2-W	Pond	2/28/89 " " " " "

Wildlife: On the slope near the upper gate a large herd of elk were observed. Numerous elk tracks were evident from the sediment pond to the upper pad. A rough count of the elk herd was made, estimated at about seventy in number. This is the first time this inspector has seen elk at the 3 & 6 mine site.

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