

BEAVER CREEK Coal Company

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OIL GAS & MINING

Mr. Don A. Ostler, P.E.
Executive Secretary
Utah Division of Environmental Health
P.O. Box 16690
S.L.C., Ut. 84116-0690

Re: Beaver Creek Coal Co.
Gordon Creek No. 3/6 Mines
NPDES Discharge Permit UT-0023060
Huntington Canyon No. 4 Mine
NPDES Discharge Permit UT-0023116
Request for Coverage

Dear Mr. Ostler:

At the request of Mr. Tom Munson of the Division of Oil, Gas & Mining, and pursuant to our earlier conversation, I am submitting this request to have the above referenced Discharge Permits covered under the General Permit (Amended).

I have enclosed a copy of the correspondence showing the Permits were inactivated in May 1989 because the minesites were both reclaimed. Although sediment ponds remained in place at both sites, I was informed that permits were no longer necessary for these sites. It has since been determined that permit coverage is required, at least through the reclamation bond liability period.

Required information for Notices of Intent (NOIs) is also included with this request for coverage.

I appreciate your assistance in this matter. If you need any additional information, please let me know.

Respectfully,

Dan W. Guy, P.E.
Mgr. Permitting/Compliance

cc: Tom Munson (DOGM)
Scott Jones (BCCC)
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BEAVER CREEK COAL COMPANY
GORDON CREEK NO.3 & 6 MINES
NPDES DISCHARGE PERMIT NO. UT-0023060

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1. Current Facility Information:

- a. Name of Facility - Gordon Creek Coal No.3 & 6 Mines
- b. Designated Contact - Dan W. Guy
 Manager of Permitting/Compliance
 Phone - (801) 637-5050
- c. Mailing Address - Beaver Creek Coal Company
 P.O. Box 1378
 Price, Utah 84501
- d. Facility Location - SW $\frac{1}{4}$ SE $\frac{1}{4}$, Sec.16 T.13 S., R.8 E.,
 S.L.B. & M. Carbon County, Utah
 Nearest City - Price, Utah
 Latitude - 39° 41' 30"
 Longitude - 111° 01' 51"
- e. Owner/Operator of Facility - Beaver Creek Coal Company
 P.O. Box 1378
 Price, Utah 84501
 Phone - (801) 637-5050
 Principal Contact - Dan W. Guy
 Manager of Permitting/Compliance

2. Portions of Operation or Discharge Points Located on National Forest or Indian Lands:

- a. None of the operations or points are located on Indian Lands;
- b. None of the operation or discharge points are located within National Forest boundaries.

3. Other Permits for Facility:

- a. Utah Mining and Reclamation Permit - INA/007/017.
 Note: This mine is inactive, and was reclaimed in 1986.

4. Hazardous Waste Treatment Storage or Disposal:

- a. None - Mine Reclaimed.

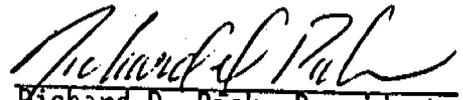
5. Existing and Proposed Discharge Points:
 - a. Discharge Point - 001
Located at the outfall of the sedimentation pond.
Latitude - 39° 41' 30"
Longitude - 111° 01' 51"
Receiving Water - Coal Canyon tributary to North Fork of Gordon Creek.
6. Area Maps:
 - a. N/A - Mine Inactive and Reclaimed
7. Source of Wastewater:
 - a. Storm Runoff/Snowmelt
8. Wastewater Treatment:
 - a. Particle Settling and Coarse Filtration
9. Discharge Point Flow Characteristics:
 - a. Intermittent - Projected 100 gpm dewatering rate (as necessary).
10. Sample Results:
 - a. No Data Available.
The mine was reclaimed in 1986 and the ponds were reconstructed at that time. The ponds now handle only storm runoff and snow melt, and no discharge has occurred since the reconstruction.

11. Toxic and/or Priority Pollutants:

- a. There are no 40 CFR Part 401 toxic or priority pollutants known or suspected to be present in the potential discharge from this point.

12. Statement of Certification:

- a. "I certify under penalty of law that this document and all attachments were prepared under my direction or supervision in accordance with a system designed to assure that qualified personnel properly gather and evaluate the information submitted. Based on my inquiry of the person or persons who manage the system, or those persons directly responsible for gathering the information, the information submitted is, to the best of my knowledge and belief, true, accurate, and complete. I am aware that there are significant penalties for submitting false information, including the possibility of fine and imprisonment for knowing violations."


Richard D. Pick, President
Beaver Creek Coal Company

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May 2, 1989

Mr. Donald A. Hilden, Chief
Permits and Compliance Section
Bureau of Water Pollution Control
Utah Department of Health
P.O. Box 16690
Salt Lake City, Utah 84116-0690

Attn: Mr. Mike Herkimer

Re: Beaver Creek Coal Company
Gordon Creek No.3 & 6 Mines
NPDES Discharge Permit Ut-0023060
Huntington Canyon No.4 Mine
NPDES Discharge Permit UT-0023116

Dear Mr. Hilden:

Based on conversations with Mr. Herkimer of your staff, Beaver Creek Coal Company is herein requesting that the NPDES Discharge Permits UT-0023060 and UT-0023116 for the Gordon Creek No.3 & 6 Mines and Huntington Canyon No.4 Mine, respectively, be deactivated. Both of the mine sites have been permanently reclaimed and have received Phase I bond release from D.O.G. & M. It is also my understanding that D.O.G. & M. concurs with the decision to deactivate these two permits.

Thank you for your consideration. If you need any further information, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Dan W. Guy
Manager Permitting/Compliance

cc: Mr. Patrick Godsil (EPA)
Mr. Johnny Coffey (BCCC)
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May 1, 1989

Dan W. Guy
Manager of Permitting/Compliance
Beaver Creek Coal Company
P.O. Box 1378
Price, Utah 84501

Re: Issuance of General Permits for Coal
Mining UTG040003, UTG040004 and
UTG040005

Dear Mr. Guy:

We hereby acknowledge receipt by EPA and the State of five Notices of Intent (NOIs) for coverage under the Utah General Permit for Coal Mining. The NOI's for Beaver Creek Coal Company's Trail Mountain No. 9 Mine, Gordon Creek No. 2 Mine, Huntington Canyon No. 4 Mine, Gordon Creek No. 3 & 6 Mines and the CV Spur Processing/Loadout Facility are considered adequate. Three of the facilities will be issued a general permit and two of the existing facility permits will be inactivated because of completion of reclamation activities. Trail Mountain No. 9 Mine has been reassigned a new permit number UTG040003, Gordon Creek No. 2 Mine has been reassigned a new permit number UTG040004 and the CV Spur Processing/Loadout Facility has been assigned a new permit number UTG040005. Any future correspondence regarding these three facilities should refer to these numbers. The permits for Huntington Canyon No. 4 Mine UT0023116 and Gordon Creek No. 3 & 6 Mines UT0023060 will be inactivated.

A copy of the final signed permits are enclosed. Coverage shall begin June 1, 1989 and all requirements and conditions of the permits will be in full force and effect at that time.

Preprinted Discharge Monitoring Report forms (EPA form 3320-1) for self monitoring and reporting requirements as specified in the permits will be sent to Beaver Creek Coal by June 1st.

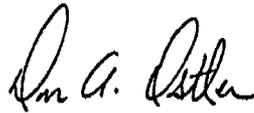
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Also enclosed is the billing information for the issuance of your Utah Pollutant Discharge Elimination System (UPDES) permits. A fee schedule was included in the Utah Department of Health budget appropriation request at the direction of the Legislature and in accordance with Utah Code Annotated 26-1-6. The fee schedule as approved by the Legislature includes a \$100.00 filing fee and a charge equal to the Bureau of Water Pollution Control's actual costs for writing and issuance of a UPDES permit. It is Division policy to charge either the filing fee or the actual cost plus 7% whichever is greater. Please remit \$300.00 to the Utah Department of Health, Bureau of Water Pollution Control, P.O. Box 16690, Salt Lake City, Utah 84116-0690.

If you have any questions please contact Mike Herkiner at 538-6146.

Sincerely,

Utah Water Pollution Control Committee



Don A. Ostler, P.E.
Executive Secretary

Enclosure

MDH:st

cc: Janet Fujita, EPA Region VIII, w/enclosure
Joel Helfrich, DOGM, w/enclosure

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March 21, 1989

Mr. Patrick J. Godsil, Chief
Compliance Branch (8WM-C)
Water Management Division
999 18th Street, Suite 500
Denver, Colorado 80202-2405

RE: Beaver Creek Coal Company
Gordon Creek No.3 & 6 Mines
NPDES Discharge Permit UT-0023060
Information Request by EPA

Dear Mr. Godsil:

Pursuant to the request of March 2, 1989, Beaver Creek Coal Company is providing the enclosed information for the Gordon Creek No.3 & 6 Mines Facility and the NPDES Discharge Permit No. UT-0023060.

If you need any further information, please let me know.

Sincerely,

Dan W. Guy
Manager Permitting/Compliance

cc: Mr. Donald A Hilden (Utah)
Mr. Johnny Coffey (BCCC)
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