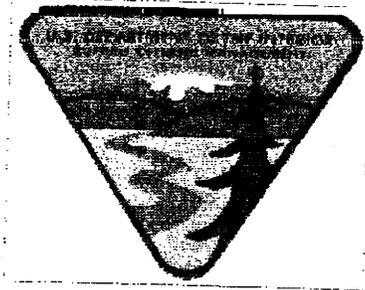


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BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT
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OUR PHONE NUMBER: (435) 636-3600
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TO: Attention: Pam ACT/007/019 #2
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Company/Agency: Division of Oil Gas & Mining PFO
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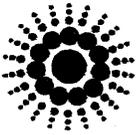
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FAX (435) 637-8860

September 21, 1999

Mr. Steve Falk
Bureau of Land Management
125 South, 600 West
Price, Utah 84501

RE: Apex Mine Closure

Dear Steve:

As we have discussed over the telephone, the Apex Mine in the Lower Sunnyside seam has been exhausted of all economically mineable reserves. As we have discussed on many occasions, the Apex Mine was never an economically feasible operation on its own. Due to the seam height of four feet the mining costs were high, however for many years ANDALEX was dedicated to mining as much of the resource as was physically possible. We now have plans to take the Apex fan to the new West Ridge project for the start-up. As such the Apex Mine will be sealed immediately. I have enclosed drawings which depict the method and location of the seals.

Should you have any questions or need additional information, please feel free to contact me at (435) 637-5385.

Sincerely,

Michael W. Glasson
Senior Geologist

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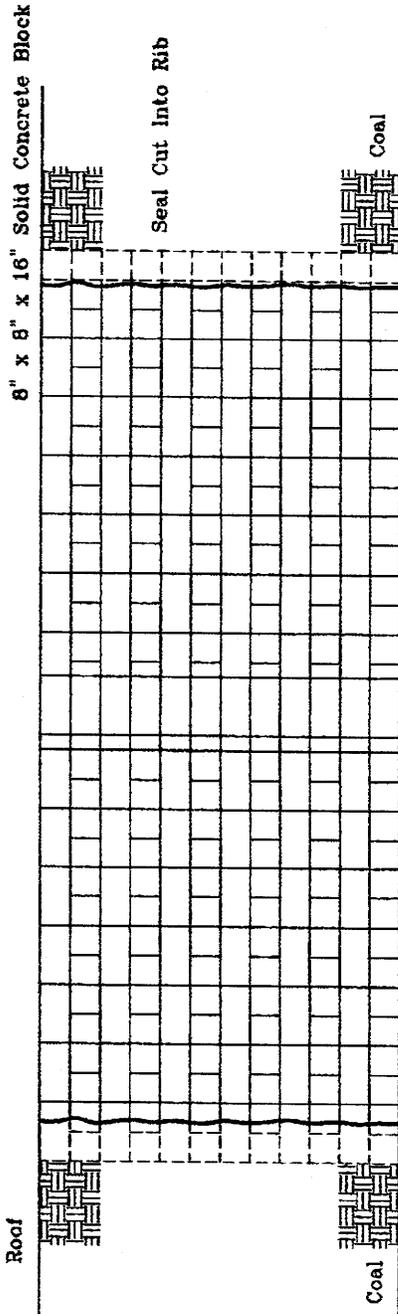
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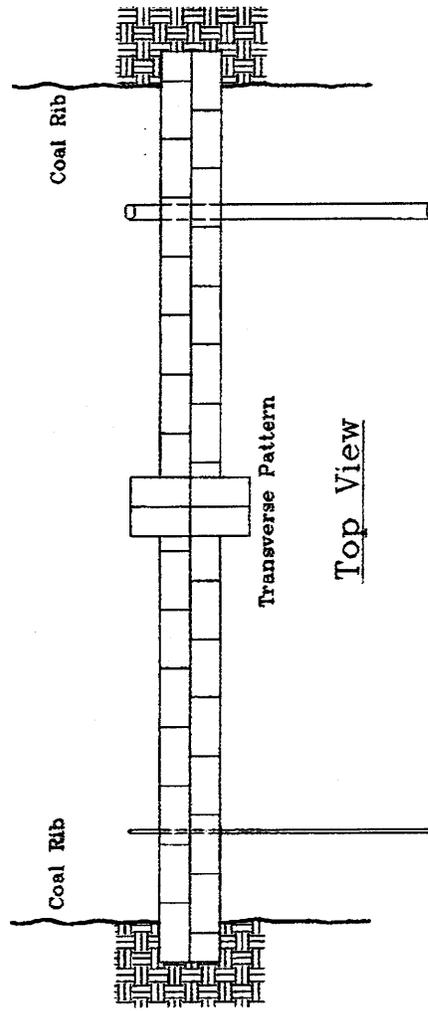
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Top View

Standard 4" Sch. 40 drainage pipe.
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 provide cap and valve.

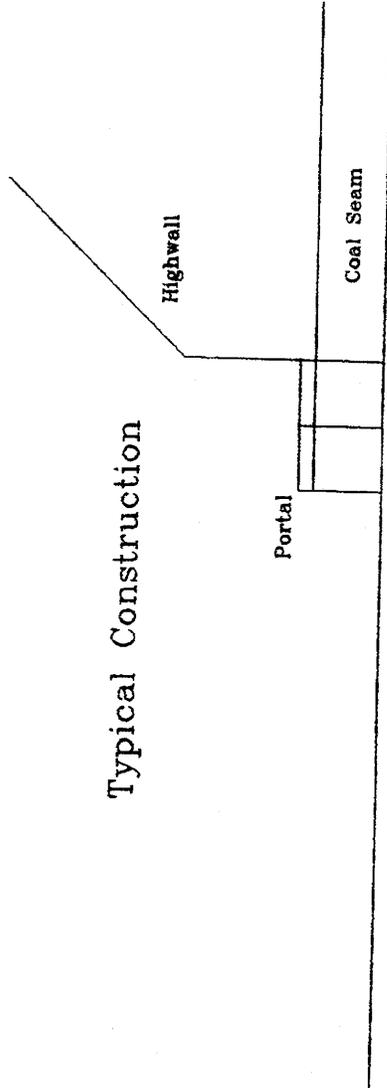
Standard 1/2" Sch. 40 pipe.
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 Behind seals. Install in portals
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Typical Portal Seal

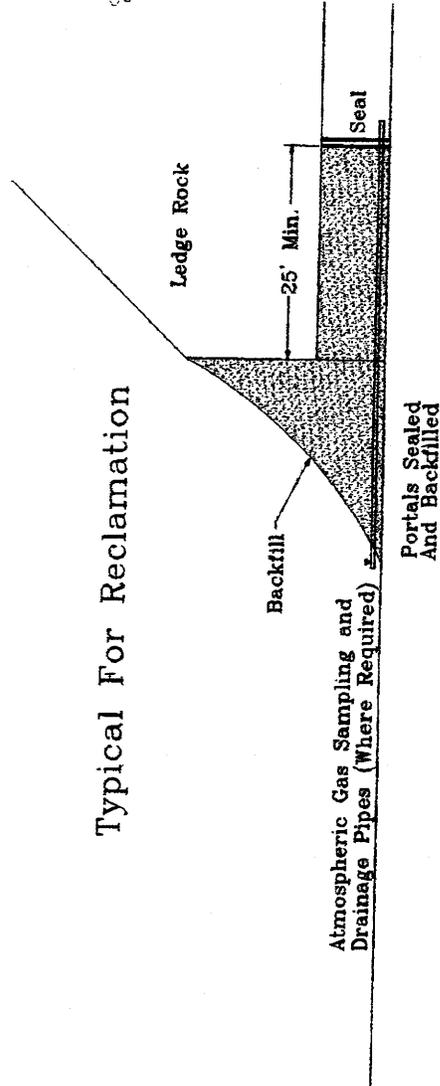
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