

**Hidden Splendor Resources**  
**Horizon Mine**  
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May 19, 2004

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*Incoming OK*  
*C/007/0020*  
*Task ID #1933*

Re: Hidden Splendor Resources, Inc.  
Horizon Mine  
C/007/0020  
Permit Boundary Expansion Application

Dear Pam:

Hidden Splendor Resources respectfully submits the redline copies of Chapters 2, 3, 6 & 7 and new Plates of the Mining Permit and Reclamation Plan for the Horizon mine, to apply for the expansion of the existing Permit Boundary to include all of Federal Coal Lease U-74804.

Please note that the tables of contents for the submitted chapters have not been updated due to the large amount of changes made. Once the redline-strikeout text is reviewed and clean copies requested the Table of Contents for each chapter will be updated and corrected. Also, please note that some pages have been intentionally left blank for ease of numbering.

If you have any questions or comments, please feel free to contact me at 435-472-0431.

Sincerely,



Derrel Curtis  
General Manager

cc: File

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# APPLICATION FOR COAL PERMIT PROCESSING

Permit Change  New Permit  Renewal  Exploration  Bond Release  Transfer

**Permittee:** HIDDEN SPLENDOR RESOURCES, INC.

**Mine:** HORIZON MINE

**Permit Number:** C/007/020

**Title:** EXPANSION OF PERMIT BOUNDARY TO INCLUDE ALL OF FEDERAL LEASE U-74804

**Description,** Include reason for application and timing required to implement:

**Instructions:** If you answer yes to any of the first eight (gray) questions, this application may require Public Notice publication.

- Yes  No 1. Change in the size of the Permit Area? Acres: 866 Disturbed Area: \_\_\_\_\_  increase  decrease.
- Yes  No 2. Is the application submitted as a result of a Division Order? DO#
- Yes  No 3. Does the application include operations outside a previously identified Cumulative Hydrologic Impact Area?
- Yes  No 4. Does the application include operations in hydrologic basins other than as currently approved?
- Yes  No 5. Does the application result from cancellation, reduction or increase of insurance or reclamation bond?
- Yes  No 6. Does the application require or include public notice publication?
- Yes  No 7. Does the application require or include ownership, control, right-of-entry, or compliance information?
- Yes  No 8. Is proposed activity within 100 feet of a public road or cemetery or 300 feet of an occupied dwelling?
- Yes  No 9. Is the application submitted as a result of a Violation? NOV #
- Yes  No 10. Is the application submitted as a result of other laws or regulations or policies?  
*Explain:* \_\_\_\_\_
- Yes  No 11. Does the application affect the surface landowner or change the post mining land use?
- Yes  No 12. Does the application require or include underground design or mine sequence and timing? (Modification of R2P2)
- Yes  No 13. Does the application require or include collection and reporting of any baseline information?
- Yes  No 14. Could the application have any effect on wildlife or vegetation outside the current disturbed area?
- Yes  No 15. Does the application require or include soil removal, storage or placement?
- Yes  No 16. Does the application require or include vegetation monitoring, removal or revegetation activities?
- Yes  No 17. Does the application require or include construction, modification, or removal of surface facilities?
- Yes  No 18. Does the application require or include water monitoring, sediment or drainage control measures?
- Yes  No 19. Does the application require or include certified designs, maps or calculation?
- Yes  No 20. Does the application require or include subsidence control or monitoring?
- Yes  No 21. Have reclamation costs for bonding been provided?
- Yes  No 22. Does the application involve a perennial stream, a stream buffer zone or discharges to a stream?
- Yes  No 23. Does the application affect permits issued by other agencies or permits issued to other entities?

**Please attach four (4) review copies of the application. If the mine is on or adjacent to Forest Service land please submit five (5) copies, thank you.** (These numbers include a copy for the Price Field Office)

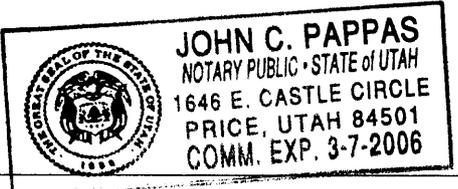
I hereby certify that I am a responsible official of the applicant and that the information contained in this application is true and correct to the best of my information and belief in all respects with the laws of Utah in reference to commitments, undertakings, and obligations, herein.

LEWEE CURTIS \_\_\_\_\_ Leelee Curtis General Manager \_\_\_\_\_  
 Print Name Sign Name, Position, Date 5/19/2004

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19 day of MAY, 2004

John C Pappas \_\_\_\_\_  
 Notary Public

My commission Expires: MARCH 7, 2006 }  
 Attest: State of UTAH } ss:  
 County of CARBON }



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