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Inspection Report

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Department of Natural Resources

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Company	Kit Pappas Manager of Environmental/Engineering
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Permit Number:	C0070020
Inspection Type:	PARTIAL
Inspection Date:	Thursday, December 11, 2008
Start Date/Time:	12/11/2008 9:30:00 AM
End Date/Time:	12/11/2008 12:30:00 PM
Last Inspection:	Thursday, November 06, 2008

Inspector: Karl Houskeeper, Environmental Scientist III

Weather: Clear, Temp. 35 Deg. F.

InspectionID Report Number: 1860

Accepted by: Jhelfric
1/6/2009

Permitee: **HIDDEN SPLENDOR RESOURCES INC**
Operator: **HIDDEN SPLENDOR RESOURCES INC**
Site: **HORIZON MINE**
Address: **3266 S 125 W, PRICE UT 84501**
County: **CARBON**
Permit Type: **PERMANENT COAL PROGRAM**
Permit Status: **ACTIVE**

Current Acreages

1,577.00	Total Permitted
9.50	Total Disturbed
	Phase I
	Phase II
	Phase III

Mineral Ownership

- [x] Federal
- [ ] State
- [ ] County
- [x] Fee
- [ ] Other

Types of Operations

- [x] Underground
- [ ] Surface
- [ ] Loadout
- [ ] Processing
- [ ] Reprocessing

Report summary and status for pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments:

Permit Condition #1 states that Hidden Splendor Resources will enter their water monitoring information into the electronic database, EDI. This condition is being met.

Inspector's Signature: Karl R. Houskeeper **Date** Thursday, December 11, 2008

Karl Houskeeper, Environmental Scientist III
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Note: This inspection report does not constitute an affidavit of compliance with the regulatory program of the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining.

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REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENTS

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 Not Applicable.*
   b. *For PARTIAL inspections check only the elements evaluated.*
2. *Document any noncompliance situation by reference the NOV issued at the appropriate performance standard listed below.*
3. *Reference any narratives written in conjunction with this inspection at the appropriate performace standard listed below.*
4. *Provide a brief status report for all pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Divison Orders, and amendments.*

	Evaluated	Not Applicable	Comment	Enforcement
1. Permits, Change, Transfer, Renewal, Sale	☑	☐	☑	☐
2. Signs and Markers	☑	☐	☑	☐
3. Topsoil	☐	☐	☐	☐
4.a Hydrologic Balance: Diversions	☑	☐	☑	☐
4.b Hydrologic Balance: Sediment Ponds and Impoundments	☑	☐	☐	☐
4.c Hydrologic Balance: Other Sediment Control Measures	☐	☐	☐	☐
4.d Hydrologic Balance: Water Monitoring	☐	☐	☐	☐
4.e Hydrologic Balance: Effluent Limitations	☐	☐	☐	☐
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 Issues	☐	☐	☐	☐
10. Slides and Other Damage	☐	☐	☐	☐
11. Contemporaneous Reclamation	☐	☐	☐	☐
12. Backfilling And Grading	☐	☐	☐	☐
13. Revegetation	☐	☐	☐	☐
14. Subsidence Control	☐	☐	☐	☐
15. Cessation of Operations	☐	☐	☐	☐
16.a Roads: Construction, Maintenance, Surfacing	☐	☐	☐	☐
16.b Roads: Drainage Controls	☐	☐	☐	☐
17. Other Transportation Facilities	☐	☐	☐	☐
18. Support Facilities, Utility Installations	☐	☐	☐	☐
19. AVS Check	☐	☐	☐	☐
20. Air Quality Permit	☐	☐	☐	☐
21. Bonding and Insurance	☐	☐	☐	☐
22. Other	☐	☐	☐	☐

1. Permits, Change, Transfer, Renewal, Sale

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2. Signs and Markers

The mine ID sign was observed at the point of public access to the mine. The sign contained the name of the mine, address, phone number, permit number, and MSHA number. The information is current.

4.a Hydrologic Balance: Diversions

The main diversion along the hillside had a storage bin and several vechicles that were partially blocking the diversion. Kit contacted the surface personnel to make sure that the the itmes were removed. The diversion was still functional with the partial obstructions.