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September 11, 1981

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Mr. Kirk Harvey
Blazon Company
Clear Creek Star Route
Helper, Utah 84526

RE: September 3, 1981,
Inspection
Blazon Mine
ACT/007/021
Carbon County, Utah

Dear Mr. Harvey:

This letter is in response to and further documentation of the September 3, 1981, complete inspection conducted by David Lof of the Division. The areas of concern discussed during the inspection are listed below and should be adequately addressed to meet compliance requirements. The areas of concern were given compliance deadlines of either two weeks or 30 days, depending on the type of work and the amount of time required to meet the compliance requirements as agreed upon during the inspection. As was discussed during the inspection, failure to adequately address all compliance measures during the given time-frame for each item listed below, will lead to the issuance of a Notice of Violation.

1. Repair the mine identification sign so that the ACT number is readable as required in UMC 817.11(b). Deadline: two weeks from date letter received.
2. Place buffer zone signs so that they clearly mark the buffer zone to prevent disturbance of the stream by surface operations and facilities, and complies with UMC 817.11(e). Deadline: two weeks from date letter received.

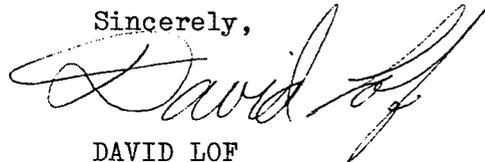
3. There were several areas on the north end of the permit area where surface drainage was leaving the disturbed area. This was discussed and it was indicated that Blazon was planning on regrading this area so that all drainage would go into the sediment pond. As a temporary measure to control this drainage and prevent additional contributions of sediment to stream flow outside the permit area, in accordance with UMC 817.42(a)(1), 817.45, 817.153 and 817.155, install straw bales. Deadline: two weeks from date letter received.
4. Reestablish surface grade, berms and ditches on the lower pad and the roads to meet design and maintenance requirements of UMC 817.42(a)(1), 817.45, 817.153, 817.155, 817.163, 817.165, 817.173(a)(2) and 817.175. Deadline: 30 days from date of receipt.
5. Stabilize and maintain the southwest corner of the southern sediment pond to comply with requirements under UMC 817.45, 817.46(e) and (sl). Deadline: 30 days from date of receipt.
6. Implement some sort of sediment control structure such as an earthen berm or straw bales around the perimeter of the southern most storage pad, as first discussed during the August 20, 1981 inspection, in order to meet compliance requirements of UMC 817.42 and 817.45. Deadline: 30 days from date of receipt.
7. Properly dispose of all underground development waste and excess spoil, specifically that waste which is on the mine portal pad and the waste which is near the southern most stream crossing, in the approved waste disposal site in accordance with UMC 817.71. Deadline: 30 days from date of receipt.
8. In light of the recent closure of the Clear Creek landfill, develop and implement plans for proper disposal of noncoal waste in accordance with UMC 817.89. Deadline: 30 days from date of receipt.

Enclosed with this letter you will find a copy of the EPA published regulations for the prevention of the pollution of waters of the United States by oil emanating from nontransportation related onshore facilities. These regulations became effective on January 10, 1974. Also enclosed you will find a copy of the Division publication entitled "Permit Applications--General Guideline for Organizational Format and Content."

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Also, at this time, I would like to extend to you an open invitation to stop in at the Division and discuss any concerns or questions you may have any time that you are in Salt Lake.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "David Lof".

DAVID LOF
RECLAMATION OFFICER

Enclosures

cc: Tom Ehmett, OSM
Joe Harvey, Blazon
Inspection Staff

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