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TO: John Whitehead, Permit Supervisor
FROM: James R. Fricke, Reclamation Hydrologist *JRF*
RE: Ten-Day-Notice #5 Response, Beaver Creek Coal Company,
C. V. Spur, ACT/007/022-87D, Folder #2, Carbon County, Utah

Synopsis

The operator's response (December 16, 1987) to the Division's request (November 16, 1987) is adequate. The operator has amended the mine plan text to specifically address sediment pond cleanout levels.

Analysis

Page 7-90d (as amended) of the MRP, addressed sediment cleanout for ponds 1, 2, 3, 5 and 6. The baseline survey point will be the low point of the pond overflow structure.

Ponds containing water; the sediment levels will be determined from an average of measurements taken from the perimeter of the ponded water.

Recommendations

The Division should approve the amendment.

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