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INSPECTION REPORT

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Partial: X Complete: Exploration:
Inspection Date & Time: 12/17/99 12:00 to 2:30
Date of Last Inspection: 11/17/99

Mine Name: Savage Coal Terminal County: Carbon Permit Number: ACT/007/022
Permittee and/or Operator's Name: Savage Industries, Inc.
Business Address: P. O. Box 587, Wellington, Utah 84542
Type of Mining Activity: Preparation Plant
State Officials(s): Susan White
Company Official(s): Boyd Rhodes and Dan Guy Federal Official(s): None
Weather Conditions: Fair and cold
Existing Acreage: Permitted-160 Disturbed-122 Regraded- Seeded- Bonded- 160
Increased/Decreased: Permitted- Disturbed- Regraded- Seeded- Bonded-
Status: Active

REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS & PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENTS

Instructions

- 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 N/A.
b. For partial inspections check only the elements evaluated.
2. Document any noncompliance situation by referencing the NOV issued at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
3. Reference any narratives written in conjunction with this inspection at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
4. Provide a brief status report for all pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments.

Table with 5 columns: Item, EVALUATED, N/A, COMMENTS, NOV/ENF. Rows include PERMITS, CHANGE, TRANSFER, RENEWAL, SALE; SIGNS AND MARKERS; TOPSOIL; HYDROLOGIC BALANCE; EXPLOSIVES; DISPOSAL OF EXCESS SPOIL/FILLS/BENCHES; COAL MINE WASTE/REFUSE PILES/IMPOUNDMENTS; NONCOAL WASTE; PROTECTION OF FISH, WILDLIFE AND RELATED ENVIRONMENTAL VALUES; SLIDES AND OTHER DAMAGE; CONTEMPORANEOUS RECLAMATION; BACKFILLING AND GRADING; REVEGETATION; SUBSIDENCE CONTROL; CESSATION OF OPERATIONS; ROADS; OTHER TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES; SUPPORT FACILITIES/UTILITY INSTALLATIONS; AVS CHECK; AIR QUALITY PERMIT; BONDING & INSURANCE.

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(Comments are Numbered to Correspond with Topics Listed Above)

1. Permits, Change, Transfer, Renewal, Sale

The permit was renewed August 7, 1999. Two stipulations were attached to the permit.

Stipulation #1 of the permit stated that the comment period for public review would expire on September 3, 1999 and if any comments would be received, they would be handled administratively. No comments were received by that date and therefore, the stipulation has been met.

Stipulation #2 of the permit stated that the Operator will submit water quality data electronically to the Division beginning with data for the fourth quarter of 1999. Ken Wyatt, Division Hydrologist, stated that data had not been submitted electronically. Dry sites must be included in the electronically submitted data.

2. Signs and Markers

Permit entry signs were visible at all points of road entry to the permit area.

4. Hydrologic Balance:

a. **Diversions:** All diversions and culverts observed were functional.

b. **Sediment Ponds:** The removed sediment around pond 6 had been removed and placed on the refuse pile. The sediment dumped on the refuse pile will be smoothed when dry.

Dan Guy conducted third quarter pond inspections August 6, 1999. Ponds 1, 2, 3, 5, and 6 were inspected, pond 5 is not a sediment pond.

d. **Water Monitoring:** CV-15W and CV-16W were reported dry on August 18, 1999.

e. **Effluent Limitations:** UPDES Permit #UTG040005 discharge point #001A was reported dry for each month during the third quarter.

7. Coal Mine Waste and Refuse Piles

The refuse pile inspection was conducted August 6, 1999 by Dan Guy.

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Mr. Guy had inquired about the necessary permitting requirements for selling the coal processing waste from the refuse pile to Co-Gen. Generally, if OSM determines that a AML fee needs to be paid then the Division will consider the material coal; no AML fees then the material will be considered refuse and permitting will be as necessary and required for those materials.

16. Roads

Roads maintenance and drainage were in good condition.

21. Bonding & Insurance

Liability insurance is carried by Continental Casualty Company and is effective April 1, 1999 to April 1, 2000.

National Fire Insurance Co. of Hartford carries the reclamation bond in the amount of \$2,525,000.

Copy of this Report:

Mailed to: OSM, Boyd Rhodes (Savage)

Given to: Pamela Grubaugh-Littig (DOGM)

Inspector's Signature: *Susan M. White* #35 Date: December 29, 1999