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INSPECTION REPORT

INSPECTION DATE & TIME: April 21-22, 1987
1:35pm - 2:50pm and 2:20pm to 3:00pm

Permittee and/or Operators Name: Andalex Resources Inc. (ARI)
Business Address: P.O. Box 902, Price, Utah 84501
Mine Name: Wildcat Loadout Permit Number: ACT/007/033
Type of Mining Activity: Underground Surface Other Prep. Plant
County: Carbon Co.
Company Official (s): John Pappas and Joe Baker
State Official(s): Lynn Kunzler and James Leatherwood
Partial: Complete: XX Date of Last Inspection: March 31, 1987
Weather Conditions: Clear and Warm
Acreage: Permitted Disturbed 37 Regraded Seeded Bonded
Enforcement Action: None

COMPLIANCE WITH PERMITS AND PERFORMANCE STANDARDS

	YES	NO	N/A	COMMENTS
1. PERMITS	(X)	()	()	(X)
2. SIGNS AND MARKERS	(X)	()	()	(X)
3. TOPSOIL	(X)	()	()	(X)
4. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE:				
a. STREAM CHANNEL DIVERSIONS	()	()	(X)	()
b. DIVERSIONS	(X)	()	()	(X)
c. SEDIMENT PONDS AND IMPOUNDMENTS	(X)	()	()	(X)
d. OTHER SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES	(X)	()	()	()
e. SURFACE AND GROUNDWATER MONITORING	()	()	(X)	()
f. EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS	(X)	()	()	(X)
5. EXPLOSIVES	()	()	(X)	()
6. DISPOSAL OF DEVELOPMENT WASTE AND SPOIL	()	()	(X)	()
7. COAL PROCESSING WASTE	()	()	(X)	()
8. NONCOAL WASTE	(X)	()	()	()
9. PROTECTION OF FISH, WILDLIFE AND RELATED ENVIRONMENTAL VALUES	(X)	()	()	()
10. SLIDES AND OTHER DAMAGE	()	()	(X)	()
11. CONTEMPORANEOUS RECLAMATION	(X)	()	()	()
12. BACKFILLING AND GRADING	(X)	()	()	()
13. REVEGETATION	(X)	()	()	()
14. SUBSIDENCE CONTROL	()	()	(X)	()
15. CESSATION OF OPERATIONS	()	()	(X)	()
16. ROADS				
a. CONSTRUCTION	(X)	()	()	()
b. DRAINAGE CONTROLS	(X)	()	()	()
c. SURFACING	(X)	()	()	()
d. MAINTENANCE	(X)	()	()	()
17. OTHER TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES	(X)	()	()	()
18. SUPPORT FACILITIES				
UTILITY INSTALLATIONS	(X)	()	()	(X)

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(Comments are Numbered to Correspond with Topics Listed Above)

1. Permits. ARI maintains a \$50,000.00 surety bond posted with the BLM for site reclamation.

2. Signs and Markers. All points of public access have been posted with signs that show the name of the company, address, phone number, the BLM right-of-way number and the DOGM permit number.

3. Topsoil. On 4/21/87 it was noted that the berm around the south topsoil pile had been damaged in the past due to reseeding efforts. Mr. Pappas was instructed to repair the berm, which was completed before the inspection was completed on 4/22/87. All topsoil piles were stable and vegetated. There were no signs of erosion observed on the topsoil piles.

4b. Diversions. The diversion running into pond E had been cleaned out as requested during the last inspection. Signs of soil instability was evident at the inlet to the diversion above pond C where runoff from the coal stockpile enters the diversion. Mr. Pappas was told to riprap this area to stabilize the inlet, which he indicated he would have someone working on it by 4/23/87.

4c. Sediment Ponds and Impoundments. The weekly pond inspection reports were reviewed for the period of 3/16/87 to 4/21/87. There was no water impounded in any of the ponds and all pond embankments were stable. It was noted that some erosion had occurred below the inlet culvert to pond C. Mr. Pappas was told to place riprap below the culvert to prevent further erosion. Mr. Pappas stated that he would have someone placing the riprap by 4/23/87.

In discussing the pond inspection frequency, Mr. Pappas thought that Mr. Mike Glasson had submitted a request to the Division for less frequent inspections. However, after returning to the office it was apparent that no request had been received by the Division. Mr. Glasson was called to verify whether he had submitted the request. He indicated that he would be preparing the request for quarterly inspections in the near future.

4f. Effluent limitations. The NPDES report for the first quarter of 1987 was examined. No discharge had occurred from any of the points during this period.

18. Support Facilities and Utility installations. ARI was in the process of installing a buried electrical cable from the substation to the loadout on the west side of the tracks. Once this is completed, the diesel generator which is the current power supply for the west side will be removed.

Copy of this Report:

Mailed to: Donna Griffin - OSM, Mike Glasson, ARI

Given to: Joe Helfrich, Sue Linner & John Whitehead - DOGM

Inspectors Signature and Number: dy Kjr #17 Date: 4/24/87