



State of Utah
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

INSPECTION REPORT

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Partial: XXX Complete: Exploration:
Inspection Date & Time: 8/15/2000 / 9:30a.m.-11:30a.m.
Date of Last Inspection: 7/26/2000

Mine Name: Wildcat Loadout County: Carbon Permit Number: ACT/007/033
Permittee and/or Operator's Name: Andalex Resources, Inc.
Business Address: P. O. Box 902, Price, Utah 84501
Type of Mining Activity: Underground Surface Prep. Plant XXX Other
Company Official(s): None
State Officials(s): Stephen J. Demczak Federal Official(s): None
Weather Conditions: 80's, Partly Cloudy
Existing Acreage: Permitted- 100 Disturbed- 63.7 Regraded- Seeded- Bonded- 60
Increased/Decreased: Permitted- Disturbed- Regraded- Seeded- Bonded-
Status: Exploration/ XXX Active/ Inactive/ Temporary Cessation/ Bond Forfeiture
Reclamation (Phase I/Phase II/ Final Bond Release/ Liability Year)

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: EVALUATED, N/A, COMMENTS, NOV/ENF. Rows 1-21 listing various permit conditions and their evaluation status.

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(Comments are Numbered to Correspond with Topics Listed Above)

1. **PERMIT**

There are no permitting actions currently taking place at the Wildcat Loadout.

2. **SIGNS AND MARKERS**

All permittee identification signs meet the requirements of the R645 coal rules. The perimeter markers were spot-checked; same are located about the perimeter of all disturbed areas. Wildcat Loadout is not near a stream, and therefore, has no stream buffer zones. All topsoil piles have proper signs for identification.

3. **TOPSOIL**

The topsoil piles were inspected and no signs of wind or water erosion was evident. These piles are protected by berms and vegetative cover.

4A. **DIVERSIONS**

The surface drainage diversions were spot-checked and found to be in compliance with the requirements of the mining and reclamation plan and the R645 coal rules. The permittee has graded several diversion ditches throughout the mine site.

4B. **SEDIMENT PONDS**

The sediment ponds were not discharging during the inspection; same contained little or no water. There were no hazardous conditions noted during the inspection relative to any of the site's impoundments.

4C. **OTHER SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES**

The Wildcat Loadout facility uses straw bales as its means of alternate sediment control. The site's ASCA's were spot-inspected and found to be in compliance with the R645 coal rules. The permittee has replaced several straw bales on the mine site.

8. **NON-COAL WASTE**

The area was clear of non-coal waste material.

18. **SUPPORT FACILITIES**

There have not been any additions to the surface support facilities.

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

Copy of this Report:

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Inspector's Signature:  #39
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