

# TECHNICAL MEMORANDUM

## Utah Coal Regulatory Program

February 1, 2006

TO: Internal File

THRU: Pamela Grubaugh-Littig, Permit Supervisor  
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FROM: James D. Smith, Environmental Specialist III/Hydrology

RE: MRP Rewrite, Andalex Resources, Inc., Wildcat Loadout, C/007/0033, Task ID #2371

### **SUMMARY:**

Andalex originally applied for a mining permit for the Wildcat Loadout in 1988. The MRP was formatted and organized to match the Coal Mining Rules that were in effect at that time. The Division received the first submittal of this MRP Rewrite amendment on April 8, 2004. The amendment mainly reorganizes information in the Wildcat Loadout MRP so that it more closely matches the format and organization of the current R645 Coal Mining Rules.

Deficiencies in the Geology and Hydrology sections of the proposed amendment, which were identified in the June 30, 2004 and February 10, 2005 Tech Memos, have been satisfactorily addressed. The September 30, 2005 Tech Memo found no additional deficiencies relating to the Geology or Hydrology sections of the MRP, and the Permittee's submittal received November 18, 2005 contained no new information on these subjects, therefore this Tech Memo contains no additional Analysis or Findings. The recommendation is that the MRP Rewrite amendment be approved.

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Permittee's Action		DOGM's Action	
Original <a href="#">submittal</a>	04/08/2004	Assigned Task #1911	
		Tech Memo – Geology and <a href="#">Hydrology</a>	06/30/2004
		<a href="#">TA</a>	
Response to Task # <a href="#">1911</a>	12/10/2004	Assigned Task #2089	
		Tech Memo – Geology and <a href="#">Hydrology</a>	02/10/2005
		Deficiency <a href="#">Letter</a>	02/17/2005
Response to Task # <a href="#">2089</a>	06/30/2005	Assigned Task #2277	
		Tech Memo – Geology and <a href="#">Hydrology</a>	09/30/2005
		Deficiency <a href="#">Letter</a>	02/17/2005
Response to Task # <a href="#">2277</a>	11/18/2005	Assigned Task #2371	
		Tech Memo – Geology and <a href="#">Hydrology</a>	

**RECOMMENDATIONS:**

The proposed MRP Rewrite amendment should be approved.