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INSPECTION REPORT

INSPECTION DATE & TIME: 4-23-87
9:30 to 10:30 a.m.

Permittee and/or Operators Name: Soldier Creek Coal Company
Business Address: P.O. Box I Price, Utah 84501
Mine Name: Banning Siding Permit Number: PRO/007/034
Type of Mining Activity: Underground Surface Other Preparation Plant
County: Carbon
Company Official (s): Chris Allan
State Official(s): Holland Shepherd
Partial: X Complete: Date of Last Inspection: 3-18-87
Weather Conditions: sunny, warm, no runoff occurring at the site, dry
Acreage: Permitted n/a Disturbed n/a Regraded 0 Seeded 0 Bonded 0
Enforcement Action: none

COMPLIANCE WITH PERMITS AND PERFORMANCE STANDARDS

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

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PERMIT NUMBER PRO/007/034

DATE OF INSPECTION 4-23-87

(Comments are Numbered to Correspond with Topics Listed Above)

1. Permits:

1.I spoke with Mr. Allen about obtaining an SPCC plan for the Banning site. He informed me that he was unsure as to whether or not the site already had one and that he would check into it.

A large surface tank containing several thousand gallons of diesel fuel is situated on the site in the proximity of the crusher and screen facility. This tank qualifies the site for the maintenance of an SPCC plan under 40 CFR section 112.

2. An onsite meeting has been scheduled between the operator and the DOGM B-team to discuss permitting concerns at the loadout-preparation facility. The meeting has been scheduled for May 6th 1987.

4.c. Sediment Ponds and Impoundments:

An inspection of the operator's sediment basin turned up no problems with containment of drainage from the site. The pond is approximately one quarter full.

Standing water in the basin eventually evaporates or seeps into the ground, over time. The basin has no designed outlet. The operator will be constructing a design sediment pond on site at a later date. Discussion of the sediment pond will be one of the concerns of the May 6th meeting.

4.d. Other Sediment Concerns:

The operator has constructed a berm along the inside of the northeast fence line, as requested (see 12-12-86 inspection report). The berm is easier to maintain and keeps pad drainage from entering a dry wash to the immediate north of the fence.

Copy of this Report:

Mailed to: Chris Allen, Donna Griffin
Given to: Joe Helfrich

Inspectors Signature and Number: Holland Shepherd #9 Date: 4-23-87