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INSPECTION REPORT

Partial: xx Complete: ___ Exploration ____
Inspection Date/Time: November 11, 1992/09:00am-11:00am
Date of Last Inspection: October 15, 1992

Mine Name: Banning Loadout County: Carbon Permit Number: ACT/007/034
Permittee and/or Operator's Name: Soldier Creek Coal Co/Savage Coal Service
Business Address: P. O. Box I, Price, UT 84501
Type of Mining Activity: Underground ____ Surface ____ Prep. Plant ____ Other XX
Officials(s): State: Stephen J. Demczak Company: _____
Federal Official(s): _____ Weather Conditions: Raining/Cool
Existing Acreage: Permitted-326 Disturbed-21 Regraded-___ Seeded-___ Bonded-21.6
Increased/Decreased: Permitted-____ Disturbed-__ Regraded-__ Seeded-__ Bonded-____
Status: ___ Exploration/ X Active/ ___ Inactive/ __ Temp 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.

	EVALUATED	N/A	COMMENTS	NOV/ENF
1. PERMITS, CHANGE, TRANSFER, RENEWAL, SALE	[XX]	[ ]	[XX]	[ ]
2. SIGNS AND MARKERS	[XX]	[ ]	[XX]	[ ]
3. TOPSOIL	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
4. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE:				
a. DIVERSIONS	[XX]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
b. SEDIMENT PONDS AND IMPOUNDMENTS	[XX]	[ ]	[XX]	[ ]
c. OTHER SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
d. WATER MONITORING	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
e. EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
5. EXPLOSIVES	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
6. DISPOSAL OF EXCESS SPOIL/FILLS/BENCHES	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
7. COAL MINE WASTE/REFUSE PILES/IMPOUNDMENTS	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
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/MAINTENANCE/SURFACING	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
b. DRAINAGE CONTROLS	[XX]	[ ]	[XX]	[ ]
17. OTHER TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
18. SUPPORT FACILITIES/UTILITY INSTALLATIONS	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
19. AVS CHECK (4th Quarter-April, May, June)	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
20. AIR QUALITY PERMIT	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]
21. BONDING & INSURANCE	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]	[ ]

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(Continuation sheet)

PERMIT NUMBER: ACT/007/034 DATE OF INSPECTION: November 11, 1992

(Comments are Numbered to Correspond with Topics Listed Above)

1. Permit -

A NOV #92-15-1-1 was issued for not complying with R645-300-143, R645-131-200 and R645-303-212. This NOV was issued for not complying with Division Order (ACT/007/034-92B). The NOV abatement has been extended to December 18, 1992.

2. Signs and Markers -

Signs and markers were inspected and were in order, no problems were noted.

4b. Sediment Ponds and Impoundments -

The inslopes of the sediment pond has started to erode. This is not a violation but could become one if not attended to.

16. Roads - Drainage Control -

The silt fences along the road were inspected and were functioning as designed.

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:

Mailed to: Soldier Creek Coal Co/Savage Coal Service
Mailed to: Bernie Freeman (OSM)
Given to: Joe Helfrich (DOGM)
Filed to: Price Field Office
Date: December 11, 1992

Inspector's Signature and Number: Stephen J. Demczak #39
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