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Subject: RE: Anticipated Mine Water discharge from old Knight Mine /Dugout Canyon Mine

The discharge will be sampled in accordance with our UPDES permit. This was a preliminary notification, we will remain in compliance with our permit as long as possible by meeting our maximum discharge quantities while remaining within our parameter limits. As before safety will be the final determining factor for the timing of the discharge.

Vicky

-----Original Message-----

From: Daron Haddock [mailto:daronhaddock@utah.gov]
Sent: Friday, January 23, 2004 10:13 AM
To: Gregg Galecki; Pam Grubaugh-Littig; Pete Hess
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I think sampling the discharge is a good idea. I would think the company should be attempting to keep its discharges within the parameters allowed by their UPDES permit. Perhaps discharging a smaller amount now may help them keep within their limits rather than discharging a large amount all at once?

>>> Pete Hess 01/23/04 09:35AM >>>

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Vicky Miller informed me yesterday that it will be necessary for the Mine to de-water the Knight workings once again. As the long wall is in the process of being moved, water which would normally be used for dust suppression on the shearer is not being utilized. The permittee has already discussed the situation with DEQ/DWQ. The underground accumulation is also a safety concern as far as MSHA is concerned. As the time for the needed discharge gets closer, Vicki indicated that she would give me advance notice, before mailing the letter to DWQ. Please let me know if you feel we need to monitor, or sample the discharge as it occurs. Thanks.

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