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Re: Post Reclamation Monitoring
J. B. King Mine, Emery Co.
INA/015/002

Dear Mr. Whitehead:

In compliance with the post monitoring regulations of the above permit, an inspection of the area was conducted February 21, 1986.

Ivan L. Lott of Coal Systems performed all of the monitoring activities. This letter is to inform you of this inspection and relay the conclusions and observations made.

There has been very little precipitation or snow cover at the site to date. Therefore, the hydrologic structures remain essentially in their originally constructed condition. Some minor flow from outside the area has left small areas of moisture in the form of mud sporadically along the length of the feeder and borrow pit ditches extending some 100 feet into the sedimentation pond. No damage has occurred to these control features, nor has any surface run-off erosion taken place.

Cattle damage to the straw bale erosion control structures will be repaired and prevention of future damage will be controlled by the erection of a fence across the north opening of the box canyon. This fence will be constructed prior to, or in conjunction with the spring revegetation activities.

Subsidence tension cracks control remains stable and minor repair as required will be conducted to insure the integrity of the procedure.

The overall condition of the reclamation activities and structures is satisfactory and no disturbance to the hydrological balance or other reclamation parameters was observed.

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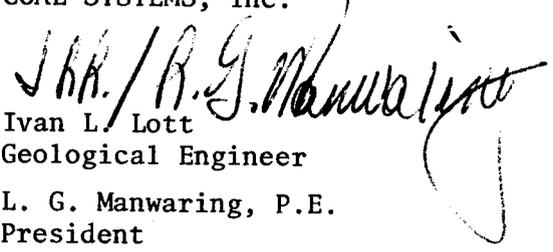


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Should you desire further detail or have any questions, please
give us a call.

Sincerely,

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