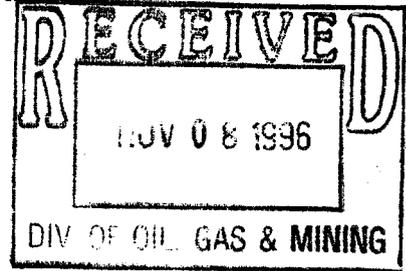


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RE: J.B. King reclaimed minesite- Permit # ACT/015/002 : Response to DOGM inspection report dated Oct. 10, 1996 concerning site sediment impoundment- disposition of inlet/outlet situation that is occurring

Dear Susan:

I received your Inspection Report of October 10, 1996; noting the situation with the site sediment impoundment facility. More specifically, the outlet conveyance for the sediment impoundment, which is presently also acting as an inlet conveyance for water to enter the sediment impoundment from an undisturbed drainage channel, located offsite. Sharon Falvey has shared her ideas with me, but it would not be appropriate for me to commit to any modification until I have personally inspected the site situation, and taken appropriate measurements. Once I have made that assessment, I'll be prepared to offer you a recommendation for a possible solution.

As you are aware, I have made preliminary plans to stop by your office on Nov. 11 or 12, and then spend the remainder of that week at the J.B. King site. I look forward to seeing you at that time. If you have any questions or want any clarification prior to that date, please call me at your convenience. I'll deliver the datalogger for the weather station, or replace it at the site, if the timing is correct. See you then.

Sincerely,

E.M. (Buzz) Gerick
Vice President of Operations

cc: J.B. King file

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