October 26, 1979

Memo to File:

RE: Swisher Coal Company
Huntington #4
ACT/015/004

The above-mentioned operation was visited by Mike Thompson, Tom Suchoski and Joe Helfrich from the State Division of Oil, Gas and Mining. The State personnel were accompanied by Dan Guy, Chief Engineer, for Swisher Coal Company.

The purpose of the visit was to inspect diversion ditches, culverts and berms installed at the #4 Mine. Mike Thompson suggested placement of rock and straw check dams at 100'-150' intervals along diversion ditches and installation of culvert extensions along downslopes. Mike also mentioned that steel posts be installed where diversion ditches empty into culverts to prevent damage and clogging by road maintainence equipment.

Installation of the proposed sediment pond at the #4 Mine should start during the week of October 29, and be completed approximately 2 weeks thereafter. State personnel will inspect the sediment pond upon completion.

JOSEPH C. HELFRICH
RECLAMATION OFFICER

cc: O.S.M., Region V

Statistics:

Vehicle # EX 68804
274 Miles
3 persons - 2 days @ $40.86/person = $122.58

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