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MEMO TO COAL FILE:

Re: Swisher Coal Company
Huntington #4 Mine
Plan Approval
ACT/015/004

After discussions with Dan Guy and Jim Holliman on February 14, 1980, Ron Daniels agreed to attempt to assist Swisher Coal Company in changing the stipulations of the joint Federal/State approval of the Huntington #4 mine plan.

Ron agreed to meet with O.S.M. and Swisher to resolve questions on the following provisions:

Stipulations that need re-discussion.

1. Air quality - the requirement to monitor air quality remains in the stipulations as proposed by O.S.M.

2. Scope of the permit - the prohibition of construction at the C.V. Spur Preparation Plant remains in the stipulations as proposed by O.S.M.

Other areas that are less critical but may need to be discussed again.

A. Stipulation on road drainage - the 100' spacing for culverts on the steepest portion of the road still remains in the stipulations. Swisher would like to incorporate the present 200' spacing into its operation as an experimental practice. (Sec 711 of P.L. 95-87)

B. Coal haulage during night hours - Swisher does not view as critical, a limitation on haulage during the hours of midnight through dawn. The most recent revision of the stipulation (# 20) needs to be examined to see if it restricts or can restrict haulage between dusk and midnight. This would be objectionable to Swisher.

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