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June 8, 1983

Inspection Memo
to Coal File:

RE: Beaver Creek Coal Company
Huntington #4 Mine
ACT/015/004
Folder No. 7
Emery County, Utah

On June 9, 1983 John Whitehead performed a partial inspection at the above noted minesite, accompanied by Dan Guy of BCCC.

Compliance measures for NAOC N83-5-2-1 issued May 24, 1983 had been for the most part completed. The sediment materials deposited from the snow removal operations had been removed. Mr. Guy pointed out the locations which will be proposed for storage areas in next year's snow removal program. A map delineating these areas will be included in the mining and reclamation plan submittal to be forwarded to the Division approximately June 20, 1983. With the receipt of this map and plans this NAOC may be terminated.

The undisturbed diversion along the highwall at the portal level area had been cleaned out substantially and appeared to be in good condition. This same ditch behind the shop and office area also appeared to be in good condition.

The emergency discharge overflow for the upper sediment pond had been reestablished since the previous inspection. Rip-rapping of this discharge device will be necessary. Mr. Guy indicated this would be accomplished in the near future.

Since the previous inspection, some new straw bale dikes had been placed along the main disturbed area diversion ditch which leads into the sediment pond. This was in response to the previous inspection when it was noted that the heavy flow which was occurring in this ditch had partially obstructed with sediment some of the straw bale dikes which existed.


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Statistics:

See C. V. Spur memo dated June 8, 1983.