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inspection report

Permit No. INA/015/004

Inspection Date 4/27/87

Permittee/Operator Name Beaver Creek Coal Co.

Business Address P.O. Box 1378

City Price State Utah Zip 84501

Mine Huntington Canyon #4 ☐ Surface ☐ Underground ☒ Other

County Emery State Utah.

Company Official(s) Dan Guy.

State Official(s) Wm. J Malenak

Time of inspection 11:00 ☒ a.m. ☐ p.m. to 1:30 ☐ a.m. ☒ p.m. ☒ Partial ☐ Complete

Date of last inspection 2/24/87 Weather conditions Warm & Sunny.

Acreage 2600 ☑ Permitted 12.5 ☑ Disturbed 12.0 ☑ Regraded 12.0 ☑ Seeded 12.5 ☑ Bonded

Enforcement Action None - Reclaimed Areas Look Good - Vegetation Becoming Established

COMPLIANCE WITH PERMITS AND PERFORMANCE STANDARDS

	YES	NO	N/A	COMMENTS
1. Permits	☐	☐	☐	☐
2. Signs and markers	☒	☐	☐	☐
3. Topsoil	☒	☐	☐	☐
4. Hydrologic balance				
— Stream channel diversions	☐	☐	☐	☐
— Diversions	☐	☐	☐	☐
— Sediment ponds and impoundments	☒	☐	☐	☒
— Other sediment control measures	☒	☐	☐	☒
— Surface and groundwater monitoring	☒	☐	☐	☐
— Effluent limitations	☐	☐	☐	☐
5. Explosives	☐	☐	☒	☐
6. Development waste and spoil disposal	☐	☐	☒	☐
7. Coal processing waste	☐	☐	☒	☐
8. Noncoal waste	☐	☐	☒	☐
9. Protection of fish, wildlife, and related environmental values	☐	☐	☐	☐
10. Slides and other damage	☐	☐	☒	☐
11. Contemporaneous reclamation	☐	☐	☒	☐
12. Backfilling and grading	☐	☐	☒	☐
13. Revegetation	☒	☐	☐	☒
14. Subsidence control	☐	☐	☐	☐
15. Cessation of operations	☐	☐	☐	☐
16. Roads				
— Construction	☐	☐	☐	☐
— Drainage controls	☐	☐	☐	☐
— Surfacing	☐	☐	☐	☐
— Maintenance	☐	☐	☐	☐
17. Other transportation facilities	☐	☐	☒	☐
18. Support facilities and utility installations	☐	☐	☒	☐

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General Comments. The reclaimed area looks good. The grading and with vegetation becoming reestabished, it will become increasingly difficult to detect that a coal mine operation had taken place in the past.

Weather was mild & warm. The first inch of top soil on the south facing slopes was dry & crumbly.

[4c] Sediment pond was dry and high water marks would indicate that 2 to 3 feet of water, at the most, had been in the pond this spring at high runoff period.

[4d] Other sediment control measures are working effectively. About 3" of sediment was observed in the main channel above the sediment pond. This area was riprapped.

The silt fencing is becoming less important now that vegetation has become reestablished in most areas. After about the middle of July

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an analysis and a decision can be made on what silt fences shall be maintained and what silt fences can be removed since vegetation reestablishment has taken over and provided natural sediment control.

[13] Revegetation as a whole looks good. Both the seeded species and the rooted plants have a good start. Some of the small evergreen plantings on the south slopes/severe sites show signs of moisture stress. At first glance, the seeded areas that have been ripped on the main road appear to be void of grass seedlings. However, closer observation shows that germination has taken place and seedlings emerging, being more numerous in areas of depression (rips & natural depressions).

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