



inspection report

- Partial
- Complete
- Exploration

Inspection Date: July 28, 1993
 Time: 9 : 00 am pm to 4 : 00 am pm
 Date of Last Inspection: 6/8/93

Mine Name: Hidden Valley County: Emery Permit Numbers: Act 1015/007
 Permittee and/or Operator's Name: Hidden Valley Coal Company
 Business Address: 1801 University
 Type of Mining Activity: Underground Surface Prep. Plant Other
 State Official(s): Bill Malenick
 Company Official(s): Karla Knoop
 Federal Official(s): N/A

Weather Conditions: Clear/Warm
 Existing Acreage: Permitted- 950 Disturbed- 6 Regraded- 7 Seeded- 6 Bonded- 7
 Increased/Decreased: Permitted- _____ Disturbed- _____ Regraded- _____ Seeded- _____ Bonded- _____
 Status: Exploration / Active / Inactive / Temporary Cessation / Bond Forfeiture
 Reclamation (Phase I / Phase II / Final Bond Release / Liability 1996 Year Full

REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS & PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENTS

Instructions

1. Substantiate the elements on this inspection by checking the appropriate performance standard.
 - a. For complete inspections provide narrative justification for any elements not fully inspected unless element is not appropriate to the site, in which case check N/A.
 - b. For partial inspections check only the elements evaluated.
2. Document any noncompliance situation by referencing the NOV issued at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
3. Reference any narratives written in conjunction with this inspection at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
4. Provide a brief status report for all pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments.

	EVALUATED	N/A	COMMENTS	NOV/ENF
1. PERMITS, CHANGE, TRANSFER, RENEWAL, SALE	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
2. SIGNS AND MARKERS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
3. TOPSOIL	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
4. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE:				
a. DIVERSIONS	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Pending NOV 91-26-8-2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
b. SEDIMENT PONDS AND IMPOUNDMENTS	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
c. OTHER SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Pending NOV 91-26-8-2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
d. WATER MONITORING	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
e. EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
5. EXPLOSIVES	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
6. DISPOSAL OF EXCESS SPOIL/FILLS/BENCHES	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
7. COAL MINE WASTE/REFUSE PILES/IMPOUNDMENTS	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
8. NONCOAL WASTE	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
9. PROTECTION OF FISH, WILDLIFE AND RELATED ENVIRONMENTAL VALUES	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
10. SLIDES AND OTHER DAMAGE	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
11. CONTEMPORANEOUS RECLAMATION	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
12. BACKFILLING AND GRADING	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
13. REVEGETATION	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/> Pending NOV 91-26-8-2	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
14. SUBSIDENCE CONTROL	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
15. CESSATION OF OPERATIONS	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
16. ROADS:				
a. CONSTRUCTION/MAINTENANCE/SURFACING	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
b. DRAINAGE CONTROLS	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
17. OTHER TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
18. SUPPORT FACILITIES/UTILITY INSTALLATIONS	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
19. AVS CHECK (4th Quarter-April, May, June) _____ (date)	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
20. AIR QUALITY PERMIT	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>
21. BONDING & INSURANCE	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>



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Permit No. Act/015/007

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General Comments. The purpose of this partial inspection was to field check three exploratory bore holes. One bore hole was found and sealed and documented in the 6/8/93 inspection report. This hole is drill hole #5.

Drill hole #6 was found, but did not have a final cement plug. The operator on 7/28/93 in my presence installed a cement five foot plug. A temporary plug was removed with a soil auger before installing the cement plug. The top of the plug was marked H.V with small stones and wax shaped to indicate date as 7/93.

Drill hole #4 after an exhaustive search could again not be found. I-70 access was utilized to gain access to the general area where the well was purportedly located. While walking the bench area we found two cadastral survey quarter corners located offset quarter corners i.e., S 1/4, Sec. 17 and N 1/4 Sec. 20., Twp 23 S., R 6E SLB&M.

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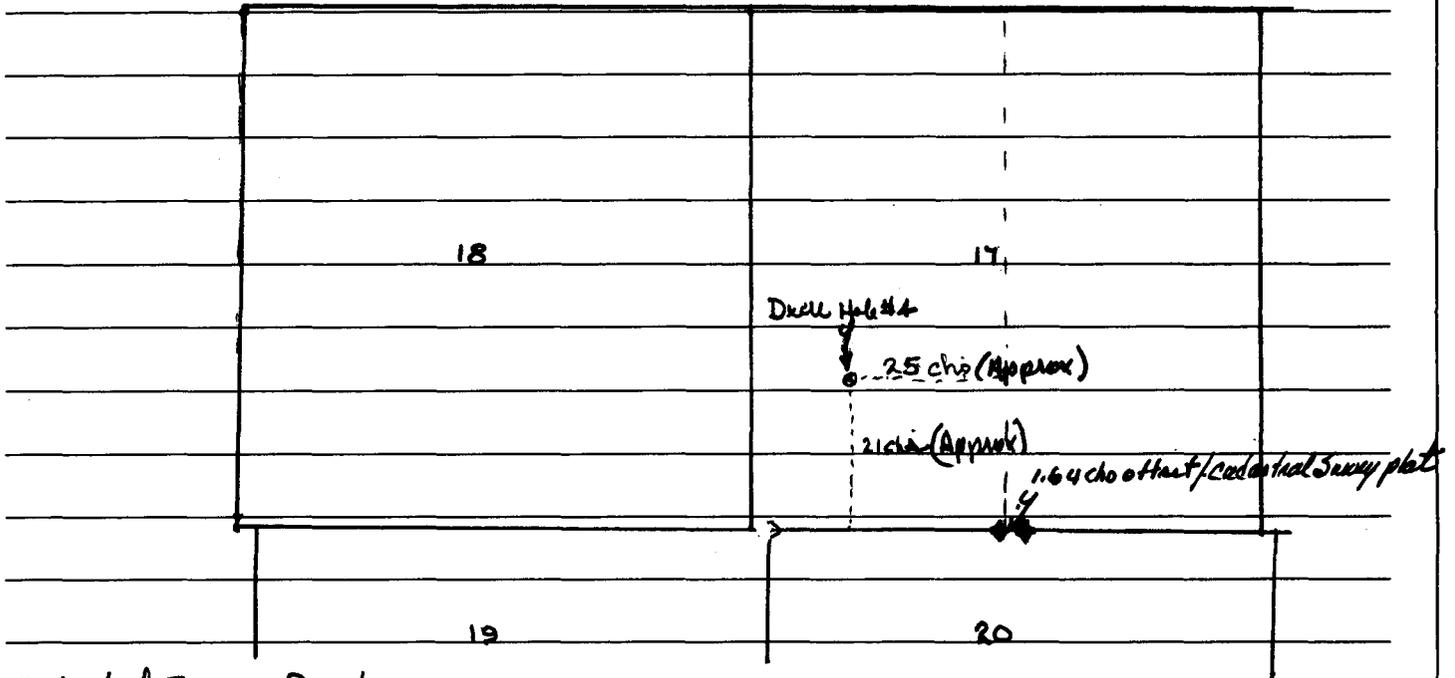
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Tracing and utilizing information from plate IV as shown below it would appear that the drill hole #4 is located about 28 chains, approximate 1800' NW of S 1/4 Sec. 17. Further it would be in the general area where the 6/8/93 search was made. A plat prepared from extrapolated information follows



Cadastral Survey Records, Twp. 23S, 6E SBBM

N 1/2 Twp. Surveyed 1873
S 1/2 " " 1873, Resurveyed 1937.

What was observed near S 1/4 corner of Sec. 17 because of proximity to the found quarter corners could not have been great from well #4

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The foregoing plot as shown on page 3 herein is based on the well location as shown on plate IV of the permit MRP. Dimensions shown on the page 3 plot is based in part on the location of reservoir section line common to secs. 17 & 20 and quarter corner (S), sec 17, found and identified in the field. Also the N quarter corner of sec 20. The only question "How accurately was the well located and as depicted on plate IV by the permittee.

I would recommend to the responsible parties as follows:

Permittee: Request assistance of the parties who were responsible for dealing and validating the well was sealed, by having them assist in the permittees concerted effort to locate the well site and necessary followup.

Permit Supervisor: If you concur with my recommendation, notify the permittee of the Divisions position concerning drill hole #4.

ID Sign. I.D sign was in place and contained the required information

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8/5/93