

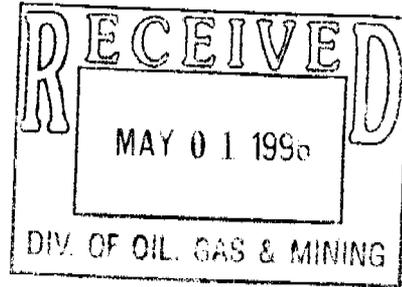
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RE: Hidden Valley Mine
Permit No. ACT/015/007
1995 Annual Report

ACT/015/007 #6

Dear Mr. Braxton:

As required by the Division, please find attached the 1995 Annual Report for the Hidden Valley Coal Mine.

Monitoring Items B, D, E and H of your January 18, 1996 letter are not addressed in this report since our permit does not require monitoring of groundwater, precipitation or other climatological conditions, subsidence nor are annual samples collected for overburden, spoil, refuse, roof, floor and mid-seam data. In addition, no impoundments exist on this site for inspection.

If you have any questions or need further information, please contact me at the above location.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Gary Raines".

Gary Raines
Manager of Reclamation
Western Operations