



State of Utah
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

Page 2

Michael O. Leavitt
Governor
Kathleen Clarke
Executive Director
Lowell P. Braxton
Division Director

1594 West North Temple, Suite 1210
PO Box 145801
Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-5801
801-538-5340
801-359-3940 (Fax)
801-538-7223 (TDD)

INSPECTION REPORT

Partial: XXX Complete: Exploration:
Inspection Date & Time: 11/17/2001 / 12:00p.m.-2:00 p.m.
Date of Last Inspection: 10/30/2001

Mine Name: Hidden Valley Mine County: Emery Permit Number: C/015/007
Permittee and/or Operator's Name: Consolidation Coal Company
Business Address: P.O. Box 566, Sesser, Illinois 62884, P.O. Box 527, Emery, UT 84522
Type of Mining Activity: Underground XXX Surface Prep. Plant Other
Company Official(s): Bryan Clements
State Official(s): Susan White Federal Official(s): None
Weather Conditions: Cold and partly cloudy
Existing Acreage: Permitted 960 Disturbed 7 Regraded Seeded
Status: Active XXX

REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS & PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENTS

- 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.

Table with 5 columns: Item, EVALUATED, N/A, COMMENTS, NOV/ENF. Rows include: PERMITS, CHANGE, TRANSFER, RENEWAL, SALE; SIGNS AND MARKERS; TOPSOIL; HYDROLOGIC BALANCE; EXPLOSIVES; DISPOSAL OF EXCESS SPOIL/FILLS/BENCHES; COAL MINE WASTE/REFUSE PILES/IMPOUNDMENTS; NONCOAL WASTE; PROTECTION OF FISH, WILDLIFE AND RELATED ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES; SLIDES AND OTHER DAMAGE; CONTEMPORANEOUS RECLAMATION; BACKFILLING AND GRADING; REVEGETATION; SUBSIDENCE CONTROL; CESSATION OF OPERATIONS; ROADS; OTHER TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES; SUPPORT FACILITIES/UTILITY INSTALLATIONS; AVS CHECK (4th Quarter- April, May, June); AIR QUALITY PERMIT; BONDING & INSURANCE.

INSPECTION REPORT

(Continuation sheet)

PERMIT NUMBER: C/015/007

DATE OF INSPECTION: 11/17/2001

(COMMENTS ARE NUMBERED TO CORRESPOND WITH TOPICS LISTED ABOVE)

2. SIGNS AND MARKERS

The permit entry sign is located at entry into the permit area. The sign had all the required information.

4C. OTHER SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES

While some erosion is evident the surface roughening and rock mulch on the B seam appear to be effective methods of controlling sediment.

9. PROTECTION OF FISH, WILDLIFE AND RELATED ENVIRONMENTAL ISSUES

Recent evidence of several elk were observed in the disturbed area. The elk appeared to be eating the grasses.

Inspector's Signature:



Susan M. White #35

Date: December 4, 2001

Note: This inspection report does not constitute an affidavit of compliance with the regulatory program of the Division of Oil, Gas & Mining.

cc: James Fulton, OSM
Tim Kirschbaum, Consol, Illinois
Steve Behling, Consol, Emery
Price Field office

O:\015007.HID\Compliance\2001\p_1117.wpd