

March 15, 1983

Inspection Memo
to Coal File:

RE: Natomas Trail Mtn. Coal Co.
Trail Mountain Mine
ACT/015/009
Folder No. 7
Emery County, Utah

A partial inspection was conducted on March 10, 1983 by Ken Wyatt of the Division. Allen Childs of Natomas Trail Mountain Coal Company accompanied this inspector on the tour.

At the time of this inspection the two disturbed area culverts beneath the truck turnaround access points had been replaced. The ditch draining disturbed area runoff past the coal stockpile to the sediment pond had been partially cleaned out, further work on this ditch and drainage system was to be conducted that day. Van Wagoner Construction Company was at the minesite to do this work.

On Tuesday, March 8, 1983 Allen Childs and Scott Nordness representing Natomas Trail Mountain met at the DOGM offices in Salt Lake to submit plans for the abatement of NOV N82-7-7-1. These plans are to be approved in the near future and should be implemented at the earliest possible time as weather permits. Natomas does plan to install the upper bypass culvert this construction season. More detailed maps of the disturbed and undisturbed area drainages will need to be submitted as part of the ACR response and as a stipulation to the approval of the NOV abatement plans.

At the time of this inspection it was observed that six sections of 66" culvert were being stored on an area approximately 1 mile south of the Trail Mountain facilities. Mr. Childs stated that this culvert was Natomas' and that they had received verbal approval from the Forest Service for temporary storage of this culvert. It was recommended that Trail Mountain get written approval from the Forest Service to document this agreement. No violations were warranted at this time.

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Statistics:

See Knight Mine memo, dated March 15, 1983.
Grant: A & E