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MEMORANDUM

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JIM
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TO: Joseph. C. Helfrich, Field Supervisor
FROM: Ronald W. Daniels, Associate Director of Mining
RE: NOV N84-4-6-3, Trail Mountain Coal

RWD

Allen Childs of Trail Mountain Coal called with a problem that I'd like you to resolve. At least you should talk with Allen first thing on Thursday, April 26, 1984. He will be at 748-2140 before 8:00 a.m., and for the balance of the morning.

The problem is twofold:

1. NOV N84-4-6-3 was issued by Dave through the mail with abatement deadlines of April 23 and April 25, 1984. The company received the violation on April 24, 1984 and, also, heard of the NOV from OSM prior to receipt.
2. Dave committed to terminating the NOV today; but, so far, has not been on site with the Trail Mountain staff. The company has apparently done the work to abate the NOV.

The problem of unrealistic deadlines can be solved by Dave examining time frames more closely. The problem of non-follow-through can be resolved by a more definite commitment for arrival being made by Dave.

These two items are relatively minor, but the overriding concern on the part of the company is that the NOV needs to be cleared out so that OSM can proceed with repermitting (they spoke with Lew Ham at OSM).

Please solve the problem by getting someone on site with the operator Thursday, April 26, 1984, so that the NOV can be checked for termination and subsequent permitting can proceed.

Let me know on Thursday, April 26, what has happened.

Thanks.

RWD/jb
cc: Jim Smith, DOGM
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