

July 22, 1985

TO: Coal File, Inspection and Enforcement Folder
FROM: Sandy Pruitt, Mining Field Specialist *SP*
RE: Trail Mountain Mine, ACT/015/009, Folder #7,
Emery County, Utah

A partial inspection of the Trail Mountain Mine was conducted by Sandy Pruitt on June 12, 1985. No one was available to accompany this inspector on a brief tour of the mine site. Allen Childs was on vacation, but he left his inspection log book available for the inspector's review. The last entry in the log book, dated July 11, 1985, reported that a contractor began hauling trash offsite that day. Eighty-one thousand five hundred gallons of mine water was pumped into Cottonwood Creek as of June 17, 1985. No mine discharge was reported since then up to July 11, 1985.

Sediment removed from the sediment pond in 1984 was addressed to a 2:1 slope at the base of the trash storage pad. This material is too wet for adequate compaction, but appeared stable. Mining crews are presently cleaning up the mine in preparation for coal production scheduled to commence in mid-August.

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cc: Allen Childs
Donna Griffin
Joe Helfrich

Statistics:

Vehicle: 45429, 404 miles
Per Diem: One person X 1 day 6 hours = \$56.07
Grant: A&E
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