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INSPECTION REPORT

INSPECTION DATE & TIME: June 1, 1989
10:45 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

Permittee and/or Operators Name: Consolidation Coal Company
Business Address: P.O. Box 527 Emery, Utah 84522
Mine Name: Emery Deep Permit Number: ACT/015/015
Type of Mining Activity: Underground Surface Other
County: Emery State: Utah
Company Official(s): Chris Jones
State Official(s): Daron Haddock
Partial: Complete Date of Last Inspection: May 16, 1989
Weather Conditions: Partly Cloudy, Mild
Acreage: Permitted 5180 Disturbed 40 Regraded 2.66 Seeded 2.66 Bonded 247
Enforcement Action: NOV N89-28-5-1 was terminated May 25, 1989

COMPLIANCE WITH PERMITS AND PERFORMANCE STANDARDS

	YES	NO	N/A	COMMENTS
1. PERMITS	()	()	()	()
2. SIGNS AND MARKERS	(X)	()	()	(X)
3. TOPSOIL	()	()	()	()
4. HYDROLOGIC BALANCE:				
a. STREAM CHANNEL DIVERSIONS	()	()	()	()
b. DIVERSIONS	()	()	()	()
c. SEDIMENT PONDS AND IMPOUNDMENTS	(X)	()	()	(X)
d. OTHER SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES	(X)	()	()	(X)
e. SURFACE AND GROUNDWATER MONITORING	()	()	()	()
f. EFFLUENT LIMITATIONS	()	()	()	()
5. EXPLOSIVES	()	()	()	()
6. DISPOSAL OF DEVELOPMENT WASTE AND SPOIL	(X)	()	()	(X)
7. COAL PROCESSING WASTE	()	()	()	()
8. NONCOAL WASTE	(X)	()	()	(X)
9. PROTECTION OF FISH, WILDLIFE AND RELATED ENVIRONMENTAL VALUES	()	()	()	()
10. SLIDES AND OTHER DAMAGE	()	()	()	()
11. CONTEMPORANEOUS RECLAMATION	()	()	()	()
12. BACKFILLING AND GRADING	()	()	()	()
13. REVEGETATION	()	()	()	()
14. SUBSIDENCE CONTROL	()	()	()	()
15. CESSATION OF OPERATIONS	()	()	()	()
16. ROADS				
a. CONSTRUCTION	(X)	()	()	(X)
b. DRAINAGE CONTROLS	()	()	()	()
c. SURFACING	()	()	()	()
d. MAINTENANCE	()	()	()	()
17. OTHER TRANSPORTATION FACILITIES	()	()	()	()
18. SUPPORT FACILITIES				
UTILITY INSTALLATIONS	()	()	()	()

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GENERAL COMMENTS:

Chris Jones accompanied the undersigned inspector on this inspection. The inspection included a tour of the site of a proposed new portal to be used as a man entry. This portal is located on ground that is mostly flat and is covered with little topsoil and only desert vegetation. The mine is at an approximate depth of 55 feet at this location. A small wash runs through the area which would be diverted to the south. Any disturbed area drainage in this area would probably run into the mine.

2. SIGNS AND MARKERS:

Topsoil markers for the piles at the new borehole sediment pond have now been recieved at the mine. They should be installed shortly. All other signs and markers appear to be in good condition.

4c. SEDIMENT PONDS AND IMPOUNDMENTS:

The first water to enter the new borehole sediment pond did so during this inspection. The borehole pump was hooked up and tested. It ran for approximately 20 minutes at which time it seized up. The pipeline and sediment pond appeared to function properly. Water just barely started to cover the bottom of the pond. The operator is investigating the cause of the pump malfunction and hopes to have it running again soon.

4d OTHER SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES:

NOV N89-28-5-1 issued on April 21, 1989 for disturbing a stream buffer zone was terminated on May 25, 1989. The coal material on the bank of Christiansen wash (the subject of the NOV) was cleaned up effective May 16, 1989 and a plan to minimize future disturbance to the area was submitted on May 22, 1989. The plan requires a windbreak fence to be installed on the east side of the coal processing facility. This fence should be installed soon.

6. DEVELOPMENT WASTE AND SPOIL DISPOSAL:

Waste rock is still being stored at the temporary waste site. No work has been started, as yet, at the proposed permanent wast storage site.

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8. NONCOAL WASTE:

The noncoal waste storage site is nearly full of trash. The operator indicated that a new contractor was going to be retained to haul off the noncoal waste. Trash left behind after the removal of a couple of bath house trailers should also be hauled away.

16a. ROAD CONSTRUCTION:

A TDN was issued after the April Oversight inspection for not having haul roads certified. On May 10, the division required the operator to submit certifications for haul roads by June 12, 1989. The operator is working toward that end.

Copy of this report:

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Inspectors Signature and Number Daron R. Haddock #28 Date June 5, 1989