



# State of Utah

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November 7, 1990

Re: Determination of Completeness, Consolidation Coal Company, Emery Deep Mine, Permit Renewal, ACT/015/015, Folder #2, Emery County, Utah

The Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining (Division) has completed a review of the revised Mining and Reclamation Plan (MRP) for the Emery Deep Mine. The Division has determined the plan to be apparently complete. In compliance with Utah Coal Mining Rules R614-300-121.300, R614-300-121.310, R614-300-121.320 and the Utah Coal Mining Reclamation Act (UMC Section 40-10-1 et seq), notice is hereby given to all appropriate agencies having a jurisdiction over or an interest in the area of the operations that a complete plan is available for public review.

Consolidation Coal Company is proposing to renew its permanent program mining permit for the Emery Deep Mine. The permit area is projected to include a preparation plant in addition to the existing deep mine. This renewal application maintains the same permit boundary as approved in the original permanent program permit.

The permit area is located in Emery County, Utah at the confluence of Quitchupah Creek and Christiansen Wash, approximately four miles south of the town of Emery.

The following areas comprise the permit area.

Township 22 South, Range 6 East, SLBM

Section 19: S1/2 NE1/4, E1/2 SW1/4, and SE1/4  
 Section 20: S1/2 NE1/4, SE1/4 SW1/4 and S1/2  
 Section 21: S1/2 N1/2 and S1/2  
 Section 22: SW1/4 SW1/4  
 Section 27: W1/2

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Section 28: All  
Section 29: All  
Section 30: All except NW1/4 NW1/4, S1/2 NW1/4 SW1/4 and  
SW1/4 SW1/4  
Section 31: All  
Section 32: All  
Section 33: N1/2 and SW1/4

The Division of Oil, Gas and Mining will now undertake a technical review to determine whether the plan meets all the criteria of the Permanent Program Performance Standards according to the requirements of UCA, Section 40-10-1 et seq.

Upon completion of the technical review for said plan, a decision will be made as to approval or disapproval of the permit renewal application. No decision will be taken by the Director for a minimum period of 30 days after submission of this Notice of Availability to the appropriate agencies. This plan is available for public review at: Division of Oil, Gas and Mining, 355 West North Temple, 3 Triad Center, Suite 350, Salt Lake City, Utah 84180-1203.

Comments on the MRP may be addressed to the Director of this office:

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Attention: Mr. Lowell P. Braxton

For further information, please contact: Mr. Lowell P. Braxton, Associate Director, Mining, or Mr. Daron R. Haddock, Permit Supervisor, at the above address.

Sincerely,



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