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Office of Surface Mining
MINE SITE EVALUATION INSPECTION REPORT

DIVISION OF
GAS MINING

INSPECTOR NUMBER 242 INSPECTION DATE 2/17/83

I. MINE SITE

- 1. Permittee Utah Power & Light
- 2. Permittee Address
P. O. Box 899
Salt Lake City, UT 84110
- 3. Location of Mine
a. County Emery
b. State Utah
- 4. Name of Mine Des-Bee-Dove
- 5. Telephone _____
- 6. Date of Last State
Inspection 11/23/82 on file
- 7. Permit No. ACT/015/017
MSHA No. In report
OSM No. _____

- 8. Status (check one)
a. Active
b. In reclamation
c. Inactive
d. Abandoned
- 9. Type of Facility
a. Surface
b. Underground
c. Other -
Specify _____
- 10. Steep Slope
Yes _____
No X
- 11. Mountain Top Removal
Yes _____
No X
- 12. Prime Farm Land
Yes _____
No X

II. TYPE OF OSM INSPECTION

A. Complete Inspection: Check appropriate box

- 1. Statistical Sample Inspection
- 2. Others (citizen compliant inspections or second phase/ assistance inspections - specify.)

B. Other-Than-Complete-Inspection: Check appropriate box and reason for inspection.

- 1. Statistical Sample Follow-up (date of Complete Inspection _____.)

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- (a) 10-Day Notice follow-up (State failed to notify OSM or to take appropriate action).
- (b) Federal NOV follow-up.
- (c) Federal CO follow-up.
- (d) Others - Specify _____

2. Citizen Complaint Inspections

- (a) Citizen's Complaint - imminent hazard or harm to public or to environment.
- (b) Citizen's Complaint - 10-Day Notice follow-up (State failed to notify OSM or take appropriate action).
- (c) Citizen's Complaint - 10-Day Notice follow-up (sample).
- (d) Other - Specify _____

III. COMPLIANCE INFORMATION

Indicate the appropriate number for each performance standard (See instructions for clarification of the numbering system):

- 1. In compliance,
- 2. Not in compliance (State took action),
- 3. Not in compliance (State has not taken action),
- 4. Not in compliance (other),
- 5. Not applicable.

A. Performance standards that limit the effects of surface mining to the permit area:

<u>1</u>	1. Run-off control	<u>1</u>	6. Ground water monitoring
<u>1</u>	2. Surface water monitoring		
<u>1</u>	3. Mining within permit boundaries	<u>1</u>	7. Haul road maintenance
<u>5</u>	4. Blasting procedures	<u>5</u>	8. Refuse impoundment
<u>1</u>	5. Effluent limits	<u>1</u>	9. Signs and markers

B. Performance standards that assure reclamation quality and timeliness:

- | | | | |
|-------|--|-------|-----------------------------|
| _____ | 1. Topsoil handling | _____ | 7. Timing of revegetation |
| _____ | 2. Backfilling & grading | _____ | 8. Highwall elimination |
| _____ | 3. Timing of reclamation | _____ | 9. Downslope spoil disposal |
| _____ | 4. Success of revegetation | _____ | 10. Post mining land use |
| _____ | 5. Disposal of excess spoil | | |
| _____ | 6. Handling of acid or toxic materials | | |

C. For each standard marked (2), what action(s) has the State taken to cause the violation to be corrected?

D. For each standard marked (3), indicate what action(s) the State should have taken.

E. For each standard marked (4), explain why it is unknown whether or not the State has failed to take appropriate action.

VI. ADMINISTRATION INFORMATION

- 4.5 1. Hours travel to and from site
- 20 2. Acreage of permit (disturbed)
- 3 hrs 3. Inspection time (on site)
- 1 hr 4. Permit review time (on site)
- 4 hrs Permit review time (in office)
- 2 hrs 5. Report-writing time

Jodie Merriman
Signature 3-3-83
Date

Jodie L. Merriman
Print Name of Authorized Representative

[Signature]
Reviewed By 3-3-83
Date

GENERAL COMMENTS

This inspection was conducted along with Joseph Helfrich, Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining, and Larry Guymon and Dick Jones, Emery Mining Company.

PERMITS

The following information was available for review at the mine office:

1. Interim approval was given by Utah Division of Oil, Gas and Mining on May 11, 1978.
2. A Forest Service permit was signed on February 10, 1977 for 100.41 acres which encompasses most of the yard facilities.
3. A special use agreement #436, dated November 22, 1978 for 40 acres associated with sediment pond construction.
4. A waste rock disposal site was approved, with stipulations on September 28, 1981. Final approval was given by the Division on March 24, 1982.
5. NPDES Permit No. UT-0023591 was approved on March 23, 1982 and amended on April 12, 1982. One point is covered, which is the sediment pond.
6. The MSHA ID Numbers are as follows:

Deseret Mine	42-00988
Beehive Mine	42-00082
Little Dove Mine	42-01393

BONDING

Mr. Guymon believes that a bond has been posted but was unable to substantiate this.

WATER MONITORING

The water monitoring plan for the Utah Power and Light Company mines is explained in the Wilberg inspection report.

ROADS

A new road is being constructed on Bureau of Land Management land between the sediment pond and the mine. UP&L is paying for the road construction by tax deferral, although it will be considered a state road. The EIS, which covered this area, identified a potential transportation problem. This road will create an alternate coal hauling route which will bypass the towns of Orangeville and Emery.

road discussion