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October 17, 1980

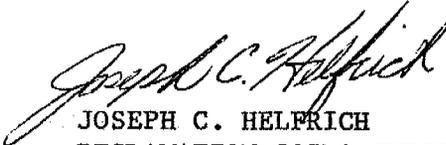
Memo to Coal File:

RE: Deer Creek Mine
ACT/015/018A

The above-mentioned operation was given a partial inspection on October 7, 1980, by Tom Portle, Sandy Pruitt, Joe Helfrich and Wayne Hedberg from the Division. The Division members were accompanied by Larry Guymon, senior mining engineer for the Emery Mining Corporation. The purpose of the inspection was to acquaint the two new inspectors of the Division staff with the Deer Creek operation.

The following work has been completed during the 1980 construction season:

- 1) Installation of grout drains and bypass culverts in the Left Hand Fork Deer Creek Canyon.
- 2) Installation of drop drains and culverts leading to the sediment ponds from the materials storage pad area.
- 3) Addition of fill material excavated from the present location of the sediment pond used in construction of the materials pad. The materials pad has already been constructed, however, additional fill materials from the sediment pond was used to bring the pad up to level grade.
- 4) An additional drop drain with a culvert leading underground to the sediment pond has been installed between the Bathhouse and Tipple area located between the conveyor belt and adjacent high wall.
- 5) Storage bins for oil and grease storage have been installed on the materials storage pad.
- 6) Berms have been implemented on both sides of the streambank where the conveyor crosses the stream just below the sediment pond.
- 7) Additional work to be completed by this fall will include reseeding of the downslopes of the area below the conveyor system between Bathhouse and Tipple.


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cc: Tom Ehmett, OSM

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Statistics:

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October 8, 1980

Memo to Coal File:

RE: Deer Creek Mine
ACT/015/018A
Wilberg Mine
ACT/015/018 ✓
Des-Bee-Dove Mine
ACT/015/017
Utah Power & Light

The above-noted mines were visited on September 17, 1980, for purposes of a wildlife consultation. The following persons were in attendance:

Chris Shingleton
Larry Guyman
Clark Johnson
Larry Dalton
Mary Ann Wright

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Division of Wildlife Resources
Division of Oil, Gas & Mining

At Deer Creek Mine, passage of the deer under the conveyor in this critical deer winter range area for Herd Unit 34 was discussed. Provisions for crossings were suggested to UP&L as part of a wildlife plan.

The Cottonwood Portal site was viewed for plans to place a fan portal at the site as an amendment to the Wilberg Plan.

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Statistics:

See Knight Mine Memo for September 16, 1980