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March 15, 1984

Inspection Memo  
to Coal File:

RE: Utah Power & Light Company  
Deer Creek Mine  
ACT/015/018, Folder #7  
Emery County, Utah

On February 16, 1984 a partial inspection of the Deer Creek Mine was conducted by Ken Wyatt, Field Specialist for the Division. Larry Guymon of Emery Mining Corporation accompanied this inspector on the field tour.

The purpose of this inspection was to examine the discharge near the sediment pond at the Deer Creek Mine. At this time the pond was still discharging somewhere below the dam. Due to the snow depth the direct source of this water could not be determined. It could be either a leak in the standpipe structure and valve or some type of seep in the embankment. This will be pursued on future inspections.

A water sample of this discharge was collected at 2:40 p.m. and split with the operator. The results of this analysis have not been returned from the laboratory. The appearance of the sample indicated to this inspector that the sample would meet effluent limitations. No compliance problems were encountered.

Ken Wyatt   
Field Specialist

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cc: Tom Ehmett, OSM  
Larry Guymon, Emery Mining Corporation  
Joe Helfrich, DOGM  
Mary Boucek, DOGM

Statistics:

Vehicle: EX 49611, 458 Miles  
Per Diem: 1 person X 1 day, 5 hours = \$61.41  
Grant: A&E  
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