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INSPECTION REPORT

Partial: X Complete: Exploration:
Inspection Date & Time: 12/12/95 9:00 to 1:30
Date of Last Inspection: 11/9/95

Mine Name: Deer Creek County: Emery Permit Number: ACT/015/018

Permittee and/or Operator's Name: PacifiCorp

Business Address: P.O. Box 1005, Huntington, Utah 84528

Type of Mining Activity: Underground X Surface Prep. Plant Other

State Official(s): Susan White

Company Official(s): Karl Houskeeper

Federal Official(s): None

Weather Conditions: Cold

Existing Acreage: Permitted-14,740 Disturbed-93 Regraded- Seeded- Bonded-93

Increased/Decreased: Permitted- Disturbed- Regraded- Seeded- Bonded-

Status: Exploration/ X Active/ Inactive/ Temporary Cessation/ Bond Forfeiture

Reclamation (Phase I/Phase II/Final Bond Release/ Liability Year)

REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS & PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENTS

Table with 5 columns: Item, EVALUATED, N/A, COMMENTS, NOV/ENF. Contains 21 rows of permit conditions with checkboxes.



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(Comments are Numbered to Correspond with Topics Listed Above)

Deer Creek Mine Yard

The surface facilities of the main mine site was observed. The mine yard appeared orderly. All observed culverts and drainages were clear and free of obstruction.

Rilda Canyon Surface Facilities

Work continues on the Rilda Surface Facilities. At the time of inspection the topsoil pile was being seeded, fertilized and matted. Cement had been recently poured and the second portal was being developed.

The permit committed to construction ending on December 1 unless the operator consulted with the Division of Wildlife Resources (DWR) for minimizing impacts on this critical elk winter range. DWR was consulted and since the elk have not migrated to winter range, the DWR had no objections for the operator to continue construction activities as normal. The operator is to monitor weekly and after snow storms for elk activity in the area. If construction continues after January 15 another consultation with DWR will be required.

Garbage was noted around construction vehicles parked outside the permit area.

PERMIT

Volumes 1 and 2 of DOGM's SLC copy of the permit was compared with PacifiCorp's copy of the permit. Corrections and changes were made to make the permits identical, except for Chapter 1 and 2. Chapter 1 and 2 were not the same and this is being investigated.

Copy of this Report:

Mailed to: OSM, Karl Houskeeper (PacifiCorp)

Given to: Joe Helfrich (DOGM)

Inspector's Signature: James M. White

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