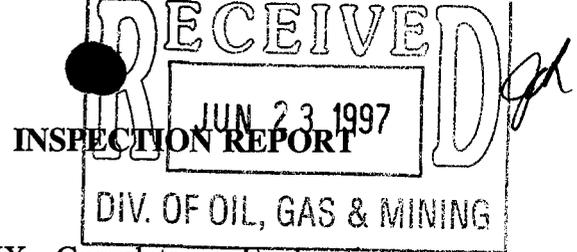


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Partial: XXX Complete: Exploration:
Inspection Date & Time: 6/17/97 / 7:45-11:00 A.M.
Date of Last Inspection: 5/22/97

Mine Name: Deer Creek Mine County: Emery Permit Number: ACT/015/018
Permittee and/or Operator's Name: PacifiCorp
Business Address: P.O. Box 310, Huntington, Utah 84528
Type of Mining Activity: Underground XXX Surface Prep. Plant Other
Company Official(s): Mike Dennis
State Officials(s): Pete Hess Federal Official(s): None
Weather Conditions: Sunny, 70's
Existing Acreage: Permitted- 17,000 Disturbed- 95.79 Regraded- Seeded- Bonded- 95.79
Increased/Decreased: Permitted- Disturbed- Regraded- Seeded- Bonded-
Status: Exploration/ XXX Active/ Inactive/ Temporary Cessation/ Bond Forfeiture
Reclamation (Phase I/Phase II/ Final Bond Release/ Liability Year)

REVIEW OF PERMIT, PERFORMANCE STANDARDS & PERMIT CONDITION REQUIREMENTS

Instructions

- 1. Substantiate the elements on this inspection by checking the appropriate performance standard.
a. For complete inspections provide narrative justification for any elements not fully inspected unless element is not appropriate to the site, in which case check N/A.
b. For partial inspections check only the elements evaluated.
2. Document any noncompliance situation by referencing the NOV issued at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
3. Reference any narratives written in conjunction with this inspection at the appropriate performance standard listed below.
4. Provide a brief status report for all pending enforcement actions, permit conditions, Division Orders, and amendments.

Table with 5 columns: EVALUATED, N/A, COMMENTS, NOV/ENF. Rows list 21 permit categories with checkboxes for evaluation status.



INSPECTION REPORT
(Continuation sheet)

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PERMIT NUMBER: ACT/015/018

DATE OF INSPECTION: 6/17/97

(Comments are Numbered to Correspond with Topics Listed Above)

1. PERMITS, CHANGE, TRANSFER, RENEWAL, SALE

Mr. Mike Dennis informed me that the permittee had received the necessary approval from the DOGM to excavate the test pits for the waste water absorption field at the Mine.

18 SUPPORT FACILITIES/UTILITY INSTALLATIONS

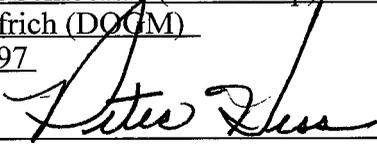
The Rilda Canyon mine fan installation was inspected this day. The permittee has corrected the two items which were noted during the DOGM May inspection. An MSHA inspector, (Mr. Pat Boyack), and an Energy West employee were also inspecting this area at the time.

It was pointed out during this portion of the inspection that the public is shooting trees off (at least five were noted as being destroyed) with high powered weapons. The permittee's identification sign at the Rilda fan disturbed area gate has also received several bullet holes. It is not known what can be done at this time to prevent future occurrences; several empty alcoholic beverage containers were noted in the area. It may be necessary for the USFS and/or PacifiCorp to ask the Emery County Sheriffs Department to patrol this area on weekends. Unchecked, the alcohol and weapons scenario may bring unwanted disaster.

Note: This inspection report does not constitute an affidavit of compliance with the regulatory program of the Division of Oil, Gas, and Mining.

Copy of this Report:

Mailed to: Chuck Semborski (PacifiCorp) Henry Austin (OSM)
Given to: Joe Helfrich (DOGM) Filed to: Price Field Office
Date: June 18, 1997

Inspector's Signature:  #46
Peter Hess