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State of Utah
DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES
DIVISION OF OIL, GAS AND MINING

INSPECTION REPORT

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Partial: XXX Complete: Exploration:
Inspection Date & Time: 1/16/97 / 7:50a.m.-10:30a.m.
Date of Last Inspection: 12/30&31/96

Mine Name: Deer Creek Mine 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 XXX Surface Prep. Plant Other
Company Official(s): Mike Dennis, Environmental Technician
State Officials(s): Pete Hess Federal Official(s): None
Weather Conditions: Cold, 0-10°, clear
Existing Acreage: Permitted- 14,740 Disturbed- 93 Regraded- Seeded- Bonded- 93
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 various permit conditions such as PERMITS, CHANGE, TRANSFER, RENEWAL, SALE; SIGNS AND MARKERS; TOPSOIL; HYDROLOGIC BALANCE; etc.



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(Comments are Numbered to Correspond with Topics Listed Above)

NOTE: The site is under 20 inches of fresh snow which was received on January 12-14, 1997.

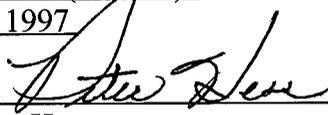
8. NONCOAL WASTE

The permittee is experiencing roof control problems with the current longwall extraction face. Rock locking of this area is extensive. Numerous empty rock lock barrels were observed in the noncoal waste storage area in the mine yard. The permittee should crush these prior to shipment to the Emery County landfill.

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: Richard Northrup (PacifiCorp) Marcia Petta (OSM)
Given to: Joe Helfrich (DOGM) Filed to: Price Field Office
Date: January 16, 1997

Inspector's Signature:  #46
Peter Hess