



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: 3/23/2000 / 8:00a.m.-11:30a.m.
Date of Last Inspection: 2/28/2000

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): Dennis Oakley
State Officials(s): Steve Demczak Federal Official(s): None
Weather Conditions: Warm, Clear, 50's, 2"-6" snow cover
Existing Acreage: Permitted-17,826.85 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)

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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; DIVERSIONS; SEDIMENT PONDS AND IMPOUNDMENTS; etc.

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(Comments are Numbered to Correspond with Topics Listed Above)

1. PERMIT -

The permittee has submitted an amendment to the Division for second mining at the North Lease of Rilda Canyon.

The Division is reviewing an amendment to update the Reclamation Plan for Deer Creek Mine.

The permittee has submitted an amendment to the Division to update the surface/hydrology maps.

4A. DIVERSIONS -

Several diversions were inspected with no problems being noticed. Some water was flowing in some diversions. Spring maintenance will be needed as weather conditions permit.

4B. SEDIMENT PONDS -

The sediment ponds were inspected with no hazardous conditions being reported.

4C. OTHER SEDIMENT CONTROL MEASURES -

Sediment control measures along the belt line were inspected and it appears that they would function during an event. Some catch basins will need cleaning out as weather conditions permit.

7. REFUSE PILE -

The refuse pile at the mine site was inspected with no hazardous conditions being noted.

8. NON-COAL WASTE -

The mine site was basically free of non-coal waste material.

14. SUBSIDENCE -

The permittee will be submitting the subsidence information in the Annual Report.

18. SUPPORT FACILITIES -

There were no new surface facilities added since the last inspection.

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: Pam Grubaugh-Littig (DOGM)

Filed to: Price Field Office

Date: March 23, 2000

Inspector's Signature: _____

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