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Subj: Amendment to Update Permit Acreage for the Deer Creek Permit, PacifiCorp, Deer Creek Mine, C/015/0018, Emery County, Utah

PacifiCorp, by and through its wholly-owned subsidiary, Energy West Mining Company ("Energy West"), hereby submits an amendment to update the acreage of the Deer Creek Mine permit area. An inconsistency of the permit acres was found by the Division in which a request was made for the permittee to correct. This amendment addresses this request.

In addition, reformatting of the Deer Creek permit descriptions in Appendix G of the Legal and Financial Volume is proposed to better quantify this acreage. Also, with the approval of the new Rilda Portal Facilities, the disturbed area of the mine has increased 13.1 acres from 84.34 acres to 97.44 acres. This change is also addressed in this amendment. Other small corrections and replacements of information is presented for change in the said volume. The following outlines the proposed changes to the Legal and Financial Volume.

R645-301-100:General Contents - Correct permit acreage on page 5, insert right of entry description for the disturbed area of the C2 beltline, and remove strikeout text from previous amendments.

Appendix C - Replace page DC-11. Lease SL-064900 did not include listing the township and range location.

Appendix F - Replace the public notice with the most recent permit renewal notice.

Appendix G - Reformat and replace entire Deer Creek permit description.

Seven (7) redlined and seven clean copies are included with this submittal along with the required C1/C2 forms for incorporation into the Deer Creek MRP. If you have any comments or concerns with regards to this submittal, please call myself at (435) 687-4720 or Dennis Oakley at (435) 687-4825.

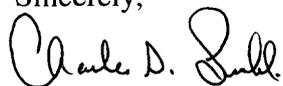
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Sincerely,



Chuck Semborski

Geology and Permitting Manager

encl R645-301-100: General Contents (Entire Chapter)
Appendix C (page DC-11)
Appendix F (DC public notice)
Appendix G (DC permit boundary description)
C1/C2 forms

cc Scott Child (w/o enclosures)
file

APPLICATION FOR COAL PERMIT PROCESSING

Permit Change [X] New Permit [] Renewal [] Exploration [] Bond Release [] Transfer []

Permittee: PacifiCorp

Mine: Deer Creek Mine

Permit Number: C/015/0018

Title: Amendment to Update Permit Acreage for the Deer Creek Permit, PacifiCorp, Deer Creek Mine, C/015/0018, Emery County, Utah

Description, Include reason for application and timing required to implement:

Instructions: If you answer yes to any of the first eight (gray) questions, this application may require Public Notice publication.

- 1. Change in the size of the Permit Area? Acres: 438.51 Disturbed Area: 13.1 [X] increase [] decrease.
2. Is the application submitted as a result of a Division Order? DO#
3. Does the application include operations outside a previously identified Cumulative Hydrologic Impact Area?
4. Does the application include operations in hydrologic basins other than as currently approved?
5. Does the application result from cancellation, reduction or increase of insurance or reclamation bond?
6. Does the application require or include public notice publication?
7. Does the application require or include ownership, control, right-of-entry, or compliance information?
8. Is proposed activity within 100 feet of a public road or cemetery or 300 feet of an occupied dwelling?
9. Is the application submitted as a result of a Violation? NOV #
10. Is the application submitted as a result of other laws or regulations or policies?

Explain:

- 11. Does the application affect the surface landowner or change the post mining land use?
12. Does the application require or include underground design or mine sequence and timing? (Modification of R2P2)
13. Does the application require or include collection and reporting of any baseline information?
14. Could the application have any effect on wildlife or vegetation outside the current disturbed area?
15. Does the application require or include soil removal, storage or placement?
16. Does the application require or include vegetation monitoring, removal or revegetation activities?
17. Does the application require or include construction, modification, or removal of surface facilities?
18. Does the application require or include water monitoring, sediment or drainage control measures?
19. Does the application require or include certified designs, maps or calculation?
20. Does the application require or include subsidence control or monitoring?
21. Have reclamation costs for bonding been provided?
22. Does the application involve a perennial stream, a stream buffer zone or discharges to a stream?
23. Does the application affect permits issued by other agencies or permits issued to other entities?

Please attach four (4) review copies of the application. If the mine is on or adjacent to Forest Service land please submit five (5) copies, thank you. (These numbers include a copy for the Price Field Office)

I hereby certify that I am a responsible official of the applicant and that the information contained in this application is true and correct to the best of my information and belief in all respects with the laws of Utah in reference to commitments, undertakings, and obligations, herein.

Charles A. Semborski
Print Name

Charles D. Smith
Geology/Permitting Supervisor 2-16-06
Sign Name, Position, Date

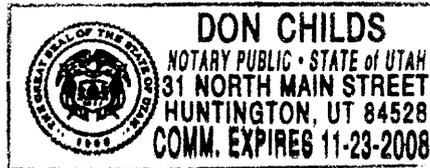
Subscribed and sworn to before me this 16th day of FEBRUARY, 2006

[Signature]

Notary Public

My commission Expires:

November 23, 2008
Attest: State of UTAH } ss:
County of EMERY



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Form DOGM- C1 (Revised March 12, 2002)

