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inspection report

Permit No. Act/015/019

Inspection Date Nov. 27, 1991

Permittee/Operator Name Pacifi Corp Operation

Business Address 210 S. Main, Suite 2100

City Salt Lake City State Ut Zip 84140-0021

Mine Cottonwood Wilberg ☐ Surface ☒ Underground ☐ Other

County Emery State Ut

Company Official(s) Guy Davis, Bob Willey

State Official(s) Bill Malencik

Time of inspection 10:00 ☒ a.m. ☐ p.m. to 4:00 ☐ a.m. ☒ p.m. ☐ Partial ☒ Complete

Date of last inspection 10/17/91 Weather conditions Clear/Cool

Acreage 11532 ☐ Permitted 102 ☐ Disturbed ☐ Regraded ☐ Seeded 102 ☐ Bonded

Enforcement Action None

COMPLIANCE WITH PERMITS AND PERFORMANCE STANDARDS

	YES	NO	N/A	COMMENTS
1. Permits	☒	☐	☐	☐
2. Signs and markers	☒	☐	☐	☐
3. Topsoil	☒	☐	☐	☐
4. Hydrologic balance				
— Stream channel diversions	☒	☐	☐	☐
— Diversions	☒	☐	☐	☒
— Sediment ponds and impoundments	☐	☒	☐	☒
— Other sediment control measures	☒	☐	☐	☐
— Surface and groundwater monitoring	☒	☐	☐	☐
— Effluent limitations	☒	☐	☐	☐
5. Explosives	☒	☐	☐	☐
6. Development waste and spoil disposal	☒	☐	☐	☐
7. Coal processing waste	☐	☒	☐	☒
8. Noncoal waste	☒	☐	☐	☐
9. Protection of fish, wildlife, and related environmental values	☒	☐	☐	☐
10. Slides and other damage	☒	☐	☐	☐
11. Contemporaneous reclamation	☒	☐	☐	☐
12. Backfilling and grading	☒	☐	☐	☐
13. Revegetation	☒	☐	☐	☒
14. Subsidence control	☒	☐	☐	☐
15. Cessation of operations	☒	☐	☐	☐
16. Roads				
— Construction	☒	☐	☐	☐
— Drainage controls	☒	☐	☐	☒
— Surfacing	☒	☐	☐	☐
— Maintenance	☒	☐	☐	☐
17. Other transportation facilities	☒	☐	☐	☐
18. Support facilities and utility installations	☒	☐	☐	☐

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General Comments. The previous three day complete inspection conducted the last of August which was also an OSM oversight inspection covered in exhaustive detail the records and all field requirements. Therefore, this inspection covered the records for the 3rd quarter, not available at the last inspection (ie not required until end of the quarter. Also the field and concentrating on the followup and maintenance items.

Pending Issues

- Division Order on the sediment pond. The permit detect relates to spillways ie, only one spillway. The permittee responded by proposing another spillway. The matter is under review by the Division
- Refuse pile is involved in a Division Order. The issues concern not fully meeting performance stands on six items. The operator response is not due at this time.
- Haul road is the subject of a federal violation. The issue concerns the permitting of the haul road. The road in question is controlled by the

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Utah Department of Transportation. The permittee has appealed the federal NOV under procedures outlined in the Administrative Procedures Act. The hearing before a USDI administrative law judge was scheduled for Dec. 9. however, the permittee stated he was advised that OSM had requested a continuance and the judge approved it with a hearing date for March 1992

Diversions. The permittee had to make some minor repairs to the undisturbed diversion adjacent to the Deer Creek Portals. Such work was the result of "block" sealing the three Deer Creek Portals.

Sediment Pond. The permittee had completed work on proceeding additional inlet protection on the S. pond as mentioned in the previous complete inspection.

Refuse Pile. About 7/8 of the refuse pile is covered with sediment from the Bee Bee Dome pond clean out project. Checked the Bee Bee Dome pond and estimate that 3/4 of the pond has been cleaned. The remaining cleanout area is adjacent to the embankment/oil skimmer. Six permit deficiencies were identified wherein the design/plan does not fully and/or clearly meet the regulatory performance standards.

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The permit deficiencies were identified prior to the official start of the formal inspection

Revegetation. The reclaimed road to the Deer Creek portals, with formal division approval, was used to haul small items from the portals and to "block seal" the three portals. The permittee has reclaimed the road as specified by the Division including seeding and matting the redisturbed areas. Also, straw bale water bars are to be placed on the road before this project is completed.

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